



### Cooking by Gas.

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#### GLENCOE.

Mrs. R. Gordon Wimberly and Miss Grace Thompson, of New Orleans were guests at Dr. A. A. Flanders last week.

Mr. Arthur H. Day and family left Monday for Paw Paw, Michigan.

Miss Katherine Thompson returned Saturday from a month's visit in Toronto, Canada.

Miss Bessie Park returned last week from Oshkosh, Wis.

Mrs. Brooks and son John of Des Moines, Iowa were guests at the manse last week.

Dr. M. W. Darling conducted the services at Gads Hill settlement camp Sunday afternoon. Misses Blanche Hurford and Helen Winslow played several selections on the violin to the enjoyment of all.

Mrs. Wightman, of Minneapolis is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Colman Martin.

Miss Laura Miller left Monday for Dowagiac, Michigan.

Miss Helen Clementi was a guest at J. L. Day's last week.

Miss Helen Dewar, of Edgewater, was the guest of Miss Winslow this week.

Mr. J. K. Calhoun returned from the East Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mould and daughter, of Sioux City, Iowa, were guests at the Manse the first of the week.

Miss Elizabeth Ellis attended the Christian Endeavor convention at Cincinnati last week.

Mrs. Moses Smith and Miss Lelia White were guests at Mrs. Schar's Wednesday.

Mr. Frank Hankey's barn was struck by lightning Wednesday night and burned. One horse was rescued. One horse, cow, carriages, etc. were burned.

Mesdames J. Schnur and E. Becken entertained some 150 guests at a garden party Wednesday afternoon at Mrs. Schnur's. Misses Murdow, Saunder and Bessie Day served frappe.

The ordinance in regard to the use of bicycles on the sidewalks is to be enforced. Notices are posted in prominent places. Any one caught riding on the sidewalk will be taken before a magistrate and fined. In the absence of such an officer the offender will be lodged in the lock-up until such an officer can be found.

#### A Point Worth Considering.

A close observer has well said that "birds have different tastes from men; as a rule they prefer bitter, sour or insipid fruit. We should never destroy such species as the wild cherry, wild grape, elder, blackberry, juneberry, mulberry, dogwood, Virginia creeper, buckthorn, sumach, bittersweet and others. By encouraging such plants we are approaching a solution of the problem, that will preserve for our own benefit both the cultivated fruit and the birds." This is a point that we think many people have overlooked. Where birds are most destructive is in localities where no food exists other than that growing in the farmer's garden.

#### Why Pulverization Pays.

The chief supply of drink to growing plants is moisture brought up from below by capillary action, and therein consists the necessity of pulverizing the soil thoroughly before planting, and continuous surface cultivation afterward. Weeds are sometimes counted as a blessing because their presence compels the farmer to continue really necessary cultivation, which he might otherwise feel justified in omitting to the detriment of the crop.—Midland Farmer.

#### The Selection of Plants.

Select plants for all plantations, whether of strawberries, raspberry or other small fruits. Needless choosing of plants from old beds or plantations is the easiest way, but it has proved the most profitless way. In every line of plant propagation this is now recognized that selection is the principal factor in plant improvement. If a man cannot afford the time to make proper selections himself, it will pay him to buy of men that make a business of doing that kind of thing.—Farmers' Review.

#### MAKING A HEDGE FENCE.

Starting It Is Not So Very Hard, But to Keep It Up Requires Much Care and Labor.

First make the soil in the hedge. Now fine and mellow to a good depth. A foot deep under the plants. It is preferred to have the plants set on a slight ridge, four to six inches above the general level. Good one-year-old plants are generally preferred to older ones. These should be root-pruned to about 10 or 12 inches in length of root, and the top cut back to about the same length. Then with a bright spade open a space large enough to take in the plant, placing the plant slanting with the row, at an angle of about 45 degrees. This will induce two or more shoots to start from each plant, insuring a thick base. The plants should be set about one foot apart in the row. After being well cultivated the first season, any that have failed to grow should be replaced with good, strong plants the following spring. In June of the second year the young hedge should be cut back to about two feet high. A year later cut it to three or 3½ feet, and the following June to 4½ feet, at which height it should be kept permanently. With a sharp corn knife, or piece of a scythe, the needed clippings quickly done. Sometimes two clippings a year are needed.—Troy (N. Y.) Times.

#### The Good Roads Agitation.

Good roads are admittedly for the benefit of the section in which they are located. In fact, it is not too strong a statement to say that permanent good roads are for the permanent good of the communities through which they pass. How long, then, will it be before good roads become the rule instead of the exception. Will there ever be an end to the miserable patchwork repair business that ruins horses, smashes bicycles and wagons and lames the drivers who walk by the side of their teams, as well as the people who, having no teams, are still compelled to walk mile after mile in carrying their products to market? The L. A. W. has still a large field before it in the education of the masses and the state legislators.

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