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BRED TO LAY BARRED PLYMOUTH
ROCKS from stock imported from the
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Price \$1.50 per setting of 15.
Also Premier Strain Partridge Wy
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Buildings and lot on King street
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For further particulars apply to
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If you would enjoy the music of the
band you must keep up with the pro-
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GOOD FORM

When you make a call by letter, it should get the same
care you would give to a personal call. You dress correctly
yourself, and courtesy requires the same formal correctness
in your writing paper.

CRANE'S LINEN LAWN
CRANE'S HIGHLAND LINEN
CRANE'S EARLY GEORGIAN
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Either of the above Writing Papers will properly repre-
sent you on any occasion.

We invite you to come and inspect our extensive display
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END YOUR CATARRH TO-DAY

Catarrh sufferers, meaning those
with colds, sore throat, bronchial
trouble, etc., can all be cured right at
home by inhaling "Catarrhozone."

In using Catarrhozone you don't
take medicine into the stomach—you
just breathe a healing piney vapor
direct to the lungs and air passages.

The purest balsams and the greatest
antiseptics are thus sent to every spot
where catarrhal trouble exists—germs
are killed, foul secretions are destroyed,
nature is given a chance and cure
comes quickly.

Colds and throat troubles can't last
if the pure healing vapor of Catarrho-
zone is breathed—sneezing and cough-
ing cease at once, because irritation is
removed.

Use Catarrhozone to prevent—use it
to cure your winter ills—it's pleas-
ant, safe and guaranteed in every case.

Springfield Republican: Another
effort in the direction of meeting the
domestic servant problem by bringing
conditions of employment into closer
conformity with those of other indus-
tries is seen in the program of the
servants' union recently organized in
London. The program calls for an
eight-hour day, double time for Sun-
day, a day off a month and a day off
a week after six months' service. Min-
imum wages in the union schedule
range from \$150 to \$225 a year, the
latter for cooks. The union now has
2000 members. Meanwhile the high
cost of living is encouraging the sim-
ple, and servantless life.

No matter how well you do a thing
you are sure to hear more complaints
than compliments.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

GENERAL CHANGE OF TIME
Passenger Train Service from Fred-
ericton Effective May 4th.

Daily except Sunday

Eastern Standard Daylight Time.

Departures—
Leave Fredericton 5:05 a.m.
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Arr. F'ton Jct. 9:30 a.m.
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Leave F'ton Jct. 7:15 a.m.
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Leave F'ton Jct. 10:15 a.m.
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Leave F'ton Jct. 9:05 p.m.
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The desirable farm property at Low-
er Caverhill, Parish of Queensbury,
York County, owned and occupied by
Henry Hallett, is now offered for sale.
The farm consists of 150 acres, 125
of which are cleared and the balance
is in woodland. The buildings include
a nice dwelling house, three good
barns and outbuildings. The farm
is well watered and in a good state of
cultivation. For further particulars
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For Infants and Children

In Use For Over 30 Years

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the
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GERMANS RAISE FOOD THIEVERY TO SCIENCE

Many Unique Schemes for Petty Larceny are Devised by Hotel
Employees—Scarcity of Food in Germany Has Made More
Thieves Than One Would Believe — Have Found a Way
to Steal Eggs from Inside the Shell.

London, England, May 10—Although
Germany failed in her gigantic scheme
of annexing half the world, there is no
doubt that she holds the world's re-
cord for petty larceny. Not as a nation;
it is an individual proposition. Scarcity
of food and other necessities has made
more thieves than one would believe
could exist in a country the size of
Germany. Among these thieves the
hotel employees shine. I had a good
deal of experience among these minor
rascals during the five months I re-
cently passed in the fatherland.

Despite the extreme annoyance of it
all I could not help being highly amu-
sed. In all Berlin hotels nothing that is
the real thing in the line of food or
tobacco or soap or sweets is safe.
Leaving a pair of real leather boots in
the corridor to be polished is nothing
less than madness. I have known
of trunks being broken open for the
sake of the tin of tobacco and port-
manteaus being rifled in the hope of
gaining a little chocolate or tea. If
you leave a cake of soap on the wash-
stand you are only asking for trouble,
because if it is not stolen outright you
will see every day a little bit has been
carefully shaved off.

Send Out Tea; Get back "Ersatz."

Some of the cleverest tricks crop up
in matters culinary. Give the waiter
on your floor some tea to be prepared
and what happens? The steaming con-
coction which he brings back contains
probably one-quarter of what you gave
him. The rest is "ersatz" (substitute)
or the familiar blackberry leaves
which have done duty as tea in Ger-
many for three years. You send down
some oatmeal. If you expect enough
for your own breakfast you should
hand out sufficient raw material for
about eight persons. Being intrusted
with a bit of bacon always brings a
wild gleam into the waiter's eyes and
you are lucky if you get back any of
it.

It was in connection with bacon that
I discovered what an old Diogenes
could not unearth—an honest man.
This chap did not run true to form
at all. He not only brought back all
the bacon I had given him, but a small
pitcher containing the grease. And the
smile which spread over his face when
I made him a present of the grease
was the most beautiful thing I saw in
Germany.

Even Eggs Tampered With

I thought I had them in the matter
of eggs. A Danish friend brought me
two dozen from Copenhagen and I
had several merry breakfast parties
which made my position so solid with
those who attended that I could borrow
money from any of them for weeks
afterward. I was jubilant at the
thought that the kitchen folk must
return my eggs intact. I did not see
how they could cut a piece off an egg.
What happened was this: The very

last egg came to the table artistically
crushed in on one side. At first it puz-
zled me but at last I discovered the
trick which I found to be popular all
the hotels throughout the land.

The procedure was to make a tiny
puncture in the shell, draw out half the
white and then damage the shell in
such a way as to conceal the original
hole. The result is that when the egg
is opened the shell is found to be half
full of nice hot water. It was only by
threatening to crack upon the waiter's
head all the eggs with damaged ex-
teriors that we got any degree of sat-
isfaction.

Tips Put on Hotel Bill

I suppose it was for rendering us
such service as I have outlined that
the Berlin waiters determined to be
properly tipped. At any rate they com-
bined and by bloodless revolutionary
methods managed to get 20 per cent
tacked on the bill of every guest, the
money to be divided among them. Of
course the guest was not expected to
hand out any further gratuities. But
naturally since every employee was sure
to receive his tips the service slumped
and the only way to be comfortable
was to resort to supertipping. So far
as the guest was concerned it merely
came to an increase of 20 per cent in
his hotel bill.

In the outside restaurants 10 per
cent is added to the check and the
same was done with every drink served
at the bar. A lot of people are
caught before they learn the custom.
The waiter will serve them and pre-
sent a bill with 10 per cent added.
They take it for a sort of luxury tax
as in Paris and add a tip. To this the
waiters seldom if ever object.

So it goes. There is no phase of
trade in Germany into which this cus-
tom has not crept in some degree. What
is strange is that after a few weeks
there one accepts it quite cheerfully,
as if it were a matter of course, which
indeed it has come to be.

Cook's Colman Root Compound.

2-4-6, reliable, requiring
no. 10. Said to be three de-
grees of strength—No. 1, \$1;
No. 2, 50¢; No. 3, 25¢ per box.
Sold by all druggists, or sent
prepaid on receipt of price.
Free pamphlet. Address:
THE COOK MEDICINE CO.,
TORONTO, ONT. (Formerly Walker)

ANOTHER VOICE IS ADDED TO THE CHORUS

Of Women Who Sing the Praises of
Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Dame Aime Essianbre, Who Suffered
From Gravel and Other Kidney Al-
lments, Tells How She Found a
Cure.

McLeod's Siding, N.B., May 19th—
(Special)—Dame Aime Essianbre, well
known and highly respected here, is
adding her voice to the chorus of wo-
men who sing the praises of Dodd's
Kidney Pills. She is always ready to
tell the reason why. She suffered for
twelve years. She is well again. She
had taken a friend's advice and used
Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"It is a great pleasure for me to
tell that Dodd's Kidney Pills have
made me well," Dame Essianbre says.
"I suffered from gravel; I had had
headaches, and my sleep was broken
and unrefreshing.

"There were dark circles around my
eyes, and I was always tired and ner-
vous. My memory was failing, my
limbs were heavy, and I had a drag-
ging sensation across the loins.

"I took 12 boxes of Dodd's Kidney
Pills. They cured me. I advise all who
suffer from kidney trouble to take
Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Their cures have given them a na-
tional reputation. Ask your neighbors
about them.

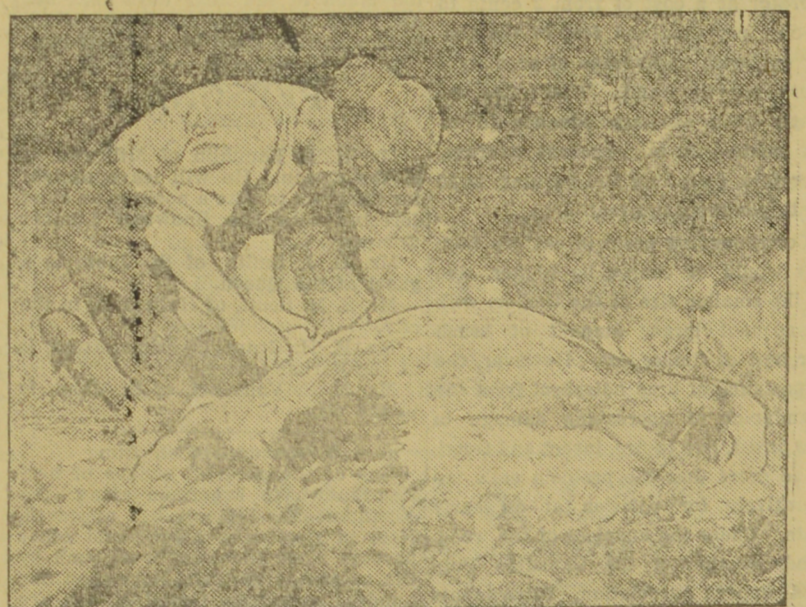
TABLE OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

4 teaspoons of a liquid equal 1 table-
spoon.
4 tablespoons of a liquid equal 1 gill
or 1/4 cup.
1/2 cup equals 1 gill.
2 gills equal one cup.
2 cups equal 1 pint.
2 pints (4 cups) equal 1 quart.
4 cups of flour equal 1 pound, or 1
quart.
2 cups of butter, solid, equals 1 lb.
1/2 cup of butter, solid, equals 1/4 lb.
or 4 ounces.
2 cups of granulated sugar equal 1 lb.
2 1/2 cups of powdered sugar equal 1 lb.
1 pint of milk or water equals 1 lb.
1 pint of chopped meat equals 1 lb.
10 eggs, shelled, equal 1 pound.
4 tablespoons of flour equal 1 ounce.
8 eggs with shells equal 1 pound.
2 tablespoons of butter equal 1 ounce.
2 tablespoons of granulated sugar
equal 1 ounce.
4 tablespoons of butter equal 2 ounces
or 1/4 cup.
4 tablespoons of coffee equal 1 ounce.
1 tablespoon of liquid equals a half-
ounce.

With a little encouragement from
the peace conference China might
have taken heart and tucked her
shirt inside.

An American scientist has pho-
tographed 2,000 snow crystals, and found
none alike.

In The Hills Above Ice River



THIS man is not carving his name
on a stump. By looking closely
one will identify the claws on the
downward right forepaw as those
of a good sized black bear. So the
man operator is removing a handsome
black coat from a sleek, fat fall bruin
that had ventured in innocent igno-
rance out on the open in search of
mice and such interesting changes
from a diet of berries. He did not
know that men with guns were
creeping up the slope toward him be-
cause the wind was sweeping down
from the peaks above and the only
scent it took to his keen nostrils was
that of the fresh, sweet snows that
were already whitening the peaks
above Ice River, north of the C. P. R.
transcontinental line.

So the bear waddled along with an
investigating nose close to the sticks
and stones he turned over with his
great paws. He paused at a rotting
log that had fallen before some great
fire which had swept the hillside in
the decades past, and he turned it
over with an ease that spoke highly
of strong claws and big muscles; he
found some grubs and he licked them
up; he started to investigate a bundle
of weeds and dried grasses that
looked as if it might contain some
tender young mice. A hundred yards
away, down the slope, a man's weak
ankle that had been strained in days
gone by a skating twist, turned on a

stone and sent it clattering down
through sticks and stones. Bruin,
over the rise and out of sight, reared
to his haunches in curiosity. He
spied the crown of a hat rising slow-
ly over the ridge and he turned and
saw away with an awkward, shuffling
swiftness that could be second only
to that of a mouse in fallen timber,
and there is nothing more awkward-
appearing yet nothing living so de-
structive to distance as a mouse that
is really up and going with full ener-
gies through his favorite racing
ground in the swamps.

A steel-jacketed bullet whistled
when it kicked dust out of the run-
ning bear's coat when it burned
across the shoulder. Bruin snarled
and went faster. Another bullet
struck his ribs and he stopped to
snap in anger at the hurt and to glare
back at the source of his worry.
Then, as he growled low in his throat
he prepared to resume his flight a
third bullet broke his neck, and his
body huddled forward and settled
down like a huge chunk of jelly that
had scarce 'set.' And there we
skinned him, far above the gleaming
river where so recently he had
gorged on the luscious berries and
watched the deer and moose as they
too gorged themselves on the rich
foods that suited their cravings as
satisfactorily as berries satisfied his.

—L. V. K.

LOOK OUT FOR US ON

**THURSDAY,
the 22nd inst.**

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