

# Democratic Watchman

Bellefonte, Pa., Nov. 15, 1895.

## Farm Notes.

—Keep the manure pile steadily growing.  
—Increase the feed of fattening animals.  
—Carrots are much relished by cattle as well as horses.  
—The value of a pullet as a layer is uncertain until she has been tried.  
—A large-sized orchard needs constant restocking in order to make it do its best.  
—If the farmer is out of debt he is much better off than the merchant and manufacturer who are in debt. There is comfort in that thought.  
—Trees in an orchard that is never manured exhaust the fertility in the soil within reach of their roots, and then fail to bear as well as was expected.  
—Do not feed your hens too much, if they are confined without exercise, if you do not want them to get broody. Even the non-sitting breeds will become broody if overfed and under-exercised.  
—In the early fall is the best time to apply manure to fruit trees, that it will take to supplement the fall rains, which wash its soluble parts into the soil. This starts an early growth in the spring. It is not best that the most luxuriant growth be made while the fruit is maturing.  
—The younger a pig the less meal it will take to put on a pound of pork. It is well to supplement the pasture with an abundant ration of chopped grain, that they may be kept growing as fast as possible. All grain fed them should be chopped or ground. If possible, in the pasture give them shade and running water.  
—Broiler-raising will pay if it is made an adjunct of egg-production. It might also do by itself if conducted by one having experience, but it is a good business for the amateur to keep out of or to attempt only on a very limited scale. Eternal vigilance is the price of success, and sometimes the payment is made in vain.  
—The question of feeding for eggs is probably the most important one under consideration in the winter season. In considering this factor in poultry raising the cost of the feed must be kept prominently in the foreground. It may be possible to fatten turkeys on imported chestnuts at \$8 per bushel and produce the finest meat in the market, but unless the grower can receive more than fifteen cents per pound for the turkeys he will not gain much by the high feeding. So with the egg raiser. If he must pay more for the food given to increase egg production than the egg will bring in the market his work will count for nothing. When a breeder of fine poultry advocates canary seed for egg producing in hens he is not giving the best of practical advice. With the present prices for canary seed, the poultryman would never get enough extra eggs to pay for such high priced food.  
—Cheap food, or food that can be prepared beforehand for reasonable cost, can be had on any farm, and it is more a question of looking ahead a few months. There is no doubt that egg producing taxes the strength of the chickens in cold weather, and in order to keep them in good health it is necessary to feed in two ways. One is to feed for heat and strength, and the other is to supply the natural constituents of which an egg is composed. Generally food that contains the egg constituents will have enough fat and heat producing substances to answer both purposes. If not food of this nature must be given in addition.  
To begin with analytic chemists tell us that the white of an egg is composed of the alkalies potash and soda. The yolk contains a larger percentage of phosphoric acid and lime. The two together thus contain all of the above constituents. The proportions of these ingredients are very different, however, but the chief thing to take note of is that lime, nitrogen and phosphoric acid are by all odds in the greatest abundance.  
Here we have the very mineral elements we must feed to the hens to make them produce an abundance of eggs in winter. This has no reference whatever to the hen's general strength producing foods, nor to those that yield animal heat to resist the cold. Now green bones probably contain the largest proportion of the egg ingredients than any other one substance. They are rich in phosphoric acid, albumen, and phosphate of lime. When cut and pulverized by heavy mills the chickens can digest and assimilate this material so easily that it readily passes into the formation of egg shells. The work of elaborating shell for the eggs is thus made purely mechanical, and does not draw upon the bones and tissues of the hens. In addition to this the green bones help to make the inside of the shells, and when fed in the right quantity they produce excellent results.  
A mixed diet of other things must supplement the green bone food, and chief among these ingredients for producing eggs and heat and strength are oats, wheat, buckwheat, vegetables, clover, meat scraps, crusts of bread, etc. All of this variety helps the general strength of the birds, and gives them heat enough to resist cold. The hens that are laying should be given a liberal ration just before retiring at night. In the morning let the chickens roam around a little to pick up what they can find. The exercise will do them good. Then feed them a liberal breakfast, and keep them in warm, sunny houses. Nature will do the rest.

## The Coming Expedition to Cuba.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—Senor Valez has been chosen to lead the next expedition to Cuba. While he admitted to-day that he expected to lead an expedition at an early day, he refused to give any details of his plans for obvious reasons. It was, however, learned that the expedition will be accompanied by members of the New Jersey National Guard, and also by the emissaries recently sent here by Maximo Gomez and Antonio Maceo.  
Senor Valez expedition is to start in about month and will be the most important one taken to Cuba since the war began. It will be composed of Cubans and Americans from New York, Jacksonville, Philadelphia and Chicago.  
The New Jersey National Guard men will be very valuable to the expedition, as they are to establish a signal corps which will enable the various commanders to communicate intelligence with the same facility as the Spanish troops enjoy.

## An Achievement.

Judge Thatcher of Mississippi was an obstinate bachelor and rather prided himself upon having resisted the charms of lovely woman when on all sides his friends had fallen victims to the insidious arrows of fate.  
He was a solemn looking man, but with plenty of dry humor in his nature.  
He had a pleasant home, over which his relatives sometimes presided.  
Upon one occasion a lady called on some charitable errand and the servants being out for the moment the judge answered the bell.  
The caller, who was a stranger, asked for the "madam."  
In a grave and deliberate voice the judge replied, "There is no madam."  
The stranger instantly detected a sorrow and spoke with sympathy in look and voice: "Alas, I see! Pardon me a bereavement."  
This was too much for the bachelor pride of the judge, who felt that he could not be worsted of his years of vicarious solitude, so with triumphant remembrance he shouted with joy and animation: "No, madam, not a bereavement, an achievement, thank heaven—an achievement!"

## Velocipedes and Tricycles.

There are annually produced in this country about 300,000 boys' metal velocipedes and about 100,000 metal tricycles for girls. There is one establishment in this city that turns out 1000 velocipedes and 250 tricycles a week. Of these vehicles about 25,000 are exported annually to Australia, South America and the West Indies, and some go to Europe.—New York Sun.

## The Difficulty.

"Dear me Jennie, here comes that awful Mr. Bowers."  
"A wuf? Why, I thought you liked him better than any other man in this world."  
"I do; and I am afraid he'll find it out."

In a coal mine near Pekin, Ill., a piece of bituminous coal was recently dug out on which was imprinted the Arabic numeral 306,030, in characters about an inch in length. Local experts are considerably exercised over the strange discovery. The find was made 125 feet below the surface.

"WHAT I EAT DOES ME NO GOOD."  
—How often this expression is heard—Life destroying dyspepsia has told on you when you feel this, and should not be trifled with. There is but one remedy that can permanently cure you, Dr. David Kennedy's favorite remedy made at Rondout, N. Y., a vegetable compound endorsed by the medical profession. Druggists sell it.

A recent traveller through Alaska says the Territory will become to the United States what Norway is to Europe, the favorite resort of tourists, hunters and fishermen, and that quick-growing hardy vegetables can be raised there successfully. No two visitors see Alaska in the same light.

The proper season for turkey is the late fall and winter. In spring and summer the meat is no longer juicy nor of good flavor; though sometimes served at that time, they are much inferior to the winter bird for a roast. Have yours fattened at the right time.

Reports from Germany indicate that electric plows, hoes and potato diggers will soon be successfully at work in that country.

Do not dally with rheumatism—Get rid of it at once by purifying the blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Be sure to get Hood's.

## REMEMBER

THESE DIRECTIONS FOR USING COTTOLENE.

For shortening never use more than two-thirds as much Cottolelene as you would of lard. When frying with Cottolelene always put it in a cold pan, heating it with the pan. Cottolelene produces the best results when very hot, but as it reaches the cooking point much sooner than lard, care should be taken not to let it burn—when hot enough, it will delicately brown a bit of bread in half a minute. Follow these directions in using Cottolelene and lard will never again be permitted in your kitchen or in your food. Genuine Cottolelene is sold everywhere in tins with trade marks "Cottolelene" and *steer's head in cotton-plant wreath*—on every tin.  
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## The Century for the Coming Year.

The Century Magazine celebrates its quarter-centennial in its November issue with an "Anniversary Number." In honor of the occasion it dons a new dress of type, with new headlines, etc., and it appears in a new and artistic cover. Although *The Century* has reached an age that is unusual among American magazines, it continues to show the youthful vigor and enterprise that have always characterized it. The programme that has been arranged for the coming year contains a number of interesting features. Much has already been written concerning Mrs. Humphry Ward's new novel, "Sir George Tressady," which has been secured for its pages. There was a very spirited bidding for this novel on the part of several prominent publishers, with the result that the author will probably realize from the serial and book rights of it one of the largest sums that has yet been given for a work of fiction in the English language. The story describes life in an English country house, and also touches somewhat upon industrial questions. It begins in the November number with an account of an English parliamentary election. It will be the leading feature in fiction for the coming twelve months other and shorter novels being contributed by W. D. Howells, F. Hopkinson Smith, Mary Hallock Foote, and Amelia E. Barr. There will also be contributions from Mark Twain and Rudyard Kipling (the latter furnishing to *Century* one of the most powerful stories he has ever written); a series of articles on the great naval engagements of Nelson, by Captain Alfred T. Mahan, author of "Influence of Sea Power upon History"; three brilliant articles on Rome, contributed by Marion Crawford, and superbly illustrated by Castaigne, who made the famous World's Fair pictures in *The Century*; a series of articles by George Kennan, author of "Siberia and the Exile System," on the Mountains and the Mountaineers of the Eastern Caucasus, describing a little known people; articles by Henry M. Stanley and the late E. J. Glave on Africa; a series of papers on "The Administration of the Cities of the United States," by Dr. Albert Shaw. *The Century* will also contain during the year a great number of papers on subjects richly illustrated. Prof. Sloane's "Life of Napoleon," with its wealth of illustration, will reach its most interesting part, the rise of the conqueror to the height of his power, and his final overthrow and exile. In order that new subscribers may obtain the whole of this monumental work, the publishers have made a rate of \$5.00, for which one can have a year's subscription, '95, and all of the numbers for the past twelve months, from the beginning of Prof. Sloane's history.

"A jest's property lies in the ear of him that makes it.—Shakespeare.

No matter how well worded this paragraph may be, its usefulness depends upon the reader. It is written to tell the sufferer from dyspepsia, deranged liver, impure blood, constipation, headache, depression, nervousness and other troubles that Dr. R. V. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will cure him quickly and thoroughly. They work mildly but efficiently. They put blood and bowels right, clear the brain and invigorate the whole system. Dealers every where.

The fish-hooks used to-day are of precisely the same shape as those employed 20 centuries ago. The only difference is in the material. Then they were of bronze; now they are of steel.

## School Report.

Following is a report of Holt's Hollow school, for the first month ending November 4th, 1895. Number of pupils enrolled, boys 13, girls 9, total 22. Those who were present every day are Annie and Frank Barrett, Maude and Malcolm Poorman, Bessie Johnson, Grace Burd, Charles and Clyde Fetzler, Toner and James Swisher, Paul and Clayton Sliker, and Robert Thomas.

Those missing one day are Maude Fetzler, Ellis, Charles and James Shope. Those not missing any words in spelling are Maude Poorman, Crissie Shope and Toner Swisher. Those missing one word Charles Fetzler and Malcolm Poorman. Parents and citizens are invited to visit the school.

M. V. THOMAS, Teacher.

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