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WHEN EGGS GET OLD.

Advanced Age Means Much to Them, No Doubt.

When does an egg cease to be an egg—that is a thoroughly quiet and desirable egg? This question seems to be handled with skill by a gentleman in England. His observations will interest Canadians for they have long been students of the evolutionary process of eggs. Mr. Edward Brown, secretary of the National Poultry Organization, was recently talking to a representative of The London Daily News.

"The value of an egg is determined by its age," he continued. "That may be said of be of the nature of an axiom." The enunciation of the great truth which lies at the root of the egg industry has been rendered necessary by the proposal to introduce legislation for the stamping of foreign eggs.

"English eggs do not need protection of this kind," continued Mr. Brown. "The demand is enormously in excess of the supply, and the wholesale price for the best quality has advanced by nearly thirty-six cents per great hundred during the last three or four years. "But if the demand for first-class eggs is to be maintained we must have a large supply of second-class eggs.

"A poor man buys some cheap eggs. He doesn't like them very much, but he buys more because they are cheap and nourishing. He gets the taste for eggs. He buys better eggs to satisfy his better taste, and finally he won't put up with anything less dainty than 'finest new laid.'"

Besides the human nature argument on these lines, Mr. Brown has a whole armory of technical facts to oppose to the suggested legislation. One of the most striking is that the less said—or stamped—about certain English eggs the better. They rub shells in the grocer's shop with that abhorred thing, an egg without an adjective.

"Large quantities of British eggs are three weeks old before they are marketed, owing to bad and out-of-date methods," said the expert. "They cannot possibly compete with French eggs, and are a good deal worse than some Italians and Austrians. Then why brand them as English and thus ruin the reputation of the English egg?"

A further argument is that Australian eggs would have to be marked "Australia," i. e., as being some seven weeks old. The British public would flatly refuse to consume them. Yet by means of careful selection and the most modern method of refrigeration Australian eggs can be placed on the English market in excellent condition.

"In a lesser degree the same argument would apply to the products of our other colonies."

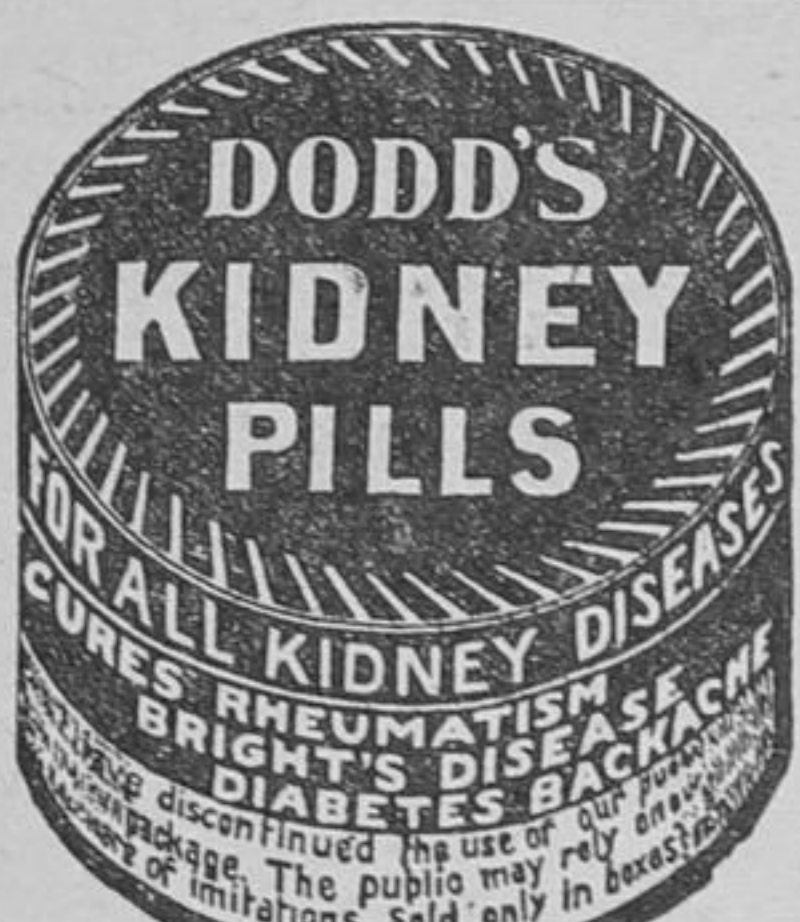
Cholera and all summer complaints are so quick in their action that the cold hand of death is upon the victims before they are aware that danger is near. If attacked do not delay in getting the proper medicine. Try a dose of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial, and you will get immediate relief. It acts with wonderful rapidity and never fails to effect a cure.

Success is nothing but the ability to get to a certain place before the other fellow does.

If your children are troubled with worms, give them Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator; safe, sure and effective. Try it, and mark the improvement in your child.

Of the 2,768,243 acres of woodlands in the United Kingdom, England's share is 1,715,473, and is increasing at the rate of about 4,000 acres a year. This is a good thing, as a timber famine is said to be rapidly approaching.

The number of British horses bred is falling off at the rate of nearly four thousand a year.



GREATEST SHIP IN WORLD

THE LUSITANIA IS A PALACE OF LUXURY.

Monster Cunarder Now Being Completed on the Clyde Beats all Others.

Four immense funnels, two tall masts, and a great dark hull alive inside and out with men is all that the public has been allowed to see of the great new Cunarder Lusitania, now receiving the finishing touches in the tidal basin at Messrs. John Brown and Company's shipyard on the Clyde.

Astonishing secrecy is being maintained in Glasgow and on the Clyde about the interior arrangements of this wonderful boat. The secrecy is ascribed in part to the fear lest rival companies should learn too much, and also to the fact that on the stocks near her lies the new turbine cruiser, the Inflexible.

The new liner is a record-breaker in many respects. She is the largest, longest, broadest, and fastest passenger vessel afloat. She was built specially to win the Atlantic record back from Germany. During her passage down the Clyde the river will be closed to navigation. In order to accommodate her, the approach to the Liverpool landing stage will have to be deepened.

She has a length of 785 feet, gross tonnage 32,500, speed 25 knots. The Baltic is 726 feet long, the Kaiser Wilhelm II. 684 feet. The Great Eastern was 680 feet, so it is easily seen that she has lots to spare over her rivals in size.

In addition to the anxiety about getting the Lusitania to the sea, the builders and engineers are faced with a problem of great importance in connection with her propulsion. Recent experiences with turbine-propelled boats have led to the belief that the strain upon the four propellers of the Lusitania will prove a very serious matter when this ship, with its gross tonnage of 32,500, is forced at twenty-five knots an hour through the water. The action of the turbines will tend to keep this huge bulk down in the water, thus preventing pitching, but putting at the same time an immense stress on the propellers. To safeguard against mishap to the latter is now the problem worrying the engineers. They hope to overcome it by altering the pitch of the propellers before the ship goes on her trials.

For the first-class passengers nothing will be spared. Each gets 50 per cent. more room than in the older boats. They can choose between dining a la carte in a lovely white and gold Empire salon or table d'hôte in a staid mahogany dining room. The fireplaces will, except in bad weather, be quite open and cheerful hearths. The windows will be shaped and curtained as in a private house. Lifts will take the passengers from one deck to another.

The passenger will not even be asked to take a lift. He can call up "Central" on the telephone and be switched on to the purser or the barber, the wine merchant or the newspaper shop.

For the millionaires the staterooms are to be as beautiful as the skill of the first decorators in the world can make them. In the regal rooms, as they are to be called, there will be two bedrooms, a dining room, reception room and bathroom, just such a suite as would be found at Claridge's. The rooms are all 10 1/2 feet high and furnished in hand fashion. The bedsteads are of brass, without a suggestion of the bunk about them. The brocade settles under the windows might be window seats in Park lane. The walls are hung with delicate papers, and the dressing tables are in Sheraton style.

All washing arrangements in the thirty-six staterooms on the Lusitania are concealed in small dressing rooms, opening out of the bedrooms. Every electrical device will be found in these rooms tending to comfort. Even the sheets will be warmed with electric bed-warmers. The bathrooms will include Turkish and vapor baths, needle baths, and several kinds of medicated baths. There will be a nursery for children and a gymnasium for athletes. The lounge will be lined with satinwood.

Afloat she will show lights from 1,200 windows. At least 5,000 electric lamps will light her rooms and corridors. Her population will number 3,150, of whom 800 will compose the crew. She will have accommodation for 550 first-class passengers, 500 second-class, and 1,300 third-class.

WHY WILLIE WENT.

The following excuses were recently brought by two pupils:—

"Dear Teacher,—Kindly excuse John's absence from school yesterday afternoon, as he fell in the mud. By doing the same you will greatly oblige his mother."

The other read: "Dear Teacher,—Please excuse Willie's absence last Friday, as he had to go to the hospital after his sore nose."

When a man succeeds at anything his wife is pretty certain to take the credit for it.

Twenty-four tons of steam-driven vessels are built for each ton of sail-driven craft.

About being carried away with enthusiasm, the worst feature is that we nearly always have to walk back.

It's useless to try to establish universal peace as long as people will get married.

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The Jews were banished from England in 1290, and not recalled until the time of Oliver Cromwell.

Scratching is foolish; it only makes a bad matter worse. Weaver's Gorate allays the pain, cleans the skin of eruptions and other sores; Why not buy a bottle to-day?

When a man is compelled to eat his words he finds it difficult to swallow his indignation.

Biliousness Burdens Life.—The bilious man is never a companionable man because his ailment renders him morose and gloomy. The complaint is not so dangerous as it is disagreeable. Yet no one need suffer from it who can procure Parnelee's Vegetable Pills. By regulating the liver and obviating the effects of bile in the stomach they restore men to cheerfulness and full vigor of action.

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SEVEN STYLES OF DINNER.

Englishman Won a Bet About Typical National Dinners.

A rather curious bet between an Englishman and an American has just been made public. It was won last week by the former. The Englishman made a wager that he would give in London seven dinners typical of seven different countries on as many nights.

The continuous feed began with a real English meal, with turtle soup, meat roasted before a fire and good English cheese. On the next night a French dinner in true Parisian style was given, and this was followed by a German repast, with kalbsbraten and Kaiserschmorrten.

Then an Italian dinner was given, with minestrone, fritto misto and macaroni. A Russian dinner preceded by a zabouska and followed by sturgeon took place on the next night, and then a real old-fashioned American dinner of okra soup, Maryland chicken, stuffed peppers and sweet corn. Finally as a wind-up of the week of "fine confused feeding," an Indian dinner was partaken of with shirwa, several curries and mithaw.

Both men survived the ordeal, and the American gladly paid up for what he called an "experience."

'Tis Well to Know a Good Thing, said Mrs. Surface to Mrs. Knowwell, when they met in the street. "Why, where have you been for a week back?" "Oh, just down to the store for a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil," and Mrs. Surface, who hates puns, walked on. But she remembered, and when she contracted a weak back there was another customer for Electric Oil.

"Why is it called pin-money?" "Because it goes where pins go." "Where is that?" "Nobody knows."

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