

RECLAIMING A GREAT SWAMP

Scientific Farming on an Eleven-Thousand-Acre Tract in Western New York.

One of the largest and most scientific agricultural enterprises in the eastern part of the United States is a farm in western New York.

The land comprising this farm was originally a vast, undrained swamp, and its reclamation was accomplished only by employing a dredge which cut a deep main canal, with many lateral branches, through the tract.

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All the produce is prepared for shipment according to factory methods. The crates are made on the farm, a special nailing machine being one of the labor-saving devices used in their construction.

HOW SUNBURN MAY BE CURED

Really Painful Affliction Can Be Alleviated if Treatment is Undertaken at Once.

Sunburn is often extremely painful. In many cases, where a girl has been out in the sun practically all day, the skin blisters and causes very real suffering.

When you return to the house after a day in the open and find your arms, neck and face all rose colored from the sun, don't stop to question why, but start in treating it at once.

Cocoa butter is excellent to take the sting out of sunburn and witchhazel cream is another fine emollient. Rub either one in well at the first appearance of the burn and then again the next day and you will not be bothered so much by the pain and itch.

Increasing Motor Truck Efficiency.

In a recent issue of Factory a contributor suggests a simple yet most efficacious method of securing greater service from any motor truck.

Will He Go?

"And where do you expect to go next?" we asked the great explorer when we had finished interviewing him about the results of his latest expedition.

"I don't know," he replied. "You see, I've been to about every place there is except one."

"And that is?"

"That's the place the taxi driver told me to go to when I refused to pay him any more than the exact legal fare."

The Immediate Problem.

"Where are the snows of yesterday?" inquired the man who quotes poetry.

"Never mind that," rejoined his wife. "The important question is, 'Where is the ice that was due to arrive this morning?'"

Lesson in Economy.

"What are you doing, Billy?" asked Mrs. Nannie Goat of her son.

MEADOWLARK

Sturnella magna and Sturnella neglecta



Length, about ten and three-fourths inches.

Range: Breed generally in the United States, southern Canada, and Mexico to Costa Rica; winter from the Ohio and Potomac valleys and British Columbia southward.

Habits and economic status: Our two meadowlarks, though differing much in song, resemble each other closely in plumage and habits.

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A Waterway Across All France.

Within about two years it is expected that canal-boats or barges will be able to cross France from Havre to Marseilles by a continuous inland waterway whose connecting-links are now approaching completion.

There is no satisfactory port at the mouth since 1906 however, a canal, 50 miles long, partly on the lines of an older one, has been under construction from Arles by Port de Bouc and Martigues to L'Estaque, near Marseilles.

There is only one lock—at Arles; and the final section, a tunnel some 43 miles long, through a ridge of rock was lately inaugurated in the presence of distinguished company, including the Minister of Public Works.

The tunnel will be approximately 72 feet wide and 50 feet high, and the depth of the water in it will be nearly 8 feet.

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RED-WINGED BLACKBIRD

(Agelaius phoeniceus)



Length, about nine and one-half inches.

Range: Breeds in Mexico and North America south of the barren grounds; winters in southern half of United States and south to Costa Rica.

Habits and economic status: The prairies of the upper Mississippi valley, with their numerous sloughs and ponds, furnish ideal nesting places for redwings, and consequently this region has become the great breeding ground for the species.

The food of the redwing consists of 27 per cent animal matter and 73 per cent vegetable. Insects constitute practically one-fourth of the food. Beetles (largely weevils, a most harmful group) amount to 10 per cent.

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COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF UNSEATED LANDS.

By virtue of the several Acts of Assembly relative to the sale of Unseated Lands in the County of Centre, for the taxes due and unpaid, the Commissioners will offer the following tracts at public sale at the Court House, at Bellefonte, Pa., Friday, August 25th, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Table listing land parcels with columns for Acres Per, Warrantee Name, Supposed Owner Taxes & Costs, and other details. Includes sections for BENNER TOWNSHIP, BOGGS TOWNSHIP, BURNSIDE TOWNSHIP, CURTIN TOWNSHIP, FERGUSON TOWNSHIP, GREGG TOWNSHIP, HAINES TOWNSHIP, HALFMOON TOWNSHIP, HARRIS TOWNSHIP, HOWARD TOWNSHIP, HUSTON TOWNSHIP, LIBERTY TOWNSHIP, MARION TOWNSHIP, MILES TOWNSHIP, PATTON TOWNSHIP.

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The Way They Don't Suffer.

"Yes," said the suffragette on the platform, "women have been wronged for ages. They have suffered in a thousand ways."

Not Below Zero.

"I don't think I deserve zero on this examination," said the pupil, as he took his geometry papers.

Sad Contrast.

Bachelor (sadly)—I dreamed last night that I was married. The alarm clock woke me.

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