after six years, I am still waiting for her to marry me! I have lost my home, my loved and prosperous practice. I have been asked to reside the market of the residence of the market of to resign by my long-time asso-ciates. I am broke, and reduced to manual work to exist. Word travels fast when you slip, and helps kick you lower.

some strange, strong bond in r childless marriage to her husband — but she must be made of stone to east me so aside. Perhaps I kept her waiting too long while I broke all my ties?

ALONE AND LOST

"Christmas and New Year she spent with him, while I was brushed aside with weak excuses; she's afraid, I think, he will find she was begging me to run away with her! All through the holidays I waited in my furnished room, thinking of the joyous Christmasses in the past, alone with only one card no trace no with only one card, no tree, no visitors, just my bottle to console me — if that is consolation. "I used to wonder how any

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Root Of The Trouble — These two cornstalks, held by Joyce Chandler, were taken from fields where the Missouri Farmers Association is conducting experiments in the use of soil insecticides. The stalk on the left suffered rootworm damage, while the stalk on the right, from a row treated with aidrin, had a healthy root system and no rootworm damage. healthy root system and no rootworm damage.

"How can a woman play with a man's love and, just when he has sacrificed everything to marry her, turn him down and stay on with a drinking and supposedly worthless husband?" Cut of his despair, one man cries for the answer. despair, one man cries for the answer.

"I was completely deceived by the woman," he writes, "whom I came to love beyond all else. For her I tossed aside my faithful wife of 25 years, lost my two wonderful children. Now, at 50, after six years. I am still vasition. the pieces and somehow go on. Today I want most of all to rise again from the half-dead.

consider the pitialls, before discarding a wonderful wife and facing the loss of an honoured profession . . . I prefer to remain unknown until such time as, God "I was completely sincere with her. I wanted nothing but a good marriage, and I believed her promises. I sense now there must be some streams of the some streams."

willing, I can face the world again as a helper to sufferin, people, and partially pay for my sins. Can you help me?"

TO "DR. ANONYMOUS": * TO "DR. ANONYMOUS":

*Two reasons may have decided * this woman to stay with her * husband. The first, his obvious * dependence upon her, and secondly, the spiritual need to renounce the happiness she could find with you as her * partial payment of the guilt * she shared. No matter which * is true, you do not want he now, you say, so forgetting will * be no problem. Do not allow * the vengeance you hope for to * cloud your future.

* First of all, go back to your church; your mind and spirit are receptive now to its teachings. Your faith promises that God never turns away a repentant soul. Never cease praying, and the strength you need will come for practical aid. * will come. For practical aid, * read Dr. Norman Vincent * Peale's "The Power of Positive * Thinking."

As a physician, you realize the futility of seeking forgettuness in alcohol. I urge you
to get in touch at once with
Alcoholics Anonymous. You acknowledge your failure to overcome the habit alone, and their * understanding and sympathy are yours for the asking. Attending their meetings will retending their meetings will reget a lot of extra jobs done this * tending their meetings will restore your courage, and if in any dark hour temptation assails you, they will be with you with our correspondence; hope that mother-in-law will be easiand see you through; this is one pledge which every member of AA gives, and, I have the same of the sa

explosion in history was the vol-canic explosion of the Javanese island, Krakotoa, in 1883; the big-gest atomic explosion we've had so far doesn't hold a candle to that one. The blast sent six to ten cubic miles of earth 20,000 ten cubic miles of earth 20,000 feet into the air. The roar was heard distinctly 3,000 miles away, and the waves started by the blast were recorded at London, 8,000 miles away. For two years, the dust-laden atmosphere produced brilliant dawns and sunsets all over the world.

all kinds of farm economists telling us how to grow better crops, how to improve livestock; the best type of mhachinery for the best type of mhachinery for modern farming and so on. But I notice few of them give advice to the average hundred-acre farmer on how to economise. Along that line farm folk usually have to work out their own salvation — or they don't — according to their ability and ingenuity.

may ask? That I do not presume to tell you. Everyone must be his own doctor — and sometimes the processary prescription



What Happened? — Awe-struck by the huge heaps of snow that almost cover the entrance to her house, this little girl of Castelluccio, Italy, finds the world changed overnight. Eleven lives were lost in the heavy snowsterms that virtually buried the entire village.

CHRONICLES GINGER FARM Overdoltre D Clarke

Well now, has everyone go properly settled down to 1954? If so I suppose most of us are hoping that good fortune will to think of it good fortune usually needs more than hope to encourage it, don't you agree? Hope is rather a spineless quality unless we give it a boost with a little honest-to-goodness oldshe comes for her usual winter visit. And no doubt we all of ber of AA gives, and, I have
learned from more than one of
them, a I ways honours. You
need never dread those frightening nights again.
Your way is clear — the way
to moral rehabilitation, the resumption of your practice, the
new respect of your associates
as they see you cising from the
depths into the useful career

a recession which is in fact already with us to a moderate extent. How can it be otherwise? Farm produce prices are lower, labour and running expenses higher. The result is obvious, so why shy away from the thought? The honeymoon for farm folk is over and we might just as well realize it. just as well realize it. The sconer we do the better chance we

Of course there isn't much we can do about falling markets except to watch for an opportune time for anything we have to sell. Some farmers watch the market trend, some don't. Send eattle to market when there is already a heavy carry-over, and what can anyone expect but a low price? Naturally there are

times the necessary prescription is somewhat bitter to swallow. But I can tell you HOW to find out where and how to cut expenditure. That is if you have already formed a habit of keep-



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bomoral rehabilitation, the resulting from the resulting of your practice, the new respect of your associates as they see you cising from the activation as single letter. And hope expenditure. And above a single letter. And hope as single letter. And hope to the with Tolerance, sympathy and understanding accounts for 1953 — you will have to sooner or later anyway to make out your income and expenditure. And soone of the wind to the understanding accounts for 1953 — you will have to sooner or later anyway to make out your income tax returns. But don't wait until the last week it March. Do it NOW while the year is still young, and by so doing find out ways and means by which you can others — who are terribly worried because they think difficult times are asked. So what? Few of them, as far as I know, are doing anything about it. And yet them at Box 1, 123 Eighteenth St, New Toronto.

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Work seporately under a jumper.

Hope won't get those extra jobs done, nor will it write a single letter. And hope expenditure. And covery our accounts for 1953 — you will have to sooner or later anyway to make to your your income and expenditure. As some are usually more sonitive to color than men, they are sometimes engaged for color make out your income tax returns. But don't wait until the last week in March. Do it NOW while the year is still young, and by so doing find out ways and means by which you can expenditure and pigments, few women are attracted to his highly specialized field.

BIGGEST BANG

BIGGES

That is possibly a better policy than to try and increase one's income — at least by more intensive farming. Grow more crops, grow more produce, sell more produce, and thus you help to aggravate markets that are already glutted. Price cuts autoalready glutted. Price cuts auto-matically follow with the farmer contributing to the very thing he has been trying to avoid — a reduction in farm income

The very nature of his calling makes it impossible for the farmer to go on strike — even if mer to go on strike — even if he wanted to. But there is nothing to stop him following the labour man's policy — less work, fewer working hours and better pay. One farmer alone cannot do it but it would be possible if all farmers adopted cannot do it but it would be possible if all farmers adopted the same plan. You will notice I said "fewer" — not shorter hours. Farm animals cannot be put on trade union hours so to put in less time the farmer would have to arrange his schedule to suit himself.

Well, so much for that — and if you would like to know, these if you would like to know, these thoughts have come to me as a result of going over our own 1953 accounts!

Itch...Itch Nearly Crazy Very first use of soothing, cooling liquid D. D. D. Prescription positively relieves raw red itch-caused by scsema, rashes, scalp irritation, chaning—other itch rousies. Greaseless, stainless, 43g trial bottle must satisfy or money back. Don't suffer, a your druggist for D. D. D. PRESCRIPTION Tinted Fingernalls Old As The Hills

as old as Egypt, it wasn't until the comparatively recent develthat antiquated pastes and powders were discarded in favor of quick-drying liquid polisies.

Northam Warren, an American

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to preserve the surface. Little thought was given to enhancing thought was given to enhancing thought was given to enhancing the surface. ted with making one of Cleopatra's beauty secrets a 20th century fashion. He had long considered producing a lacquer substitute for the inefficient hand buffers of the day. But the unpleasant custom of cutting the cuticle with scissors or a knife

diverted his attention for several years. And so, it wasn't until the young chemist had successfully formulated the first bottle of liquid cuticle remover in 1911 hat he was able to turn his mind to manufacturing a quick-drying, long-lasting lacquer for the nails.

Finally, in 1916 the first brush
city and suburban homes. Bright applied nail lacquer appeared on the market. It was colorless and veloped to harmonize with surfew women rushed out to buy it. | rounding landscapes, the house The following year the chemist

altered his product slightly and created a new fashion. He tint- them that helps overcome a new ed the clear lacquer with a pale rose pigment. This was the birth of a multi-million dollar industry that has never known a device they consist of a smokey blue, a sparkling turquoise, Mother Nature's own spruce, a cool coral, sink sungold and a refreshing Nail polish sold across the a rich sungold and a refreshing ounter today is a vastly different product from the simple lacquers applied by more daring women during the First World War. Polishes now adhere better, dry quicker, wear longer and have

been specially compounded to resist the effects of strong soaps, hot water and sea bathing. When one woman complained that her brightly manicured nails faded at the beach, manufacturers promptly set about making their shades sun-fast as well. New shades are now closely cued to current color trends in he fashion industry. The momtangerine was introduced

several seasons back as a tume color, nail polish manufacturers were ready with their pottles of tangerine-tinted nail lacquers. Last spring a pinkish hue was the harmonizing nail fashion. This spring it will probably be Because there are endless vari-

ations of red and pink, nail pol-ish is one of the most difficult lacquers to produce. Key man in the manufacturing process is the tinter. Because men sometimes see colors differently, tinters are always tested first to deers are always tested first to de-termine whether they actually visualize colors as do the ma-jority of people. Only after years of experience in recogniz-ing almost imperceptible vari-ations in shades, do they qualify as profesional tinters

There is a handy new key-keeper for motorists who like to have an extra car key where they can easily find it. The keykeeper consists of a small poly-thene plastic case equipped with a permanent magnet to hold the extra key securely to the under-side of the car hood or other

IT MAY BE YOUR LIVER

If life's not worth living
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digestion starts functioning properly and you
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Why Not "Color-Style" Your Home?

Color-styling the outside of the doing over the living room. Not so long ago houses were painted terior paints that vie with inter ior ones in color excitement. They will do much more than just protect property against the ele-

A well-chosen color scheme can give a house an entirely new personality, make it look larger, con-ceal an ugly feature as well as increase its resale or rental value considerably. Among the newest paints for

exterior use is a line of suburban colors specially developed to colnext door and each other. They have a look of permanence about community's lack of trees and

areas—the roof and the walls. They need not match. Usually they don't. But their colors should be carefully related. Hence this ends as well as such "accent areas" as chimneys, shutters, windows and doors.

If planning to remodel with paint this spring, just follow the same guides used when choosing a dress or a suit. Dark colors make areas look smaller, light colors make them bigger, horizontal panels of color give the illusion of width, vertical panels height. Warm colors advance, cool colors recede, small areas of bright color balance sections of subdued color. Paint a small house set book

from the street white and it will loom larger and appear to advance several feet. Consider your color neighbors on either side Select a basic shade that will harmonize with them. Try landand shrubs seem to overshadow the house, light warm colors will newly planted shrubs are sail

WITH FALSE TEETH

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TABLE TALKS

Jane Andrews.

PRESSED BEEF

With Horseradish Sauce

2 qts. water
6 cloves
1 medium onion, sliced
1 stick cinnamon
2 ten solt

14 tsp. pepper 1 tblsp. powdered sage 1 tblsp. gelatin 14 c. water

Cover shank with water; add all seasonings, except sage, and simmer until meat will pull from bone. Remove meat from broth

and pull meat apart with forks until finely shredded. Add sage

to liquid and cook down to 3 cups. Soften gelatin in 1/4 c.

water; add to broth. Chill broth until syrupy. Add meat. Pour

into loaf pan; chill until firm. Serves 8 to 10. Cut in thin slices

LIVERBURGERS

1 c. sour cream

1 c. chopped onion 1½ tsp. salt

1/2 tsp. pepper 1 tblsp. fat

4 lb. meaty beef shank bone

Beef is an expensive food all right — but only if you insist on using what are sometimes called the "choicer" cuts.

Actually, those who insist o actually, those who hast on such cuts are missing a whole lot of tasty eating. That's be-cause, properly handled, some of the less expensive cuts of beef have it "all over" the others for goodness and flavour. Just try some of the following recipes and see if you don't agree. . . .

SHORT RIBS With Potato Dumplings
4 lbs. shortribs
1 tblsp. salt 1½ qt. water 6 carrots, cut in 1½-inch

pieces 2 e. small onions Brown short ribs on all sides without added fat. Pour off ex-cess fat. Add salt; cover with water. Simmer, covered, until tender, about 2 hours. Add carrots and onions the last 20 minutes of cooking time. Thicken broth by adding mixture of 2 tblsp. flour and ¼ c. water for each cup of broth. Cook, stirring, until thick.

1 tblsp. prepared horseradish
1 tblsp. sugar
1 tsp. vinegar
1 tsp. sait Potato Dumplings: 2 c. riced potatoes 2 tblsp. flour Blend all ingredients together. 1 egg ½ tsp. salt 1 lb. beef 'iver 2 c. cut up raw potato

1/8 tsp. nutmeg
1/8 tsp. black pepper
2 tblsp. chopped parsley Combine all ingredients, excep parsley, and mix thoroughly



Sharp Protection — Louise Mc-Daniel, an 18-year-old secretary, holds the razor blade she used to put a molester to rout. She's been carying the "weapon" for five months, just in case. Re-cently, a man grabbed her; she broke away and slashed the as-sailant before he fled. Later, the alleged attacker was admit-ted to a hospital with a four-lnch slash on his cheek. He maintained he got the wound in a



Open Wide, Please - Sgt. Henry Hammel feeds a three-year-old at a battalion party for children of Wakamatsu Ryo Orphanage, near Camp Gifu, Japan. The men presented clothing, food and toys to orphans at the party.

woman from remaining the size of a ten-year-old child is report-ed to have been an unqualified success.
In 1949, the bone structure of a 14½-year-old New York school-

astonishing results with stunted

animals. Now, at 18½, the patient is a petite, but adequate,

Wipe liver with damp cloth and remove membrane. Put liver, raw potatoes, onion, through meat grinder twice. Add seasonings and drop by spoon-fuls in hot fat. Panfry quickly.

1½ c. milk 1 tsp. salt 1/8 tsp. pepper

Blend tomato paste and flour into pan drippings. Add milk, Bring to boil, add liverburgers and simmer, covered, 15 minutes Serves 8. SAVORY POT ROAST

emove liverburgers and make

With Raisin Sauce 2 onions, sliced 1 clove garlic, sliced 2 tblsp. fat 4 lb. blade or round bone chuck roast 1 tblsp. salt

14 tsp. pepper 2 large bay leaves ½ c. raisins 1 c. water

Brown onions and garlic light ly in hot fat. Add pot roast and brown slowly on all sides for about 20 minutes. Add salt, pepper, bay leaf, raisins, water. Cover tightly and simmer slowly until tender, about 3 hours. Remove meat to warm platter. Discard bay leaves. Measure liquid. For each cup broth add 2 tblsp. fight with a man, and is being held for investigation.

Cook until thickened. Serve gravy with meat. Serves 6 to 8.

ing No Chances — Bobby Acuna takes precautions, and, after cing at his friend, it's easy to see why. "Sniffy" came roaring the Acuna home just two steps ahead of the family dog-sing Bobby's mother, dad, and two sisters to take refuge. In careful investigation, Bobby found the skunk had been deprived of his artillery and adopted him.



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Grew Thirty Inches young woman, five feet tall. The In Just Three Years

girl was no more developed than that of girls ten years and nine months old. Her height was only 4 ft. 5 in. Doctors injected somatotropin a hormone which had produced

announcement was made by Dr. Ephraim Shorr at a recent joint meeting of the Diabetics Association and the Endocrine Soci-

Somotoropin is a hormone of the pituitary gland, it makes the body efficient at its job of turning food into living tissue.

The case of a girl who had grown 2 ft., 6 in. in three years, by the use of somatotropin, was also reported.

An association of "Bald-Pates of the U.S.A." has been founded in Port Arthur, Texas. The association's purpose is mainly to encourage bald-heads who, it says, more often than not tend to suffer these are inferiority complex. er from an inferiority complex.

Another of its aims is to create new association are universally men, labourers, merchants, com-pany directors, chimney sweeps. At their first meeting recently, with heads uncovered, the mem-bers of the club marched through the town, accompanied by maids

Because his rivals were advertising their cars at "give-away prices," a Vancouver dealer offered a model as "a theft at one thousand and seventy dollars."

He did not see it any more after the fact pight They carried large banners and transparencies with such inscriptions as "Girls prefer heads without fur," "We are free from the out fur," "We are free from the hairdressers' tyranny," "There is no law to cover your brain with straw," and "Don't hide your head under a bushel."

While on their march, a bold hairdresser tried to sell them

the first night.

A detective watched Mrs. Domogala walk off with eight rolls from a Detroit baker's shop.
The joke was on him when he got her to the station to charge her. She had eaten the evidence on the way. wigs and hair-growing remedies. But the man was quickly relieved on the way. But the story which amuses

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Evidence

Brazillian lawyers are stul

Brazillian lawyers are stiil laughing at one of their colleagues who succeeded in getting his client acquitted on a counterfeit charge and then accepted five one-hundred dollar bills for his fee. When he took them to the bank he discovered they were forged.

Almost as funny was the case of the Tokio taxi-driver who had his cab stolen and hailed another to take him to the police station. Once inside he realized that he was riding in his own taxi.

Because his rivals were adver-

of his goods, and saw them burn-ed afterwards on a huge pyre by the contemptuous "baldies." Each year the association ineveryone in Monte Carlo, except the Casino authorities, is of the

suicide who walked off with the money.

When the run of suicides has been too high for a period, officials have been known to race out into the gardens when they hear a shot and fill the dead man's wallet to prevent another "broken gambler's suicide" story reaching the papers.

They slipped twenty-two thousend francs into one young man's pocket just as the police arrived on the scene. The "corpse" jump-

ed up, wiped tomato juice from his face and walked off with the money and police protection

