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REFRIGERATION MAKES TRADE.

Refrigeration is what makes the fresh meat trade possible and the fact has been well illustrated in the market this week, says the Omaha Journal Stockman.

MEAT PACKING PLANTS.

Census figures on the number and increase of meat packing establishments throughout the country are particularly pertinent at this time.



Daddy's Bedtime Story

How an Artist Rebuked the Conceited Cobbler

"SAY, daddy," began Jack, "I can't see what baseball has to do with shoemaking, can you?" "Not I," replied daddy.

SEED TIME AND HARVEST.

Secretary Wilson to Furnish Data on Seeding and Harvesting Time.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—The Secretary of Agriculture has directed an investigation to be made concerning the dates of sowing and harvesting in a series of bulletins.

IN WOMAN'S REALM

PUDDING RECIPES.

Queen of Puddings.—One quart of milk, one pint of grated bread crumbs, one cup of sugar, yolks of four eggs, beaten, the grated rind of one small orange, piece of butter half the size of an egg, bake until done but not watery, beat the whites of the eggs stiff, then beat in four or five table-spoons of sugar, spread lightly over the top and brown slightly.

IF BOYS CAN DO IT.

Live farm boys under eighteen years of age, in Will county, Illinois, made records of over one hundred bushels of corn per acre the past year.

THE FARMER'S EDUCATION.

"Too many farmers in Ohio are trusting to luck and Providence for their crops this year," said Dr. W. O. Thompson, president of the Ohio state university, in a recent address before the students of the winter course in agriculture.

AN IMPORTANT FACTOR

COMMISSION SYSTEM OF SELLING LIVE STOCK HAS IMPROVED MARKET METHODS.

EVOLVED OUT OF CHAOS

Enables Shippers to Get Market Values, Quick and Early Returns in Spot Cash.

The question of getting live stock to market is one that is very closely associated with the much discussed problem of the cost of living.

Modern methods have made the market for cattle a comparatively simple operation. The feeder or shipper places his cattle on the cars at his home station, consigns them to his commission merchant and goes on his way.

It took years and it took brains to develop the present system of marketing cattle and whatever may be its defects and shortcomings, it is so great an improvement over the methods in vogue half a century ago that there is really no comparison.

With the arrival of the big packing houses located at convenient centers for securing live stock and distributing it to the various markets, a demand for the live stock commission man at these centers whose duty it should be to keep himself posted on supply and demand and market conditions generally so that the shipper of live stock could be assured of a fair and equitable price for his stock.

Men who were on the market only once a week or once a month, and who were kept posted as to prices. They would be at the mercy of the buyers whether they accompanied their stock to market or not. It was to meet this condition, this natural demand, that the live stock commission merchant became a factor in the trade.

There are many who do not understand and hence cannot appreciate the important part the commission merchant plays in the marketing of live stock. If such people could only have seen how the business of buying and selling live stock has been done in the days of commission merchants and live stock exchanges they would know that the business could not now be conducted without them.

It all simmers down to this. In this fast-moving business activities of the old methods will no longer do. Margins of profit in the live stock business are smaller all along the line.

ANALYZING TEXAS SOILS.

Adaptability of Alfalfa to Medina River Country to Be Determined.

San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 22.—For the purpose of analyzing the soil of the country about the Medina dam to test its adaptability for growing alfalfa, J. E. Wing of Chicago, recognized as a leading alfalfa expert in the country, has been here to obtain samples which he has taken with him to Chicago for analysis.

Officials of the Medina Irrigation company have been advised that C. W. Caldwell, one of Dr. Pearson's engineers who has had charge of the construction work on the Mexican Light & Power company's work at Necaxa, Mexico, will come to St. Antonio as superintendent of construction of the Medina dam.

To cover an hundred yards takes an expert swimmer about six times as long as a champion sprinter.

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ROYAL TO STAY IN K. C. Breeders' Show Will Be Quartered Near Kansas City Stock Yards. Announcement was made from Kansas City yesterday that arrangements have been made, whereby the American Royal Live Stock Show association will continue to hold its annual exhibitions at Kansas City.

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COOKING FOR BRAZIL GIRLS. Rio de Janeiro School Principal Entrolls Agriculture College. Columbia, Mo., Jan. 22.—Among the students enrolled for the short course in the Missouri College of Agriculture is Miss Eliza Perkinson, principal of a boarding school for girls at Petropolis, a suburb of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, Miss Perkinson will be the domestic science course and will then return to Brazil to teach cooking to the Portuguese girls in that country.

SMALL FARMS FOR MEXICANS. To Be Made From Large Tracts Purchased by the Government. Mexican Herald: The first move of the government toward buying large tracts of land for the purpose of cutting them up into small farms and inviting their settlement by Mexican agriculturists seems about to be undertaken.

TO WATER THE LAND. Mexico City, Mex., Jan. 20.—President Madero is constantly receiving delegations asking for a division of the large estates into small farms and requesting participation in a loan of \$50,000,000 pesos (\$75,000,000), which the government will make for the development of irrigation projects on a large scale.

EXCHANGE DIRECTORY. Following is a list of the commission firms and stock cattle dealers engaged in business at the St. Joseph stock yards: Commission Firms. Butler, James H., room 237-35. Byers Bros. & Co., rooms 202-204. Clay, Robinson & Co., rooms 203-203. Crider Bros. & Co., rooms 203-207. Daily, C. M. & Co., rooms 217-19. Davis & Son, rooms 206-17. Drinkard, Emmert & Co., rooms 209-15. Emmert Com. Co., rooms 302-4. Kansas City Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 229-32. Knollin Sheep Commission Co., rooms 219-25. Lee Live Stock Commission Co., rooms 219-13. Missouri Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 201-203. National Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 322-45. Nichols, Blanchard & Gilchrist, rooms 226-28. Prey Bros. & Cooper, rooms 218-22. Stewart & Co., rooms 226-25. St. Joseph Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 212-14. Shay, R. O., Commission Co., rooms 205-207. Wood Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 212-14. Officers of Exchange. The officers of the St. Joseph Live Stock Exchange are as follows: President, A. P. Daily; vice-president, W. True Davis; secretary, E. F. Erwin. The board of directors is composed of A. H. Baker, M. W. Wyatt, J. G. Adams, L. E. Cooper, M. F. Blanchard, R. G. Dugan and M. K. Stewart. Stock Cattle Brokers. Atkins, J. V. & Co., room 201. Adcock, George, room 202. Baker, Joseph, & Son, room 219. Baker, James, room 216. Dawson & Reynolds, room 201. Gillette, M. H., room 218. Maxwell, Spayde & Co., rooms 206-8. Morlock, W. H., rooms 214-36. Milby, John, room 219. Roundtree, W. R., room 216. Roundwood, Geo., room 218. Timmerman, W. O. Stock, James. Wright, Perry. Sheep Dealers. Lyon, J. E., room 219. Order Buyers. Morlock, W. H., rooms 224-34. Maxwell, Spayde & Co., rooms 206-8. The Metropolitan Water Board of London supplies more than 250,000,000 gallons of water.

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RUNAWAY BABY

By Donald Allen

"My, but I'm glad to see you!" was the greeting received by Miss Ruby Shaw as she entered the apartments of her former schoolmate, now Mrs. Wendover, on that Wednesday morning. "But you are going out," was the reply. "For an hour, and I want you to take baby over to the park in her cart. You can take a book along and she'll sleep like a bug and not give you a minute's trouble. You can play the handsome nurse girl!"



"Hully gee—a kid!"

begin to move away. They take care to make no noise, and in a minute they are out of sight. If baby is awake, he may yell and give the alarm, but if he is asleep away he goes. Miss Ruby's blinks and winks and nods resulted in sleep. The man with the paper saw that she slept and smiled to himself. Then he saw that the go-cart had disappeared, and he uttered an exclamation of alarm, and it was his footsteps that awoke the girl. She could not have been made to believe that she had slept. "Didn't you have a go-cart here with a baby in it?" questioned the man. "Mercy, yes!" was the reply. "Where—where—?" "I can't tell you. There's been no body along. The cart must have rolled away by itself." "But baby—baby! She's been kidnapped!" "I think not. I think we'll find her all safe around the turn in the path."

PAPER BAG COOKING

Great System Perfected by M. Soyer, Famous London Chef.

TO GO WITH THE TURKEY.

By Martha McCulloch Williams. I will now explain how the remaining dishes of the anniversary day menu (cranberry sauce excepted) may be prepared by the paper bag method. The recipes given have all been found by actual experiment to be highly satisfactory in every respect. Sweet Potatoes in Syrup.—Choose smooth, even potatoes of medium size, boil twenty minutes, drop in cold water, peel, dip in melted butter, roll in sugar, put into a buttered bag, with sugar, butter and lemon juice enough to make a fairly rich syrup. Seal bag, and cook for twelve minutes in a fairly hot oven. Pour the syrup from the bag around them into a hot dish. Spanish Onions.—Parboil for fifteen minutes Spanish or Bermuda onions, chill them in cold water, then cut a V out of the hearts. Fill the space with butter, after darning it well with salt and pepper, put the onions in a bag with a lump of butter and a very little water, seal and cook twenty minutes in a hot oven, or thirty minutes in a very moderate one. Baked Peas.—Ripe, well-flavored peas are best for baking, but the ordinary cooking peas will answer if baked with sugar, lemon juice and spices. Peel the peas, cut off the stems and take out the core, but only a little way beyond the blossom end. Stick a clove, a shred of mace or bit of cinnamon in the core-space, fill in around it with sugar and roll the fruit in dry sugar before putting it in a buttered bag. Put in half a gill of water also to the half dozen, seal bag, and cook at slow heat fifty minutes to an hour. Creamed Sauté.—Boil tender, drop into cold water, peel and cut in two-inch length strips, steep in a dressing of butter and cream, lightly seasoned with pepper and salt. Put in well-greased bag, seal and leave in the oven a few minutes only. Smothered Chicken.—Have a good-sized broiler cut into joints, taking care not to leave sharp bones to the joints. Salt and pepper them lightly, dredge with flour and lay in a well-greased bag upon thin slices of bacon. Cover with more bacon slices, taking care to keep the chicken spread rather flat. Add a teaspoonful of water, or a couple of peeled and sliced tomatoes. Shreds of green pepper add somewhat of flavor to the tomatoes. Seal in bag and cook for forty minutes, slacking heat almost half after the first five minutes. Make a peep-hole in the upper side of the bag near the middle, and if the bacon and chicken are not as brown as you like, cook five to ten minutes longer. Serve on a hot dish with gravy from the bag. Good pies demand good crust—shorter than any temper, easier broken than promises. Make it by M. Soyer's recipe, then surely it will be up to grade. Here is the recipe: Take one pound of flour, three-quarters of a pound of butter. Leave this dough for half an hour, then flatten with your hand and lay your butter on the top of the paste. Then fold four-corner way, and give it two rolls, as usual. Leave your paste in a cool place for forty-five minutes, and then roll twice more. Leave it for forty-five minutes and then roll twice again. Bake all your pies in bags; it may seem extravagant, but the gas-saving more than pays for the bags. Use thin pie tins. Roll out and fill as usual. Set pans inside bags and set the bags in trays. Cook two pies at once, but shift them midway the cooking, from upper to lower shelf, and vice versa. Thus they will brown top and bottom. Grease the bags but lightly underneath; even though they crisp there it does no harm. The essential thing is to keep the upper surface covered and maintain steady heat. Have the oven hot at first, but slack heat after a little—as soon as the bag corners show rather brown. Average pies, with average heat, require twenty-five to thirty minutes. Make peep-holes on top in the bags when you think they are done; if not brown enough, raise the heat a wee bit and cook five minutes longer. To make the elder-cup, cut thinly the yellow peel from six oranges and six lemons, squeeze out the juice and put in with the peel and three cups of sugar. Make a gallon of sweet elder very hot, but do not let it boil, pour it upon the peels and juice, and let stand in a cold place for twenty-four hours, stirring it several times. The peel can be strained out, but it looks rather pretty in glasses. For tea lemonade, take the juice of a dozen well-washed lemons and three sweet oranges, cut the squeezed fruit in rings, and add it to the juice. Put in five cups of sugar and strain over the whole a gallon and a quarter of weak tea, boiling hot, then add a cupful of rum. This also is better for standing—it keeps several days in a cool place. The rum can be omitted if there are scruples regarding it. In that case the strained juice of a pineapple that has been shredded and allowed to stand twenty-four hours in sugar can take its place. Dilute this one-fourth with mineral water in the glasses. (Copyright, 1911, by the Associated Literary Press.)

OUR SWIFT LEGAL JUSTICE

Witness Fancied He Knew Mr. Brown, but He Was Undeceived by Opposing Counsel. "You say you know Mr. Brown?" "Yes, sir." "You will swear to that?" "Yes, sir." "You mean that you are acquainted with Mr. Brown?" "That's what I mean. I am—" "Stop. You don't know him—you are merely acquainted with him. You don't mean to tell the court, then, that you know all about Mr. Brown and everything he ever did?" "Of course not. I suppose—" "Never mind what you suppose. Don't get mixed up—you are under oath. So you don't know everything Brown ever did?" "No, sir." "That is to say, you aren't so well acquainted with him as you just said you were?" "Well, I guess—" "Quit guessing. We are beginning to understand each other now. You can't swear that you know Brown." "Well, if you put it that way—" "Never mind how I put it. I ask you a plain question and you must give a plain answer. Don't try to evade—say yes or no." "No." "Aha! So, in point of fact, you don't know Brown at all?" "Why—er—no, sir." (And if anybody thinks this is burlesque stuff, we may remark that we got it from an old notebook of a former court reporter. And we copied it word for word—except that the witness' name wasn't Brown.)

WAS NO FAULT OF HIS

Pioneer Californian Explains How He Came Into Possession of Gambling House.

When I was in California in the wild and woolly '70's," said the man who is now perfectly respectable, "I was the owner of a gambling house." He allowed one minute and thirty-nine seconds for horror and the expression thereof. Then he resumed: "I assure you that it was through no desire of my own. It came about this way: "Back in those days people weren't particular in California about the company they kept, so I was thrown in with all sorts of chaps about whom I asked no questions. And one day, when I was seated in a restaurant partaking of supper, one of these casual acquaintances dashed into the place in a violent hurry and cast his eye around till it lighted on me. He rushed over to where I was seated. "Dave," he said, "lend me fifty dollars. I have to leave town—just as quick as I possibly can." "I handed him the money. He seized it and made for the door on the double-quick. On the way he turned. "You'll never see me again," he announced. "I leave you my business in payment of the debt." He mentioned his business address. "Run around there after supper and take charge," he added. With that he vanished. "Five minutes later a posse arrived, expressing a desire to lynch him. But he had made his get-away. "Finishing my supper I walked to the address my acquaintance had given me and found that it was—a gambling house."

HOW THEY CARE FOR GUESTS

Conveniences of New York Hotels Show Great Consideration Given to Comfort of Ladies. New York hotels may charge high prices for their restaurant and dining room services, but they are more than generous in some of the conveniences they furnish their women guests. Dressing rooms are equipped with the finest of soaps, the most delicate of toilet powders, ice water, abundance of hand towels of choice linen, hairpins, pins and cold cream, all for the free use of the fair. There are hand mirrors and whisk brooms galore and even hair brushes and combs, if one cares to use them. That nobody ever dreads to appear from their impeccable menages. There is always a neat maid in attendance, who will furnish needles and thread for a consideration and even help you with your hair or mend your glove if it has played you false in an hour of need. In one of the most fashionable of these hotelierly hostilities a neat device is well worthy of imitation. It is a small celluloid box or jar with a hole in the cover. The box is filled with fine, white absorbent cotton, which is accessible through the opening. This is to be used in applying powder to the face instead of the customary powder puff. The guest picks out her little piece of cotton, powders her benign countenance and then discards the scrap when she is through with it. The idea is eminently sanitary and shows what careful consideration this hotel gives to every item affecting the welfare of its guests. Above the dressing table is a card bearing the significant inscription, "The conveniences of this room are for the use of paying guests only."

Gene to Stay.

Booth Tarkington was telling stories to a group of college graduates in a New York club, when one of the party suddenly inquired: "What has become of Davis?" "He has gone out of town on business for a few days, I guess," replied another of the party. "He has gone for a long while," observed Mr. Tarkington, with a smile. "Davis is one of those men who leave unmistakable evidence of their purposes. Whenever Davis goes away to stay a long period he takes with him an old mouth organ, which he loves dearly to play while he occasionally nibbles at gingerbread. I have made an investigation of Davis' room, and have found that the mouth organ disappeared with him. The presence or absence of that instrument is enough to tell me what Davis' plans are." The party learned soon after that Davis had left for Wisconsin to reside permanently.

Growth of St. Petersburg.

That St. Petersburg is rapidly growing in population is evidenced by the census taken in December, 1910, which showed the population, including certain suburban villages formerly not covered, to be 1,907,708. It is prominently an "office town" and also a seaport for six or eight months of the year. The principal industry is the manufacture of cotton textiles, although its advantage as a port of entry for the interior is gaining recognition. A line of steamers has been established to Libau, connecting there with a trans-Atlantic line to New York. This enables American shippers to send goods direct to this port without the delays of transshipment in foreign ports.

Didn't Get Across. First Omaha Man (in surprise)—What! Back already? Why, I thought you were going to see Europe? Second Omaha Man (cheerfully)—So did I, but it seems that New York saw me first.—Puck.

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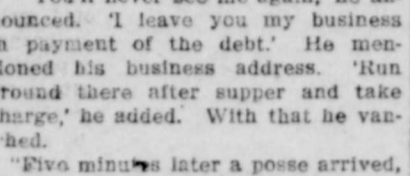
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### WEALTH IN HER WEEK-ENDS

How Widowed Society Woman Has Managed to Make Entertaining Pay Very Well.

Not long ago a charming society woman was thrown high and dry on the barren shores of reduced circumstances by the death of her husband, who left her almost penniless. This suited her not at all, so being clever she thought and planned until she hit upon a money-making scheme very near affluence. This is how she "arrived."

A year ago she leased a charming place on Long Island, hired an efficient corps of servants, a fine chef, stocked the larder with the best in the market, and then sent out cards to her friends and acquaintances that she was prepared to entertain them for a day or two or three, at so much per entertainment.

The idea caught on at once. Within a few weeks her modest menage was so overrun that those who wished to spend the time from Saturday to Monday had to make their arrangements weeks in advance.

No one without the best of reference was admitted. Mrs. Widow managed affairs admirably. Everything was up to date, and yet informally formal, so to speak.

Her season lasted from October to June, since when she has been taking things easy, with plenty of money and the owner of an automobile, hired at the beginning on a "shoeing."

She's now making arrangements for the coming season, and is already booked up to the holidays.

### SHE NEEDED THE EXERCISE

How Man Dodged Criticism for Allowing Lady of Ample Proportions to Row Him.

Allen had been visiting friends on their houseboat, moored off Edgewater, on the Jersey side. When it came time to leave Mr. and Mrs. Wilson volunteered to row Allen and Miss Wilson, sister of the husband, to a dock near the Fort Lee ferry.

Mrs. Wilson and Miss Wilson are of ample proportions, and Allen didn't like the idea of allowing his hostess to row, especially as it was rough and the tide was coming in. So he protested. "No, I must row," he said.

"Couldn't think of it," returned Mrs. Wilson smiling. "I need the exercise, you know. I don't get exercise on the houseboat." And she had taken the second pair of oars and settled herself in the seat behind her husband before Allen could bestow himself and baggage and assist Miss Wilson to a seat in the stern.

"What will those fishermen think of me, allowing a woman to row me?" he protested. "I'm going to explain it to them as we pass. I don't want to get in bad."

Sure enough as the boat passed the fishermen on the piers Allen called out: "The lady needs exercise!" And the fishermen, appreciating the situation, grinned, and by their demeanor indicated they absolved Allen from appearing to take it easy.—New York Herald.

### Why We Shake Hands.

A writer in the New York Sun has unearthed the following explanation of a common custom:

How many of us, for instance, know why friends shake hands when they meet? The Chinese are said to shake their own hands in greeting, with an air of cordial delight. Why do people of the so-called civilized nations prefer to shake each other by the hand? We are told that it is an old Roman custom, spread by the Romans throughout the countries of their dominion. Shaking hands means, "You are my friend. Believe it for the excellent reason that if you were not I should draw my sword. And how could I draw my sword with my shield upon my left arm and my right hand firmly clasped in yours?" So when we shake hands we are merely saying in the pantomime of ancient Rome: "There is peace and good will between us, for our swords are in their scabbards."

### Care of the Eyes.

If a woman has the slightest difficulty with her sight, she should lose no time in consulting an oculist. Nothing will bring undesirable crows' feet more quickly than straining the eyes, and local treatment to prevent the lines will be inefficacious if the seat of the trouble is not attended to. It is far better to wear glasses when sewing and writing than to let the whole face have a drawn and aged look.

Of course, massaging about the corners of the eyes will make a tremendous improvement in a woman's appearance, but the work will be without results unless she does it regularly every night. Also, if she is trying to smooth away crows' feet, she must remember that stroking is not to be done so severely as to loosen the skin, which would cause bagginess, but merely that friction is to stimulate circulation, nourishing the skin tissues.

### Economy of Nature.

"Nature knew what she was doing when she deprived fishes of a voice."  
"How do you make that out?"  
"What of a fish had to cackle over every egg it laid?"

### Naturally.

"Beauty doctors are superficial men."  
"Why are they?"  
"Because they always take people at their face value."

### SAVED HIS RASCALLY SON

How Mansard Came to Construct the Great Hall at Arles Without Central Pillar.

The great hall of the Hotel de Ville of Arles, France, designed by Mansard, is the wonder and admiration of every one who has seen it on account of the groined roof.

In regard to this a neighboring cafetier tells a somewhat grim story. King Louis XIV. happened to be passing through the city just at the time Mansard was superintending the completion of his creation. The roof was supported by a powerful pillar. The monarch admired the work and congratulated the architect on his design.

At that moment the architect was passing through great domestic tribulation. He had a son under sentence of death, so he thought it would be a good opportunity to intercede on behalf of the lad.

Mansard threw himself at the feet of the king and said: "Your majesty sees in the center that massive column? If you will spare the life of my son I will remove the unsightly pillar and the roof shall stand without support." "Mansard," replied the king, "if you accomplish that miracle I will pardon your son, but if you fail I will hang you with him."

The architect removed the pillar without great difficulty and with the result desired. The cafetier is a philosopher and he concludes his story with the reflection that had not Mansard's son been a scamp the hall at Arles would be just like any other hall.

### SMALL COURTESIES ARE LOST

These Things That Make Life Really Worth While Seem to Be Forgotten.

Small courtesies of life seem to be entirely lost in the rush for big things. This leaving off of the little things that go to make living worth the while is a well-known and recognized fact to women who crave those gracious attentions so easy in the giving when the thought is right.

Many men no longer consider it necessary to rise when a lady enters the room. If they proffer a chair, it is seldom done with the old-time alacrity, and a few trips on a city car will be sufficient to convince the veriest skeptic of the truth of courtesy's decadence.

Be it said in favor of man, continually on the rack regarding these omissions, that he is by no means the greatest offender. Women who entertain will tell you of scores of invitations to which they have never even received the courtesy of an acknowledgment. "R. S. V. P." at the end of a card or note means nothing to women too thoughtless or too ill-bred to take five minutes for a reply. Such treatment of a social courtesy is an offense garish enough to cause the offender's name to be struck from the social list of the hostess.

The small courtesies of woman to woman are fully as important as those from man to woman, or woman to man.

### Propagating Carp.

Isador Loewy, formerly a rabbi but in late years employed as a police court interpreter, hurried into night court in a state of perplexity.

"Does anybody here know how to feed a carp?" he asked a court attendant.

"What's a carp?" asked the attendant.  
"It's a fish," answered Loewy, "and it's fine. Three pounds it weighs. My wife she bought three carp at the market and brought them home. One was alive, and I put it in the bath tub. The other two I ate."

"I don't want that fish to die. In eight days I will eat him, but not before, and I want him to live and grow fat."

"Where are you going to keep it all this time?" was asked.

"In the bath tub, sure. Where else?" Loewy answered.—New York World.

### Coroner's Inquest Over Coins.

A short time ago 150 gold coins, dating from the period of the Roman occupation of Britain, were found in a bronze jar about one foot below the surface of the ground three miles from Hexham, England, on the site of the ancient Roman city of Corstopitum.

A coroner's inquest has been held to determine their ownership. The jury, however, was unable to agree as to whether the coins were treasure trove or not, the contention of the owner of the land being that the coins had been left on an ancient highway and abandoned during a raid by the Caledonians against the Romans. The coroner therefore agreed to keep the coins for a week to see if some arrangement could be made with the treasury as to their disposal.

### Many "Holy Lands."

Christians use the term Holy Land to designate Palestine, as being the scene of the birth, ministry and death of Christ, but, interestingly enough, other religious sects employ the same term for places sacred to them from association. Thus the Mohammedans speak of Mecca as the Holy Land, it being the birthplace of Mohammed. The Chinese Buddhists call India the Holy Land, because the founder of their religion was born there, while the Greeks bestow this same title on Elis, where was situated the temple of Olympian Zeus.

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