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COUNTY FARM ADVISORS.

The Board of Curators of the University of Missouri on December 14th appointed Mr. D. H. Doane state farm management leader for Missouri.

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THOUGHT FOR NEW YEARS. Which kind do you like better? Two boys went to gather grapes. One was happy because they found grapes. The other was unhappy because the grapes had seeds in them.

Two boys examined a bush. One observed that it had a thorn; the other, that it had a rose. Two children were looking through colored glasses. One said: "The world is blue," and the other said: "It is bright."

Two boys, having a bee, one got honey, the other got stung. The first called it a honey bee; the other, a stinging bee. "I am glad that I live," says one man. "I am sorry that I must die," says another.

ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS. The secretary of agriculture in his annual report estimates that 60 per cent of all meat slaughtered is subject to federal inspection.



Daddy's Bedtime Story

The Boys Were Very Fond of Books.

AS daddy gathered Jack and Evelyn into his arms he said: "Tonight I am going to tell you about the brothers Grimm, who wrote some of the most delightful fairy stories ever known."

"The elder brother was named Jacob Ludwig, and the other, who was a year younger, was called Wilhelm Carl. Their father was a poor official, and when they were born he had a position in Hanau, a town in the western part of Germany, on the river Main, near the famous city of Frankfurt."

"When the elder of the two little boys was just eleven years old their father died, and they became quite poor, but they were so clever and such amiable lads that every one was glad to help them get the education they were so anxious to have. They were very fond of books, and their delight in hearing a good story was quite as great as yours, my children."

"Not only were the boys fond of books, but they were fond of nature. Wilhelm, the younger of the two, was a gentle lad, but he was not very strong. The long walks that the two boys took in the country for their health taught them to know and love the wild birds, the pretty flowers and the tall trees. Sometimes when they were tired they would sit down to rest on the bench at the door of some poor forest woodcutter or charcoal burner. If there was an old man or old woman living there they would ask for a story. The two boys in this way picked up a wonderful store of old German tales."

"When the boys were through college both of them became teachers. So fond were they of one another that they could not bear to be apart. They shared the same room, the same books, and the money that they made they used in common."

"All their lives they were interested in studying the reason of things. They studied the German language to find out where its words came from and why people used them as they did. They wrote learned books about this and many other subjects."

"Jacob married, and Wilhelm came to live with him, and one day as they talked the idea came to them to write up the old fairy tales which they had picked up as so many a humble fireside and cottage door. They wrote them together, as they did everything, and the books were published between the years 1812 and 1815. To each tale the learned brothers put a little note explaining it for the benefit of wise men. But the little children got hold of the books and loved them and made them their own. The Grimm brothers became famous, and to this day they are better known for their delightful fairy stories than for the wise books which they wrote for grown folks. 'Hansel and Gretel,' 'The Sleeping Beauty,' 'The Goose Girl' and many other favorites of the children are among the Grimm brothers' famous stories."

gations during the year show that inspection of dairy manufacturers is very desirable. They showed 51 per cent of the 5,134 lots of cream inspected were dirty, decomposed, or sour, and that 94.5 per cent of the creameries visited were unsanitary to a greater or less degree.

By growing improved crops and those adapted to the region. By increasing soil fertility. By intelligent application of scientific principles in feeding.

Next comes intelligent feeding through combinations of material to get the best result. Corn, by itself, produces a gain of 10 pounds of pork to the bushel, but combined with skimmed milk will give nearer 20 pounds. Every farmer, the professor says, will be confronted with problems in working out this scheme and he should at once write to the federal or state experiment stations for advice, which will be given him free.

Program for Development Association Meeting Almost Complete. Newton, Kan., Dec. 31.—G. J. Hinshaw, field secretary of the Kansas Development association, has the program for the quarterly meeting, to be held in Newton January 7 and 8, practically complete.

STOCKS OF PROVISIONS.

The following shows the stocks of provisions in South St. Joseph at close of business Dec. 31, 1912, as officially reported to The Stock Yards Daily Journal:

Table with columns for Dec. 31 1912, Nov. 30 1912, Dec. 31 1911, Dec. 31 1910. Rows include Mess pork (new) made since Oct. 1, 1911, lard, tallow, etc.

LIVE HOGS. Received, Shipped, Driven out, Average weight, lbs.

Live Stock Receipts.

The following shows the receipts of live stock by month at the South St. Joseph Stock Yards for the years 1905, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911 and 1912.

CATTLE. Months 1905, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912. Inc. over 1911, Dec. from 1911.

HOGS. Months 1905, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912. Inc. over 1911, Dec. from 1911.

SHEEP. Months 1905, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912. Inc. over 1911, Dec. from 1911.

HORSES AND MULES. Months 1905, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912. Inc. over 1911, Dec. from 1911.

PRAYER OF MODERN WOMEN

Inez Haynes Gillmore Gives It a New Expression That Makes Food for Thought. "Lord, we have come out of the dark and into the light and the calm of the past into the dazzle and the noise and the hurry of the present."

Telephone Three Miles in Air. A telephone exchange three miles in the air. This station, said to be the highest in the world, is in the meteorological observatory on the peak of Mont Rosa in the Pennine Alps, 15,450 feet above sea level.

Help us to give back to the children who toil all the tender love and all the fairy lore of their lost childhood; its green fields and sweet waters, its bright flowers and blue skies, its soft winds and warm sunshine, its golden sands and changing seas.

SEEMS A POOR OCCUPATION Demand for Female "Kennel-Maids" Said to Be the Latest in the Old Country.

Mark Twain in Bitter Mood. If you pick up a dog out of the street and feed him and care for him, he will not bite you. This is the principal difference between a dog and a man.—Mark Twain.

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500 HEAD OF HORSES 500 Consisting of Heavy Draft Horses and Mares, Farm Chunks and Wagon Horses and nice Southern Mares.

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If you are wanting anything in the way of horses and mules for spring and summer work, farmers will find an excellent assortment from which to choose and will also find they can purchase at as good, if not better, advantage here than at any other market.

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The big western event of the year. The National Western Stock Show is recognized as one of the great stock shows of the country. The earload exhibition of choice feeder cattle is the greatest in the world.

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