

Bellefonte, Pa., February 25, 1910.

FARM NOTES.

-If it was not for butter color, not a pound of oleomargarine or poor butter could ever have been sold as the genuine, clean product of the cow.

-If breeding signifies anything at all it means that the qualities of the cow for producing a large amount of milk are to be transmitted to her daughter.

-An odor will be observed in the milk age is fed to cows a short time before milking, but if given shortly after milk-ing the silage smell cannot be detect-

-No matter how well our cattle an bred, or how intelligently they are fed if the environment does not correspond with their breeding and feeding our efforts are in vain

-The periods of incubation recognized as approximately correct are as follows: Common hen, 21 days; pheasant, 25 days; duck, 28 days; pea-fowl, 28 days; Guinea, 25 days; goose, 30 days; turkey, 28 davs.

-Complete fertilizer is a general name applied to all fertilizers which contain phosphoric acid, potash and nitrogen. This name does not in any way indicate how much of each element is found in the

-If orchard grass is not sown thickly it will not be a success. Three bushels to the acre should be used. Orchard grass is more vigorous than timothy, with a stronger root system; but if a perma-nent meadow is expected it must be topdressed freely.

-It is said that Greater New York consumes 7,764,930 gallons of milk, 361,600 gallons of cream, and 83,160 gallons of condensed milk in one month. The daily average is 242,490 gallons of milk; 10,340 condensed milk in one month. The daily average is 242,490 gallons of milk; 10,340 gallons of cream and 1480 gallons of condensed milk.

-Consul Hanna, in Chile, sends word that the nitrate of sale combine is broken. The object of the association was to limit production and fix prices. Now there will be unlimited production and exporta-tion, which will result in later lowering the cost of nitrate on the farm

-A recent publication from Cornell -A recent publication from Cornell University illustrates the importance of breeding from vigorous stock. Chicks hatched at the same time showed a great difference in vigor, hardiness and health, and the object lesson was one not to be overlooked. Breed from vigorous stock.

-Thawing a water-pipe: When it is not safe or convenient to apply heat to frozen pipes to thaw them, spread a cloth thickly with unslaked lime, fasten it

FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN. Cutting a Web Thread to Escape From an Intruder.

the ground.

The naturalist says: "It is not the

habit of spiders to cut the slender

thread below them when they are as-

cending to avoid some threatened dan-

ger unless there is a hole close at

hand-and a hole that is known to be

unoccupied." From this it would seem

that the little creature's action was the

result of some sort of reasoning. In-

stinct led it to run away, but it must

have been something more than in-

stinct that led it to sever the line and

The same naturalist says that spi-

ders are cannibals and that they are

naturally pugnacious. But they do not

fight for the satisfaction of eating one

"It is not generally known that after

from which the slender threads are

spun is limited, therefore spiders can-

not keep on constructing new snares when the old ones are destroyed. But

they can avail themselves of the web

producing powers of their younger

neighbors, and this they do without

so cut off the pursuit.

DAILY THOUGHT. I seek no smile from fortune, Nor ask release from pain, And yet I crave high portion Of life's most golden grain This is the prayer that rudders My ship in any sea: Through shift of hopes and shudders

God, let me sail on-free -Leigh Mitchell Hodges, in Success May secured to the foliage. The big insect gained rapidly upon

Special care should be taken with one's underwear when thin blouses and gowns the little one, but the fugitive was equal to the emergency, for when are worn. There is far too little attenbarely an inch ahead of the other it cut with one of its rear legs the line behind itself, thus securing its own es-

are worn. There is far too inthe attem-tion paid to this point as one sees ugly misfits that are only too apparent through muslins and laces. It is a great mistake either to sew or pin shields directly in the waist, as they not only show but they eventually wear out the material. Put them into the corset cover or the top of a

combination garment by means of a cap beneath held around the arm by an inch wide beading, threaded with ribbon, but without lace on the edge. Lace nicks out so soon in the laundry it is far better ot to use it at all.

bad weather keep them scratching in some dry straw or litter. Just a little grain thrown in the straw will make them work all day. —Haul and spread manure. Do some pruning on mild days. In the North, gooseberries, currants, raspberries and blackberries are usually pruned late in February or very early in March. —The periode of incutority

another. "When two spiders fight Choose for your underwear a material there is generally a very good reason that is substantial enough not to show the corsets through. Nainsook is too transfor the attack and the vigorous de parent unless a heavy quality is selected. Irish linen at from 30 to 40 cents the yard is excellent in weight, and will be found to give in the end far better wear fense that follows. a certain "'ne spiders become incapable of pinning a web from lack of material. The glutinous excretion

than other fabrics.

Open work white stockings either in silk or cotton are not desirable except for wear in the evening. In the daytime with low shoes and ties choose a plain stocking with embroidered clocks or some floral or momentical desira floral or geometrical design.

Whatever other hats one may elect to have for spring and summer, the wise girl will surely have one simple model in black and white or natural and white combination. It is far the most useful of any, as it harmonizes with any gown, from

The Oriental silks in white make lovely frocks and most useful ones, as the seashore dampness does not affect them. Russian blouse models in Rajah, India or Arab are very smart, with white silk braid, buttons of fancy ornaments as trim-mings. Shirt waists also are most satisfactory in these materials.

A lovely scarf for white gowns is a length of filet net, two yards long, edged with fancy net lace two inches wide. There is nothing that gives better finish to a costume than a scarf gracefully draped on the shoulders.

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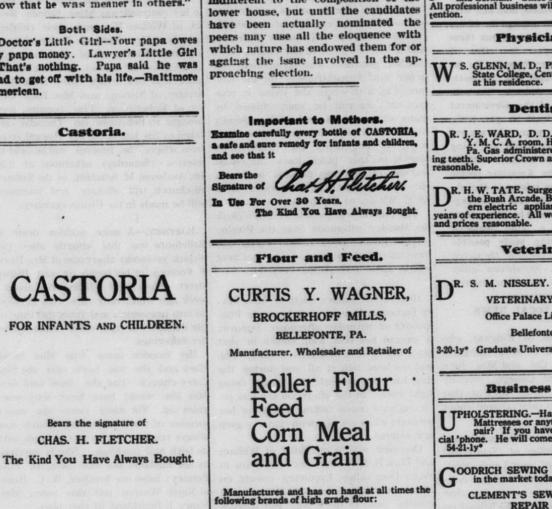
him several times with a paper folder. which he caught up for the purpose. The instinct of the spider is always After disposing of his victim in this way he was not satisfied, for the dull top, Thomas Hobbes, author of "The an interesting subject for study. Receptly a naturalist placed a small spider in the center of a large spider's

> The whole thing was inimitably fat witted young man put the question squarely to me: "What was the matter with Mr.

Mr. ---'s house?" Charitable. It is said of the author of a volume cape, the ferocious pursuer failing to

of biography that his verdict on the great of his chosen period is much that the participation of a peer in the elecof the New Hampshire parson at the tion of a commoner, so that when a highly approved funeral of a parishloner: "Brethren, we must agree that the lords are oratorically muzzled by our deceased friend was mean in some a fiction that supposes them to be quite things, but let us in Christian charity

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Galilei, Descartes, Spinoza, Locke,

"Analogy;" Bayle, Leibnitz, Hume,

Charles James Fox, Leonardo da

Vinci, Raphael, Michelangelo, Sir

Joshua Reynolds, the artist Turner,

Handel. Beethoven. Schopenhauer,

Rossini, Mendelssohn and Meyerbeer.

Lords and Commons.

general election is actually in progress

indifferent to the composition of the

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-Detroit Journal.

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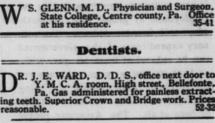
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scruple. As soon as a spider's web constructing material has become exhausted and its last web destroyed it sets out in search of another home. and unless it should chance to find one that is tenantless a battle usually ensues, which ends only with the retreat or death of the invader or defender."-New York World. Amusing Incident of the Author's Sec ond Visit to Boston. During Thackeray's second visit to Boston Mr. James T. Fields, his host, was asked to invite Thackeray to attend an evening meeting of a scientific club, which was to be held at the

house of a distinguished member. I was, said Mr. Fields, very reluctant to ask him to be present, for I knew he was easily bored, and I was fearful that a prosy essay or geological paper might be presented and felt certain that should such be the case he would be exasperated with me, the innocent cause of his affliction. My worst fears were realized.

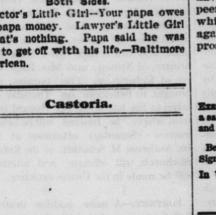
lecture still went on in the other reoili, so he fired an imaginary revolver sevweb some four feet above ground. eral times at an imaginary head. The large spider soon rushed from its hiding place under a leaf to attack the done. I hoped nobody saw it but myintruder, which ran up one of the asself. Years afterward a ponderous, cending lines by which the web was

Gibbon. Macaulay. Buckle, Thackeray that night the club met at

American.

allow that he was meaner in others." Doctor's Little Girl-Your papa owes

my papa money. Lawyer's Little Girl -That's nothing. Papa said he was glad to get off with his life.-Baltimore



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Station it was found that the Jersey cows drink the most, 5.25 pounds of water to one of milk produced; the Guernseys came next; the Shorthorns, Devons, Holsteins and Ayrshires after them in diminishing order. Milking cows will drink 50 per cent. more water than dry ones. —It will mean a loss to the farmer to have the cow afraid of him. It is a loss every time she is frightened. To run a cow to pasture is like throwing money away. The cow that is worried will not do her best. The cow that is made a pet of will make money for its owner. The milk of a frightened or abused cow is poisonous. —Probably the census to be taken this year will show about 200,000 more farm-

-Probably the census to be taken this year will show about 200,000 more farm-ers than at the time of the census ten years ago, and the total should be about 6,000,000 farms and the corresponding number of people employed in agricultur-al pursuits. Any increase in number is owing, not only to new farms taken up, owing, not only to new farms taken up, A clever idea for women who have small children to be taken care of was clear sections.

suggested recently by a contributor to Harper's Bazar. There were six women in a suburban neighborhood, all of whom had one or more small tots, all under 8 -There is one thing the farmer cannot afford to overlook in sheep raising, and that is thrift. Thrift means health, gain

afford to overlook in sheep raising, and that is thrift. Thrift means health, gain in quality, quantity and productiveness, the elements out of which the profits are derived. It must be the first object of the owner to keep his sheep in thriving condition. The quality of the wool, as well as the quantity, and the general pro-ductiveness of the flock make this re-quirement imperative. —There are several points in feeding sheep that must not be overlooked. The feed lot must be dry with plenty of clean, dry bedding; the animals must have plenty of clean, pure water, and the seed troughs should be kept clean. These should be arranged so that the sheep can-not foul them with their feet. Another point is to keep them from becoming ex-cited or frightened. To this end it is bet-ter that one person feed them all the time.

enjoy an afternoons shopping, or a need-ed rest, or a club meeting, or any other business or diversion which they might elect, These particular six mothers each took one afternoon in the week, but a -Owing to its abundance, straw is add--Owing to its abundance, straw is add-ed to barnyard manure, but it can be made more serviceable if made fine with the feed cutter before being used. While straw may soon rot after being mixed with manure, yet in a fine condition it is a much better absorbent and can be fork-ed into the manure with advantage. When loading and spreading manure there is a saving of labor when handling that which is fine, and the manure will be more valuable because the loss of amleague of a greater or less number of women could arrange the division of time ed into the manure with advantage. When loading and spreading manure there is a saving of labor when handling that which is fine, and the manure will be more valuable because the loss of am-monia will be arrested by the use of suit-able absorbent materials. —A farmer in New York State brought suit to recover value of some of his fowls that had been run over and decapitated

that had been run over and decapitated by a speeding automobile on a back coun-try road. The court held that under the highway law in relation to the speeding automobile on a back counby a speeding automobile on a back coun-try road. The court held that under the highway law in relation to stray fowls on any public thoroughfare, even in front of the residence of the owner, these are not only unprotected from such an accident as being killed by a motor car, but may be taken and impounded the same as cat-tle, horses or sheep. Owners or drivers of automobiles are not liable for the value of poultry that may be run over and of poultry that may be run over and killed on a public highway, the owner must take the risk of accidental loss.

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dared not look at Thackeray. I felt that his eye was upon me. My dis- tress may be imagined when I saw him rise quite deliberately and make his exit very noiselessly into a small anteroom adjoining. The apartment was dimly lighted, but he knew that I knew he was there. Then began a series of pantomimic feats impossible to describe. He threw an imaginary person-myself, of course	Insurance. D W. WOODRING.	can be secured. Also International Stock Food and feed of all kinds. All kinds of Grain bought at the office. Flour exchanged for wheat. OFFICE and STORE-BISHOP STREET. BELLEFONTE, PA. 47-19 MILL AT ROOPSBURG.
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