

SKINNER-AUSTIN FARM SALE NETS OVER FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS

BY WILLIAM R. SANBORN
It was a day when the cold, damp wind cut deeply and the fireside was temptingly inviting. One would have imagined that a man must have been in dire need of something that was to be sold, to go out in quest of it in such weather as we met up with on Wednesday, especially after the brilliance and warmth of Tuesday, with its various farm sales.

But one aged optimist remarked at the close of the sale that it was lucky for the boys that it was a cold day, as they had a better sale on account of it. When asked how it could benefit a farm sale to have men freeze on their feet, he "allowed" that if it had been spring-like most of them would have been plowing, instead of spending their money at the call of the auctioneer.

How does that kind of philosophy strike you, neighbor?

The Bert Skinner and B. W. Austin sale on Wednesday was held on the Austin farm, four miles west of Centerville on the National road, traction stop number 132. This location invited Richmond and Centerville folks, because they could travel in warm cars at little cost, and many of them attended the sale, as friends of the saleholders. The comfortable farm home was filled to overflow with ladies and children, whose husbands and fathers were foraging for bargains, or who had come to help the boys put the sale over.

A DISSOLUTION SALE.

The Skinner-Austin sale was a clean-up between partners. Mr. Skinner has been running the farm for the past two years and having recently secured a good position with the International Harvester company was ready to quit the soil. Walter Mulligan and two of his brothers, having no such luck, are now to plow and sow the Austin acres, and were among the eager buyers on Wednesday. The crowd was not overly large, as sale crowds go, but it was big enough to make a clearance at fair prices and in such cases "enough is sufficient."

LIVE STOCK OFFERINGS.

Sixty-one head of stock were listed, consisting of 4 head of horses, 21 of cattle, 35 of hogs and 21 of sheep. The cattle were principally White Faces, and a thriving bunch it was.

In the contest for the four horses a choice went to Linn Nicholson at \$200. A dark bay gelding was bid in by Clyde Watt at \$156; Ed Woolridge paid \$81 for his brown mare, and a blind horse, a really good animal otherwise, sold to H. E. Bailey for \$73.

When the cattle came into view on the lee side of the big barn, John F. Maher of Richmond, went into action. John got a big White Face at \$159, one with the appearance of the Herford sires often sold at breeders' sales for \$10,000 and up, in the "palmy days," and which are by no means cheap even now. Mr. Maher persisted in spending his money until Jake Haines, cashier, figured that a check for \$712.50 was immediately due and payable. Mr. Maher is entitled to the honor according to the man who bid the top dollar on cows, his choice costing him \$53. Frank Jacobs settled off of \$380 worth of cows and calves. Willard Cook paid \$64 and \$69 for 2 cows.

The hogs offered were double immunized and sold quickly at fair prices as to weight, etc. Perry Wilson paid \$8 per head for one pen of little fellows; Omar Neff got a pen at \$10.70 each; Arthur La Motte bought to pens of shots, one at \$12.60, the other at \$14.75 per head. Brood sows went at fair sale prices; up to the recent sales.

In the sheep line prices averaged low; Verne D. Hays secured eight at \$10.50 and J. LaMotte twelve head at \$16.25.

Five tons of good hay sold at \$20 and \$21, and 12 bushels of both white and yellow seed corn averaged around \$2 per bushel and went to various buyers. One of the bargains of the day was a good farm wagon which Dug Monger picked up at \$79 complete. A forge in first-class shape sold to R. P. McMahan at \$29, and a complete wood-sawing outfit in good shape was bid in by Orville Burg for \$36. A blacksmith anvil and a lot of tools was one of the variations of this sale, nothing of the kind ever coming up.

Mrs. Vincent Astor has volunteered for work on the canteen staff of the new victory hut in Battery park, New York.

BEDFAST EVERY WINTER, STOMACH TROUBLE GONE

Mrs. Mershon Found Speedy Relief After 18 Years' Suffering.

"I had suffered from stomach trouble for 18 years, and had spent hundreds of dollars doctoring. Every winter I was bedfast most of the time. I complained to Dr. Milks Emulsion last fall, and before I had taken half a dozen bottles, my stomach trouble disappeared and I had no return of it since. This is the first winter in 18 years that I have not been bedfast. I also give Milks Emulsion to the children for colds, colds and colds."

Mrs. W. G. Mershon, Brazil, Ind.

Thousands of people who have suffered for years from stomach and bowel troubles, as Mrs. Mershon did, have found the same wonderful relief and lasting benefit from Milks Emulsion.

Milks Emulsion is a pleasant, nutritive food and a corrective medicine. It restores health and aids body action, doing away with all need of pills and medicines. It promotes appetite and quickly puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food. As a builder of the human system, Milks Emulsion is strongly recommended to run-down nervous people, and it has produced amazing results in many cases of tuberculosis of the lungs. Chronic stomach trouble and constipation are promptly relieved and controlled.

This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is eaten with a spoon like ice cream. A truly wonderful medicine for weak, sickly children.

No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milks Emulsion under this guarantee—Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions and if not satisfied with the results, your money will be promptly refunded. Price 60¢ and \$1.20 per bottle. The Milks Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind. Sold and guaranteed by Thistlethwaite's 6 Drug Stores—Adv.

WHAT DOES EVERY WOMAN WANT?

New Madison, O.

N. M. Christopherson of Buffalo, Mont., was the guest of J. D. King and family Friday and Saturday. He left Saturday for a visit with Carl Penke of Versailles, but later will come back to New Madison. Byron King, who has been in the Radio school at Cambridge, Mass., came home Friday. He is discharged.... Miss Eleana Stoner, a student in telegraphy, who has been sick with the influenza, is considerably improved.... Last Friday night after the dance, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Duffield entertained a crowd of young people at their home on South Washington street. Refreshments were served. Those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kimball, Miss Lola Lawrence, Miss Gladys Menger of Greenville and Miss Cleone Wilkerson of Union City, Messrs. N. W. Christopherson of Buffalo, O., and Byron King.... Miss Gladys Wenger of Greenville, and Miss Cleone Wilkerson of Union City, attended the dance here Friday night.... Mr. and Mrs. Warren Duffield entertained Mr. and Mrs. Perry Mackay at dinner Friday.... W. R. Hogan and wife and Mrs. David Noggle were in Greenville Monday to see Judge David Bowman, who has been sick for some time.... Miss Amy Banfill is on the sick list this week.... The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coblenz is very sick with the influenza.... Emery Murray of New Paris attended the dance at New Madison Friday night.... Miss Neary Nyswonger was entertained at supper Monday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Grover Browder.

Miss Gracey Dowler is confined to her home this week on account of sickness.... A. D. Noggle has purchased the property of Miss Edna Jones on North Main Street. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harp will occupy the property occupied by Mr. Noggle.... Miss Mary Nyswonger, teacher of the Clarks Station school, gave a box supper Friday

night at her school. The proceeds will go towards buying a Victrola for use in her visiting brother Grover Browder and family, for a few days.... The family of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lawrence, who has been confined to the house for the past week with the influenza, is somewhat better.... Lemuel Payne is moving to their new home in the country, one mile north of New Madison Tuesday.... Miss Helen Landis of Dayton was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dr. O. P. Kimball from Friday until Sunday night. She attended the dance Friday night.... Miss Mary Nyswonger and Mr. Orison Browder enjoyed a theater trip at Richmond Tuesday night.

Whitewater, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kinzelhoe, Mr. and Mrs. William Curtis.... Mrs. Maggie Arthur of Richmond was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Matlock Tuesday.... There are several families moving in this community. Jim Shank moved to east of Richmond, Dave Weller to the Shank farm, Emerson Burt to Weller farm, Bert Hunt north of Fountain City, Mr. Brown to Hunt farm, Ollie Hunt to Hodson farm.... Mr. and Mrs. William Barton of near Richmond and Will White was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blose and family Tuesday.... Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Hunt spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. William Curtis.... Miss Josephine Woods is very ill at this writing.... William White spent Saturday night and Sunday with his brother, Tom White, and wife of Lynn.... Mrs. Mae Sexton of Richmond was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hunt Tuesday.

The results of daylight saving are shown in figures collected by the gas company at Washington, D. C., that the people of the district saved \$60,000 in gas bills.

"Proved safe by millions"

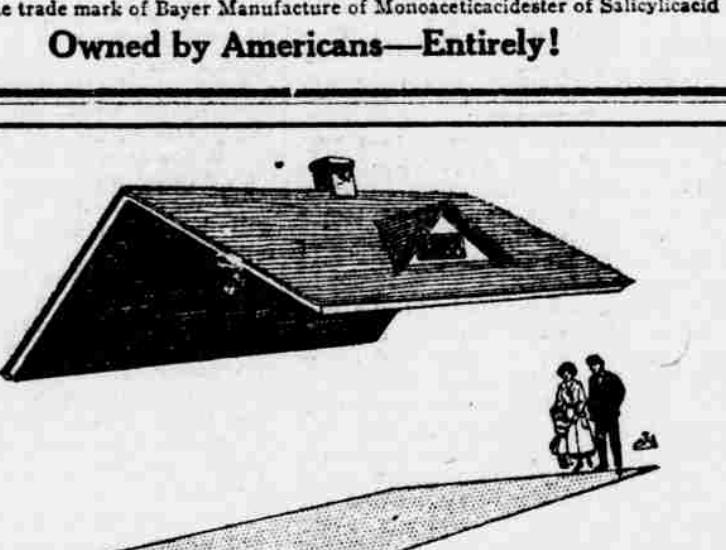
PAIN'S MASTER

"Out of Torment and Misery to Comfort"

For Headache	Lame Back	Colds
Neuralgia	Lumbago	Gripe
Toothache	Joint Pains	Influenza Colds
Achy Gums	Sciatica	Stiff Neck
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Adults—Take one or two "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" with water. If necessary, repeat dose three times a day, after meals.

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Is Your Home Just a "roof over your head?"

TO lots of folks, "home" is merely the place where they "hang their hat." It is a dull, uninteresting sort of place where they go to eat and sleep! And many parents as well as young couples make the mistake of trying to "live" in houses without any of the real comforts of home.

It was to help these very people that the credit system of buying furniture was first inaugurated. Most young couples marry without the means to furnish their entire homes at once. Many of them are unfamiliar with the modern credit system that enables them to furnish their entire homes upon the payment of a small sum down and the balance on easy terms. Hence this series of editorials. If you want to make "home" mean something to yourselves and your children, make it comfortable and attractive. Good furniture will be of great assistance.

REED'S

GATE GUARD AT THE INTER-STATE SAYS; "SUDDENLY MY NERVES GAVE OUT AND I COULD HARDLY WALK; PEPGEN AIDED ME"

Scores Now Possess Strength, Vigor and Energy they Had Thought Lost Forever.

A NON-SECRET TONIC

In all parts of Muncie as well as Richmond and throughout the state of Indiana people praise Pepgen today because Pepgen has given them better health, more strength, more vigor and ambition to work and win. Merely existing—breathing, eating, sleeping, working and dragging about from one spot to another without any real interest—is not living. To live means to be thoroughly alive in every way—to hope happily and confidently and to have faith in one's fellow men and one's self, to have a purpose and to work constantly with joy to accomplish that purpose.

People without health cannot be thoroughly alive. A part of them is not alive, it may be energy that has passed away, it may be ambition that is dead, it may be hope that is asleep. It may be that health itself, which comes from energy, strength and hope, is stupefied. Such people to become thoroughly alive must coax back health and keep it.

Pepgen has helped hundreds of people to coax back health which they had thought lost to them forever, to coax back energy, strength and hope that is found only in people bubbling over with health.



R. L. MORROW.

Pepgen has won the public endorsement and the public confidence, first because it brought desired relief, second, because it is non-secret and therefore shows that no habit-forming ingredients are used in its making, and, third, because it contains no alcohol, a stimulant which often gives but temporary benefit while the effects derived from Pepgen are justly claimed to be more lasting.

The story of R. L. Morrow, gate guard at the Inter-State, who lives at 912 South Grant street, Muncie, is an example of what others are telling. Mr. Morrow says: "I had not been feeling just right for several months.

A Hundred Tongues Too Feeble to Express Gratitude of Many Muncie People.

NO ALCOHOL IS USED

"My stomach annoyed me a great deal. My food would sour and hot, bitter fluids would come up into my throat and mouth. After eating I felt uncomfortable as if a heavy load was in my stomach. My back ached until at times I thought I could scarcely stand it. It just took all of the life out of me, so to speak.

"On a Sunday afternoon, not long ago, I thought I would take a little walk. I believed the exercise might do me good. I got several blocks away from my home when my nerves seemed to give entirely out. I got so dizzy that I grabbed hold of a gate to keep from falling. A man came from the house and helped me inside. He gave me a dose of Pepgen. That seemed to fix me right up. I felt better in a little while and soon started for my home.

"The next day I got a bottle of Pepgen and have been taking it steadily. I feel a whole world better than I did. I do not have any more of those dizzy spells. My stomach is in fine condition. I eat whatever I want and feel stronger in every way."

If you are likewise troubled, try Pepgen. It may be obtained at the Thistlethwaite Drug Stores in Richmond or from any first-class druggist anywhere.

TERRE HAUTE MAN IS ENTHUSIASTIC

Wife Tells How Husband Suffered and Was Relieved.

The personal experience of Walter Luther, miner, 1727 North Fourth St., Terre Haute, with Pepgen, is the reflection of hundreds of people in that city who are equally as well pleased as the people of Muncie and Richmond.



WALTER LUTHER

The rapid manner in which Pepgen relieved my husband is little short of marvelous, declares Mr. Luther's wife, who relates the following story:

"My husband suffered with severe pains in his back. I don't think it was a case of rheumatism, but his kidneys were out of order and that seemed to upset his entire system. He complained that his food did not agree with him and that he frequently was annoyed with sour stomach, heartburn and indigestion. There were a great many foods that he didn't dare touch. If he did he was sure to have misery. Through the failure of some organ the tissues break down and in cases of this kind Pepgen has been found an ideal tonic and invigorator.

It has an excellent effect upon digestion and herein lies one of its greatest virtues. With the digestive tract in perfect order the other organs are not apt to shirk their duty. Pepgen is of value in dizziness, indigestion, dyspepsia, backache, blurred vision from sluggish liver, constipation and other ailments which come from deranged stomach, kidneys and liver.

"Before I took Pepgen I suffered a great deal with my stomach. I could eat only certain foods," says Earl Williams, city fireman, hose house No. 4, who lives at 1214 South E street, Richmond, suffered just as badly perhaps, with stomach trouble as you do. He took Pepgen. The result is best told in his own words:

"For several months I suffered with dyspepsia," says Mr. Williams. "After meals my stomach would growl and rumble. This of course, was because my food soured and fermented and then turned to gas.

"I noticed Pepgen being advertised here in the newspapers. I decided to give it a trial. I went to Thistlethwaite's drug store and obtained a bottle. It gave me wonderful relief. I can eat my meals in comfort now. I do not have to suffer afterwards. I am glad to recommend Pepgen."

20TH ST. WOMAN IS RELIEVED OF BURNING FEELING

Food Soured and Irritated Membranes of Mrs. Parry's Stomach.

"Before I took Pepgen I suffered a great deal with my stomach. I could eat only certain foods," says Mrs. George Parry, 419 North Twentieth street, Richmond. "If I ate anything rich or greasy I was sure to have an attack of indigestion. The food soured in my stomach, turned to acid and irritated the membranes of my stomach. This caused a burning feeling.

"I have taken a great many medicines but I must say that Pepgen helped me more than anything I ever took."

If a piece of meat is laid in a cold, dry pot it gives off no strength. But if water is poured upon it and fire is built under it the strength and nutrition are given off into the boiling water and a fattening broth is made. The water and heat have made the nutritiveness of the meat into a form that can be used.

If foods are taken into the stomach and no digestive juices are applied to them they are like the piece of meat in the cold, dry pot. They give off no strength—they lie there without nourishing the body. They turn to acid and irritate the stomach.

Pepgen is delicately adapted to stomach needs. It stimulates the flow of the digestive juices which prepare the food so that it may be assimilated, absorbed into the blood and distributed as strength and vitality in the system.

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Taking Pepgen is a reasonable way of building health because it assists Nature to turn food into blood, bone and muscle.

EVERY JOINT HAD PAIN! SAYS ALLEN

"I had a bad attack of rheumatism when I started taking Pepgen," says C. H. Allen, 1605 Kirby avenue, Muncie, who is employed at the Muncie Wheel Works. "The pains were severe and felt miserable all over.

"My appetite was poor and I was nervous, too. I got up in the mornings tired and draggy, with aches and pains running through every joint. I have taken Pepgen for a short time only and already I am much better. I have great confidence in Pepgen and do not hesitate to recommend it to my friends."

MAKE YOUR TIRED, ACHING FEET FEEL EASY WITH A MUSTARD BATH: DRIVES SORENESS OUT

Rightly used, there is nothing better for tired aching feet than ordinary mustard. Everybody knows the old fashioned mustard plaster was a good thing to relieve pain, but it blistered. The mustard should be used in the form of a liniment to get best results. Mustard liniments penetrate without much rubbing and impart a pleasant, soothng warmth to the skin without blistering.

A good liniment is made of mustard, red pepper, sassafras, menthol and ammonia. Apply it to the feet upon retiring and the soreness will be gone in the morning. It may also be used as a foot bath. Take about three quarts