

WATCH LATE POTATO PATCH AND STOP BUGS

Do not let potato bugs destroy your crop this year, is the warning issued today by F. C. Gaylord of the horticultural extension staff of Purdue university.

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pests to destroy the young potato leaves so they should be controlled as early as possible before they have injured the foliage to any extent. The young that hatch from the eggs will do more damage even than the adults. As soon as the plants are a few inches high, spray them thoroughly with powdered Arsenate of lead, at the rate of two pounds to 50 gallons of water, or for the small garden, 10 level teaspoonfuls of the Arsenate to one gallon of water.

Paris Green may be used instead of lead Arsenate, at the rate of 1 pound to 50 gallons, 1 teaspoonful to a gallon of water, also adding three or four times as much lime as Paris Green to prevent burning of the leaves. Lead Arsenate is preferred because it sticks to the foliage better and is somewhat cheaper.

Spraying should be repeated when necessary, or generally every two weeks through most of the season. If started early the "bugs" will be easier controlled and a smaller number of sprays necessary. If Arsenate of lead and nicotine sulphate are added to Bordeaux Mixture, the one combined spray will control numerous diseases, plant lice and chewing insects.

A young man in Wyoming drove two miles alone before he discovered that his sweetheart had fallen out of the buggy. Love-making in that state must lack some of the ardor that characterizes it around here.

The automobile industry is doing much for labor. It gives direct employment to about two million people, besides doing considerable in the way of lessening the number of people wanting jobs.

SCHOOL DAYS



Rann-dom Reels

By HOWARD L. RANN

THE TOURIST

THE tourist is a hopeful biped whose sole mission in life is to feed currency to the wayside garage. A few years ago tourists were few and far between, being confined largely to the expert but widely-busted tramp printer, who remained in town long enough to become thoroughly pickled and then toured to the next stop on the brake rod of a poultry car. With the upspringing of the automobile, however, our roads are deeply lined with a new kind of tourist, who travels among strangers and pays the list price for red inner tubes.

Since it has been discovered that the modern automobile can run several thousand miles without any more expense than operating a short-line railroad, the practice of skipping from coast to coast in a wobble-legged touring car has become a fixed habit. Most people would rather ride in a new automobile carrying a pennant and a weak-tongued storage battery than jump on a transcontinental flyer and inhale free clinders in a rapid and



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noiseless manner. Statistics prove that a man can drive his own automobile to either coast for less than it costs to buy a private car rigged up with a shower bath and brunette porter, unless a spark plug gives.

One nice thing about a long automobile tour is that the tourist gets a chance to meet a great many nice people and learns how the government regulates the price of gasoline. We have one of the freest forms of government in the world, and when gasoline gets too high in one place all a man has to do is to drive on to some point where it is a few cents higher. This tends to keep the tourist in an amiable and contented frame of mind, and also encourages the building of stone-front garages which are often mistaken for the hotel.

The tourist does not need to take much of anything with him except a few extra tubes and money. It is astonishing how fast money will ooze away from a tourist who has never done anything to his own car except tilt the windshield. But no man begrudges the money when he comes back with both lungs full of fresh air, an appetite like a wheat elevator and a coat of tan thicker than a deep sea diver's. Best of all, every tourist is a good roads booster, and he is already pulling a lot of states out of the mud.

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Organization of the G. A. R.

The Grand Army of the Republic was organized in Decatur, Ill., April 6, 1868. Its existence is primarily due to Dr. B. F. Stephenson and Chaplain W. J. Rutledge of the Fourteenth Illinois Infantry, who conceived the idea of its formation in 1864. The first national encampment was inaugurated November 20, 1896. The Grand Army has been organized into departments representing the states and territories. In 1916 there were 5,452 posts having a membership of 159,883. The establishment of Memorial day is due to the efforts of the G. A. R.

Mother's Cook Book

The test of worth is not the hold you have of earth; Lo, there be gentlest souls, sea blown, That know not any harbor known; And it may be the reason is, They touch on fairer shores than this. —Joachim Miller.

Salads New and Old.

During the summer fruit salads of various kinds should be freely used, especially for the picnic lunch. There is such a variety of fruits that one need not repeat.

Tutti Frutti Salad.

Take one quarter of a pound of figs, cut in small pieces, the same amount of stoned and quartered dates, one-half cupful of canned strawberries, the same of canned pineapple, the juice of one-half lemon, two tablespoonfuls of sugar and one-half cupful of orange juice. Serve as dessert.

Italian Salad.

Take four sardines, three large potatoes, three hard-cooked eggs, half a cupful of cooked lima beans. Slice the potatoes, skin and bone the sardines and break into bits, then mix with the potatoes. Put the yolks of two of the eggs into a bowl, add a pinch of mustard, salt and oil enough to make a smooth cream, add one-third as much vinegar as oil. Pour this dressing over the salad and add the shredded whites. Garnish with the whole egg cut in pieces and a few stoned olives. Serve well chilled.

Royal Soup.

This is another fireless cooker recipe. Put a cut-up fowl in a cooker kettle, full of cold water, boil ten minutes, then pack in a cooker for six hours or overnight. Remove the chicken and to the stock add one dozen small onions, two diced carrots, one turnip also diced, one cupful of peas, two bay leaves, salt and pepper. Reheat the radiator, bring soup to a boil and repack. Do not strain, but serve with grated cheese and buttered toast. The chicken meat may be used for various dishes later.

Squabs en Casserole.

Saute six squabs in two tablespoonfuls of butter without browning, then cover with broth, add a sprig of parsley, a bay leaf, and cook until nearly tender; then add a dozen and a half of button onions which have been par-boiled, two dozen potato balls and two half-inch cubes of fried bacon. When ready to serve, remove the parsley and stir in the yolks of three eggs well beaten and added to half of a cupful of cream; add a tablespoonful of butter or bacon fat. Do not boil after the eggs are added. Serve from the casserole.

One of the nicest ways to serve squabs is boned and stuffed, then roasted. It is not a difficult process to bone a few birds. The small leg bones are left at the end for a more shapely appearance. They may be broiled without stuffing if preferred, adding a bit of celery or a piece of onion to season the inside of the bird.

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G. O. P. PLANK DISAPPEARS

Dry Leader Expresses Profound Astonishment at Omission of Law and Order Declaration.

Chicago, July 22.—The law and order plank adopted by the republican national convention has been left out of the platform as issued from republican headquarters here, Virgil G. Hinshaw, chairman of the prohibition national committee, said today.

"Prohibitionists," said Chairman Hinshaw, "are thunderstruck by the failure of the republican platform to embody the law enforcement plank adopted along with other planks by unanimous vote of the republican national convention."

"Clinton N. Howard, representative of the prohibition national committee, and William Jennings Bryan, sat in the republican convention and heard this copy read in advance of its adoption which followed as part of the platform in all the big papers of the land."

Omission Admitted.

"Yesterday I went to the headquarters of the republican national committee in Chicago and Capt. Victor Heintz in charge admitted the omission and said he was taking the matter up with the authorities in New York in order to ascertain the reason for leaving it out."

The plank referred to by Br. Hinshaw was this:

"The equality of all citizens under the law has always been a policy of the republican party. Without obedience to law and maintenance of order, our American institutions must perish. Our laws must be impartially enforced and speedy justice should be secured."—Indianapolis Star.

YOUNG PEOPLE ORGANIZE

A meeting was held Monday night, July 19, by the young people of Monroe and a society organized which they agreed to call "The Monroe Young Peoples' Welfare Society." The chief objects of the society are to socially and morally improve the young people of Monroe and its vicinity and to attain closer cooperation with the church. Officers were elected as follows: president, Harvey Rupert; vice president, Harvey Haggard; secretary-treasurer, Louise Busche. A large number of young people were present and from the enthusiasm and interest shown, it is certain that the society will be a success.

A BOND OF SYMPATHY

Mrs. Gottawad was showing Hilda, the new Swedish maid, over the house and explaining her duties. "This," she said, "is my son's room. But he is not at home. He is in Yale."

"Yah?" Hilda's stolid face lit up with sympathetic understanding. "My brudder ban there, too?"

"Is that so? What year?"

"Ach, he ban there year. Da Yudge just say, 'You Axel, sixty days in jail.'"

Virtue is a fault with some people. The man who never gives up will some day have money out at interest. Give some people a bite of an apple and there'll be no core.

James Hamilton Lewis says men should not shave. J. Ham. should remember that if it were not for this custom of the ordinary man his whiskers wouldn't have had a chance to have made his famous.

MADE A CHANGE IN HER

Mrs. L. Gibson, 22th & Edison St., LaJunta, Colo., writes: "My kidneys were giving me a great deal of trouble for some time and I took Foley Kidney Pills and they helped me right away. They made such a change in me that I feel fine." Foley Kidney Pills promptly relieve backache, rheumatic pains, sore, swollen or stiff muscles and joints. They put the kidneys and bladder in sound, healthy condition. Sold everywhere.

Chautauqua Tickets

A few of the \$2.00 season Chautauqua tickets have been placed on sale at the Three Banks and at the Four Drug Stores in this city.

The big five day program starts Tuesday afternoon with a lecture by Dr. Isaac T. Headland and a great musical program by the Van Grove Opera Company, consisting of eight members. The afternoon program starts at 2:30 p. m. and the evening program at 7:30 p. m.

If unable to get one of the \$2.00 tickets at the drug stores or banks, probably one of the signers has one for sale.

Chautauqua Ticket Committee

NOTE:—Eight tickets have been placed on sale at the Daily Democrat Office.

NOTICE! Labor Meeting

There will be a meeting of the Federation of Labor Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, at the Maccabbee hall.

Mr. P. R. Bell, of Fort Wayne, a noted labor worker, will be present at this time and will deliver an address which will be well worth hearing. All members of the Federation, and all those interested, whether associated with the Federation or not are also urged to be present, as the meeting is of importance, and will be of special interest to all. Bring your friend and be present at this meeting tomorrow night. It's for your benefit.

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