This Week

By Arthur Brisbane

WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT. FATHER PLAYS BEAR. AND REASON TO BE THANKFUL. IF I HAD SOME MUSH.

Justice Taft says he likes the law better than the White House and, nearing his seventieh year, announces he will not retire. He certainly should not retire, for he owes to the public many future years of good effort. His mind and his smile are as young as ever, and ever well informed man in the United States, big or little, would gladly submit any issue to the judgment of Chief Justice Taft.

In six hours New York's National Guard laid out an airplane base, ready for use, with radio, telephone and all other requirements. A fine achievement.

The United States Government should take as much time as necessary to provide an airplane base for every great city.

Governors Island in New York Harbor should be given up entirely to flying, with a big dock for submarines.

The richest city, New York, containing the United States Sub-Treasury and all its gold, is unprotected from the air.

There ought to be an air field there from which swift United States pursuit planes would rise like mosquitoes from a stagnant pond, to meet any invader.

Human beings are like children. A father plays "bear" with his little child, and the child is relieved when the bear stands up and becomes, once more, "father."

In England the eclipse put out the sun. changing day to night, and everybody knew that it was only make-believe night. Nobody feared that "the devil was eating the sun." Nevertheless, when the eclipse passed and the sun came shining out once more, the crowds cheered. They were glad to have mother nature stop playing bear.

When Uncle Sam's fiscal year ended last week, he found a surplus of $635,000,000. Secretary Mellon had "guessed" $625,000,000, a good prophecy.

Uncle Sam really is a rich person and can afford anything he needs. He ought to dig canals, harness water power, build the greatest air and submarine fleets in the world. He should stop trying to persuade Europe to do what it doesn't want to do, attend to his own business and be in a position to make other nations mind theirs. Until this nation is prepared to defend itself against any ten other nations the Government will not have done its duty.

"Well done, but what did you do the next day?"

Fokker, airplane builder, would have an answer ready for Napoleon's favorite question. On Wednesday a Fokker plane flew to Honolulu. Next day a Fokker plane reached France. Now Fokker announces a plane to fly, nonstop for seventy-two hours, and go from Seattle to Tokio, 5000 miles. This Government should contract with Fokker to keep him here for life building airplanes. Ancient Monarchs and Popes offered any inducements that would bring great artists to their courts. The great artist of today is the airplane artist.

On the Hudson, not ten yards from shore, off Sing Sing Prison, three boys were struggling. Prison guards could not leave their duty to save them. Convicts begged permission to save the boys, but the guards rifles leveled, forbade them to follow their impulse, jump into the river and pull the drowning boys ashore.

The three boys drowned while guards and convicts looked on, some of the latter weeping.

Once more those convicts feel that they never had a chance, not even a chance to help others. at risk to themselves.

They had a bad start in life, most of them, and things have gone wrong with them ever since. When they missed the opportunity to save life they again felt cheated.

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By County Agent, H. B. DERRICK

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Answer. The clover and timothy hay you harvest this summer will probably be fed during the coming winter, while a seeding of alfalfa this August is for a hap crop next summer and thereafter, and for feed the winter of 1928-29 and each year thereafter, as long as you have alfalfa.

2. What good is alfalfa hay this year when nearly everyone has a good mixed hay field?

Answer. Alfalfa hay contains 10.6½ protein and a liberal amount of calcium, while mixed clover or timothy hay contans only 4% protein and considerable less calcium. The additional protein in alfalfa hay will reduce dairy feed bills. Ask the dairyman who feeds alfalfa.

3. What is the value of a liberal amount of calcium in alfalfa hay for dairy cows?

Answer. Calcium is an essential element in the production of milk by a cow; also in building and maintaining bone tissue. Milk is manufactured by a cow out of a fairly definite proportion of elements. the lack of any one becomes a limiting factor which prevents the manufacture of a normal amount of milk by the cow. Plenty of alfalfa hay insures plenty of calcium.

4. What is the comparative value of alfalfa hay and timothy hay for milk purposes?

Answer. The Iowa Experiment Station found that when alfalfa was $15.00 per ton, timothy hay would be worth $.85 per ton for milk purposes.

5. What is the best form in which to furnish calcium to a cow?

Answer. Legumes (like alfalfa) furnish lime or calcium in its best form to livestock.

6. Is alfalfa hay a good food for calves?

Answer. No, not for young calves. Clover hay is much preferred to alfalfa for young calves.

7. When should alfalfa be cut for hay?

Answer. When it is in full bloom. At this stage. there will be numerous young shoots coming out of the crown.

8. How many pounds of mixed timothy and clover hay would be equivalent to ten pounds of alfalfa hay?

Answer. Twenty six and one-half pounds.

9. What makes alfalfa turn yellow in the field while growing?

Answer. Lack of inoculation, soil too wet, soil not fertile enough, but the most common reason is sour or acid soil.

10. Is barnyard manure good to top-dress alfalfa?

Answer. Barnyard manure increases the growth of alfalfa by the nitrogen in it and by adding humus to the soil, however, the manure is likely to introduce more weeds. Such manure top-dressing will often save or improve a fair or poor stand of alfalfa, but for a good stand of alfalfa, top-dressing with commercial fertilizer is recommended.

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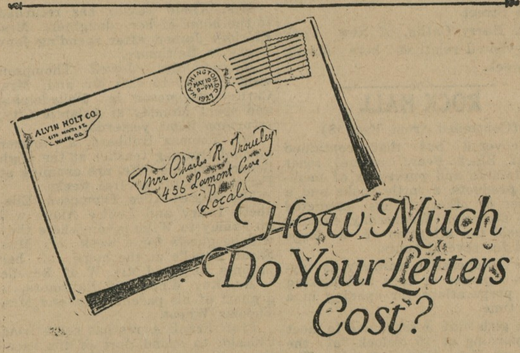

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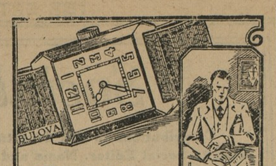

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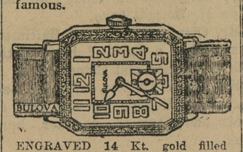

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