POULTRY NOTES.

No. 30.

Don't permit too much draft on the poultry that are housed these cold nights.

Pick out a trio of your best birds and get them in good trim, and take them to your County Fair.

You will perhaps secure the prize, and then you will lend your encouragement to the society, and it all depends on what is taken to make a success.

Our Fairs and poultry shows are a general good thing for the farmers especially. As it induces them to give more time and attention to the breeding of better stock, and raising of better grain.

Take a day or two and go to the fair. Take the whole family, don't leave part of them. Go and have a good time. Get with the best stock breeders and find out their ways of doing, and you can combine pleasure and profit.

W. B. GERMAN.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Con-

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as mercury will surely destaoy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo,

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What Keeps Women Young.

A woman is happy just in proportion as she is content, writes Edward W. Bok in the September Ladies' Home Journal. The sun has a way of changing the spots upon which it shines. Especially is this true of our land, where one is up to-day and down to-morrow, and vice versa. The wisest woman is she who trusts in a to-morrow, but never looks for it. To sit down and wish that this might be, that that would be different, does a woman no good. It does her harm in that it makes her dissatisfied with herself, unpleasant to her friends, and makes her old before her time. Happiness is not always increased in proportion to enlarged success. This may sound like an old saw, and I think it is, but there is a world of wisdom in many an old proverb just the same. Contentment is a wonderful thing to cultivate. There would be fewer premature-old women in the world if it was given more of a trial and it became a more universal quality in womanhood.

MORSELS OF MIRTH.

Letters of Regret-I O U .- [Washington Star.

A Lullaby .- She-Wasn't that Bava-A Luthary.—She—wasn't that bava-rian lullaby we heard in the new opera-just perfect? He—Yes. I lay awake all night thinking about it.—[The Epoch. Sure to Get There.-"That flannel shirt

you bought for me is too small. Let Willie have it." "It's four sizes too large for Willie." "Well, wash it till it fits him.

An Appropriate Costume.—"What was the idea of dressing the little page at the Revere wedding like a Western desperado?" "Oh, he was to hold up the train,

rado?" "Oh, he was to hold up the train, you know !"--[Puck. Not Much of a Setter.--Bloobumper---They called in Dr. Piller to set Jones's leg. Dr. Keneen (a rival of Piller)---Pil-ler set a leg! Why, he couldn't set a hen.--[Brooklyn Life.

"What, Helena, you ask for 20 more marks? Do you know where such ex-travagance will lead you?" "Oh, perfectly, dear Fritz, straight to the dress-maker's, "--[Fliegende Blatter.

"Bronson living? Why, I was told he fell at Gettysburg at the beginning of the fight." "He did, but he got right up again, and reached home before the news of the battle. "-- [New York Herald. Bagley-Bronson must have hard work to raise the wind, if he is as slow with all his friends as he is with me. Brace-Hard work? He's got so he can't borrow trouble without an indorser.--[Harper's Bazar.

First Little Girl (looking through the keyhole)-There's company in the sitting room. Second Little Girl-How do you know? First L. G.-'Cause papa's got his collar and necktie on.-[Harvard Lampoon.

Mrs. Prentice-How do you always manage to have such delicious beef? Mrs. Binthyre-I select a good, honest butcher, and then stand by him. Mrs. Prentice-You mean that you give him all your trade? Mrs. Binthyre-No; I mean that I stand by him while he is cutting off the meat.-[Life.

Dr. Cuyler tells the story of a little boy, the son of good Presbyterian par-ents, who was asked the question in the cathecism : "What is man's chief end ?" and he answered it, "Man's chief end is to glorify God and annoy him forever." There are too many men, says Dr. Cuy-ler, who act as if that were their chief end.

The celebrated Scotch preacher, in his subversive sermon on the ark, mentioned the taunts of boys as among the severest trials of the patriarch Noah, when engaged on a shipbuilding enterprise for which there seemed no immediate occasion. "My brethren, there's naething sae evil as a human boy. If ye have a sair place in your heart, he'll just put his finger on it. And so, when Noah was leaving his bit yairdie in the evening, the boys would just look over the paling and cry, 'Noah, ma man, hoo's the airk get-ting on, and whan's the flood ?"-[Lordon Daily News.

Economy in Dress.

A literary lady, who writes for the mag-azines, met a friend on the streets of Galveston. "You seem to be in high spirits, Heard some good news? Going to get married?" asked the friend. "Oh, no; it's better than that. I've just got a let-ter from the editor of the Ladies' Magazine inclosing a check for \$50 in payment of my article on Economy in Dress, and I am going right now to buy me a new brocaded silk velvet dress, made in the latest style, if it takes every cent of the \$50,-[Texas Siftings.

HOW TO SUCCEED.

THE IMPORTANCE OF STARTING RIGHT THE BEST INVESTMENT FOR YOUNG PEOPLE.

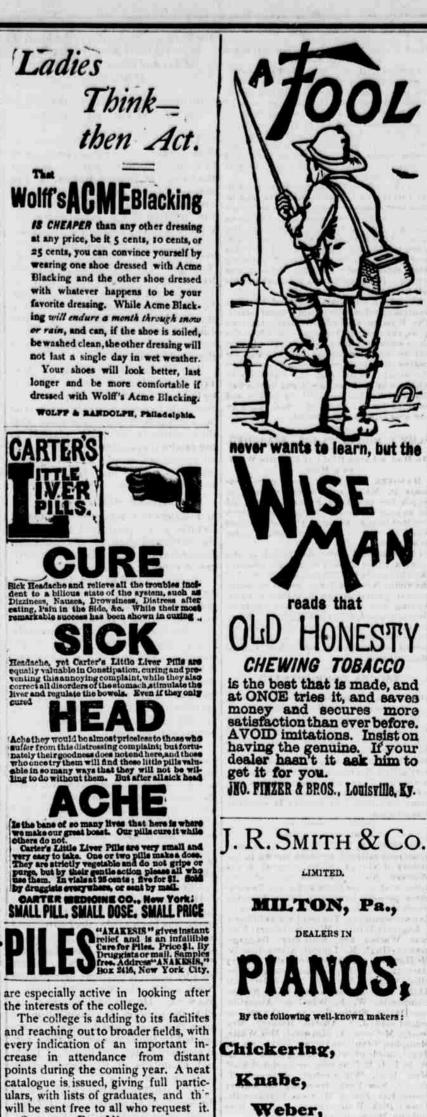
Occasionally a man succeeds in busness with very little knowledge of the details of commercial transactions But the man who wins success under such circumstances cuts his way through the business world with a dull axe. How much broader a path he might cut, and how much more easily and rapidly, were he equipped with a practical knowledge of business details and laws governing commercial trans-actions-the art of dealing with his fellow men.

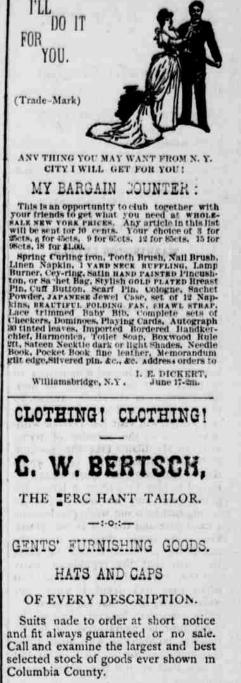
The importance of thorough, practical business education is daily more appreciated. Almost every kind of business is conducted on a higher plane. Profits are smaller than formerly, necessitating greater volume of business, with greater expense for rent, fixtures, help etc. This creates an imperative demand for greater accuracy and speed and improved methods of keeping accounts. Young men and women who can not keep books by the best system, but who can always receive dictation in shorthand, manipulate the typewriter and conduct correspondence, and who have a general aptitude for transacting business, need never want for employment at good salaries. The number of graduates from our business colleges who are experts in these special qualifications is but a fraction of the demand.

The erroneous idea that a business ducation is of no use to a farmer, is, for the most part, a thing of the past. Farmers are beginning to appreciate more fully the importance of being able to dispose of farm products to the best advantage-to convert them into the largest amount of money with the least expenditure of time and labor. Agricultural journals urge the value of keeping an accurate system of accounts with the farm, thus demonstrating the comparative profits of various crops and methods, and enabling the farmer to keep a closer watch upon his expenses, and to avoid countless financial "leaks" which inevitably result from haphazard methods A thorough course in a first-class business college s one of, the most profitable investments the young farmer can make.

One of the most prominent and prosperous institutions of this kind in this section is the Wilkes-Barre Business College. This college was started as a night school in 1885 and incorporated in 1887. Considering its age, the size of the city, and its proximity to other commercial schools, its success exceeds that of any simular institution in the country. Its growth has been steady and healthful, each year having shown a substantial increase in attendance.

This is not a school for teaching bookkeeping and penmanship alone. While these are of vital importance, there are other accomplishments scarcely less essential to those who would win success in the business world in these days of sharp competition. Among the more important of these, all of which are taught by the most practical and thorough methods, are _Scranton Republican. stenography, typewriting, spelling, grammar commercial law and arithmetic. The practical business department gives thorough training in banking, stocks and bonds, drafting all kinds of com-mercial paper—in fact for the transaction of all kinds of business. The theories are applied by a system of actual practice based upon the methods of the most successful establishments of the commercial world. The College now rests upon a firmer foundation than ever before. backed by ample capital and supported by a vigorous, intelligent management, whose permanency seems assured. It commands the respect and friendship of the progressive people of Wilkes-Barre. as well as the hearty good will of stud-ents and graduates. Mr. G. L. Bald-win, the senior principal, has had many years of successful experience in active business. He is a broad gauge man, of keen perceptions and firmness of purpose, a close student of human nature, possessing administrative ability which especially qualifies him for his position. After mature deliberation printed from their plates at THE Cohe entered this institution with the LUMBIAN office. We are also prefixed purpose of making the occupation his life work. The associate prin-cipal, Prof. A. W, Moss, is a born educator. To his natural inclination are added the qualifications which come of long, industrious study and ripe experience in school management. Thoroughness is a distinguishing trait. Prizing knowledge for the satisfaction of knowing and realizing its powerful leverage in raising its possessors above their less fortunate fellows in the struggle for subsistance he applies himself with conscientious zeal to the task of giving his pupils the best possible qualifications for the duties which will confront them in their business career. The faculty comprises, also, such a corps of competent assistants as such principals might naturally be expected to employ. Each depart-ment is in charge of a specialist fully jualified for the duties in hand. The Board of Trustees consists of men of influence and standing, and some of them, notably Hon. C. A. Miner, President of the Board; Dr. F. C. ohnson, of the Wilkes-Barre Record.





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Willie-Why, ma said you had more family jars'n any other woman she knew. --[Chicago Times.

Not Fresh.

The "tramp" nuisance is largely abated, at least in some parts of the country, but it has left its mark upon literature. "Where is your wood pile, lady?" in-quired a tramp, to whom the kind hearted housekeeper had given "a bite of something to eat."

"It's out in the shed. How thoughtful of you to offer to split some wood.

"Oh, I'm not going to split any wood. I want the axe to split this biscuit."---Boston Herald.

The Force of Circumstancer. Mrs. Peterby-Can you wash? Matilda Snowball-Ob course I kin wash, if it has ter be. "Can you cook?"

"If it has ter be, of course I kin cook." "Are you konest? "You bet I'se honest, if I has ter be." -[Texas Siftings.

A Shrewd Poet.

Sanso-They say that poets are an un-businesslike set of men, but I deny that. know one who is very shrewd. Rodd—Indeed! Sanso-Yes. He never goes to submit poem to an editor without first invest-

Foreign Chivelry.

American Heiress-And so you have fought a real duel. Now, to tail the truth, count, weren't you just the least bit frightened ? Foreign Count-No, madam; you see

our seconds had extracted the bullets without our knowledge.--[Binghamton Republican.

An Important Point.

All important Point. Algernon (on the steamer saying good-by to Ethel, in whose area he imagines he, sees prospective tears)—Now, keep up, little girl, keep up. Ethel—Keep up! Now tell me, do you think there is really any danger of our go-ing down?—[Boston Courier.

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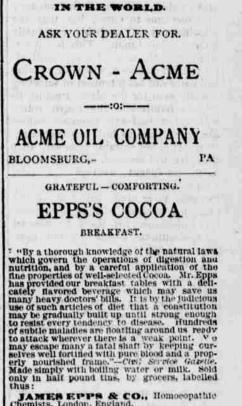
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