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STUART IN CAMP

Opens Tour of State at the Encampment and Fair, at Centre Hall.

Edwin S. Stuart, of Philadelphia, the Republican candidate for Governor, together with Robert S. Murphy, of Johnstown, candidate for Lieutenant Governor; Robert K. Young, of Wellsboro, candidate for Auditor General; Henry Houck, of Lebanon, candidate for Secretary of Internal Affairs; reporters from the Philadelphia Inquirer, Press, Record, North American, Ledger, Pittsburg Dispatch and Telegraph, and Lewis E. Belter, a guest of the newspaper men, arrived at Grange Park Thursday morning in the regular train from the east. They were taken to Republican headquarters by County Chairman Harry Keller, where an informal reception was held during the forenoon. Local would-be political bosses, aspirants for Republican honors in Centre county, county office holders and ex-county officers were climbing over each other to be near the state candidates. Notably among these were ex-Judge John G. Love, the maker and unmaker of the Pottery Mills post office; H. C. Quigley, the smooth-faced politician, candidate for state senator and special interpreter of Republican party rules and regulations when wishing to knock down and out Penna. Valley aspirants for the office of county treasurer; Straddling and Promise maker T. H. Harter; George Washington Reese, general utility man at the Republican headquarters; Capt. C. T. Frybarger, candidate for the legislature, who owes his nomination entirely to a trick played on Capt. John A. Daley by the then county chairman Quigley; C. L. Gramley, disseminator of Republican campaign truth (?) during his incumbency of the office of county superintendent of schools, and now an aspirant for any office with a good salary; Col. E. R. Chambers, Capt. H. S. Bension, Capt. George M. Boal, T. M. Gramley, etc., etc.

The meeting in the auditorium had been widely advertised, and when the hour arrived the candidates solemnly marched to the platform, headed by the Coburn band.

The following is copied from the North American, and very truly recounts the proceedings:

Beginning their up-State speaking tour, ex-Mayor Edwin S. Stuart, candidate for Governor, and the other State Republican candidates attended the Grangers' picnic in Centre Hall and participated in a Republican rally that was as dismal as the weather. All counted, 181 persons listened to the speeches, and that number, which is only one-fifth of the plurality which Centre county gave the fusion ticket a year ago, included the candidates, reporters and twenty-eight women.

The voters present were farmers, the men who know political issues when they arise, and the truth is that none of the candidates contributed much to their enlightenment. Briefly, the theme of discussion was, "Look what the Republican party has done in the past." Mr. Stuart talked vaguely up on the subject of agriculture.

Robert S. Murphy, candidate for Lieutenant Governor, praised the Republican organization from 1856 to the present day. Robert K. Young, candidate for Auditor General, who delivered his first speech in the campaign, said the party had not done all it might have done, but that a new era was dawning. Henry Houck, the nominee for Secretary of Internal Affairs, told four ancient stories.

It was expected that a crowd of 12,000 would attend the "big day" of the Grangers' picnic, but rain in the morning kept the attendance below that. Mr. Stuart and his associates on the ticket held a reception from the time of his arrival, at 10 o'clock, until the time of the rally, four hours later. In that time they shook hands with 300 voters.

Mr. Stuart's handshake as a winner, so pronounced by some of the grangers who tried it. The ex-Mayor has a strong grip, and he shakes hands, up and down, for fully half a minute.

Mr. Houck began a campaigning tour of the Centre Hall picnic park in the morning by investing in peanuts and popcorn, a popular thing for a candidate to do at a picnic. Next, Mr. Stuart examined the exhibits of vegetables and fruit, among which were some "Gibboney apples."

To encourage the Grangers to attend the rally a band traversed the grounds. The affair was under the direction of the Centre County Republican Committee, and it had been widely advertised. C. L. Gramley was chairman and ex-Mayor Stuart was introduced first. He was greeted with applause. He read his speech.

THE K. G. E. RE-UNION.

Eagles Parade Wednesday Forenoon—County Organization Formed and Officers Elected.

The annual re-union of the Centre County Castles, Knights of the Golden Eagle, was the chief feature Wednesday morning. Castles from all over the county were represented but not as large numbers as hoped for. There was a parade at 10 o'clock from Grange Arcadia to Grange Park. It was participated in by all the Castles present headed by the Coburn band.

At the Auditorium the meeting was presided over by J. Kennedy Johnston, Esq., of Bellefonte. Addresses were made by Col. H. S. Taylor and Lieut. S. D. Gettling, of Bellefonte.

Grand Past Chief George C. Stahl, of Milton, was then introduced and made the principal address of the morning and dwelling especially on the great benefits to be derived from joining an organization such as the Knights of the Golden Eagle. He made an eloquent address and closed by extending an urgent invitation to all present to attend the re-union of K. G. E., at Milton Park on Labor Day of next year.

At the close of the speaking a permanent County organization of the different Castles of the Knights of the Golden Eagle was effected. The following officers were elected: President, J. Kennedy Johnston, of Bellefonte; 1st Vice President, J. L. Roush, of Madisonburg; 2nd Vice President, Thomas Hazel, of Bellefonte; Secretary, C. C. Bartges, of Spring Mills; Treasurer, George W. Bradford, of Centre Hall.

A committee of one from each Castle was appointed to confer and select a place and time for holding next year's re-union after which they adjourned.

LOCALS.

I. J. Dreese has arranged to return to Lemont from Baltimore where he lived during the past year.

H. E. Duck, of Millheim, was chosen vice president of the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Company to succeed Jacob Bottorf, deceased.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Musser, of Clearfield, attended camp Friday. Thursday they came as far as Pine Grove Mills, and from there drove to Centre Hall.

Among the Harrisburg people in Centre Hall was Mrs. Luther Guleswite, a guest of Mrs. Mary Dinges. Mrs. Reuben Gramley, of Rebersburg, was also entertained by Mrs. Dinges.

Morris P. Breen, of Altoona, and Emery Metzler, of Newberry, were chums during the Encampment. Mr. Breen is employed by gas fitters in Altoona, and every time he comes home seems to have secured a better position.

While at his country home in Boalsburg, Theodore Davis Boal was telegraphed that his stables in Washington, D. C., were destroyed by fire. The Boals have a splendid residence in Washington where they spend most of their time.

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THE REPORTER REGISTER.

People Out of the County Who Called at the Reporter's Headquarters and Registered.

A card register was open at The Centre Reporter's headquarters Wednesday and Thursday afternoon. Among the many callers, who are from points outside of Centre county, are the following:

W. F. Hill, Chambersburg, Master State Grange
J. T. Allman, Thompsonport, Secretary State Grange
A. M. Cornell, Columbia Cross Roads, Lecturer State Grange
W. T. Cressy, Catawissa, Democratic candidate for Attorney General
G. W. Oster, Rohrburg
C. H. Dildine, Osterburg
F. T. Baker, Lewisburg
Robert S. Conklin, Harrisburg, Commissioner of Forestry
George A. Hall, Williamsport
Mabel Olivia Zerbe, Salt Lake City, Utah
Bertha Musser, Freeport, Illinois
J. E. Hoyt, Lorain, Ohio
J. Edwin Harshbarger, Philadelphia
G. A. Harter, M. D., Maytown
Hon. W. S. Woods, Pittsburg
J. Frank Chandler, Toughkenamon, member Executive Com. of State Grange

George L. Ebbs, Warriors Mark
Barbra Ruth Spatz, Wyoming
Lizzie Harpster, Missoula, Montana
D. Ross Gregory, Petersburg
A. R. Archey, Tyrone
W. E. Ardrey, Williamsport
Charles W. Wiley, Dillsburg
M. E. Diffenderfer, Milliflour
Margaret Gunsalus, Altoona
Celia C. Ruth, Reading
Mrs. J. W. McCormick, Columbia, S. C.
C. S. Detwiler, Montandon
W. E. Hunter, Altoona
Z. Robert Royer, Altoona
Sumner Miller, Penna's Furnace
Emery Metzler, Newberry
M. P. Breen, Altoona
E. R. Hunter, Altoona
Mrs. T. L. Hillman, Latrobe
J. F. Gross, Lock Haven
Mrs. T. L. Hillman, Latrobe
Estie M. Ocker, Lewisburg
Lizzie H. Gross, Lock Haven
James J. Glenn, Princeton, N. J.
Margaret Smith, Chicago, Illinois
H. L. Rinehart, Philadelphia

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Taggart, Harrisburg
Walter M. Kerlin, Cincinnati, Ohio
Harrison Kline, Bellevue, Ohio
Mrs. Harrison Kline, Bellevue, Ohio
P. E. Mowrer, Strawberry Ridge
J. A. Brosius, Williamsport
A. B. Homan, Altoona
Ethel Esther, Long Island, N. Y.
Alfred Osman, Altoona
Mrs. Lydia Duff, Nef's Mills
Mrs. T. C. Henney, Latrobe
Robert W. Percy, Cincinnati, Ohio
Frank H. Fisher, Philadelphia
Edward Wolf, Altoona
Howard Fetterolf, Wilmerding
Wilbur Henney, Wilmerding
L. E. Aurand, Milroy
Cyrus Luse, Tyrone
James Shires, Johnstown

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George Mowery and son Amer, of Burnham, were in town for several days last week. The former has been advanced to overseer of a night force on the Logan side at Burnham, and the son is engaged in the axle plant.

THE TENTERS.

Every Tent on the Ground Occupied and Demand for Others.

Following will be found a partial list of the tenters in Camp. This is not a complete list, but contains such names as were returned to the Reporter's representatives:

Fannie E. Sline, Grace C. Sharer, Minnie O. Garbrik, Zion; Margaret B. Hoy, Tildie O. Hoy, Hubersburg.
Mr. and Mrs. A. Thompson, Clarence Thompson, Fred Barth, Irvin Bartley, Cora Scholl, Bellefonte; Helen Rockey, Zion.
Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Williams, Bellefonte.
James A. Keller, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Keller and family, Will Keller, Christ D. Keller, Centre Hall; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher and daughter, Charles W. Fisher, Penn Hall.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Taggart, Harrisburg; Sara McClellan, Centre Hall; Robert McClellan, Tyrone; Dr. Mrs. Ellen Bower, Bellefonte.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Gross Mingle, Philip Mingle, W. B. Mingle, Esq., and wife, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Booser, sons George and Shannon, Capt. George H. and Mrs. Boal, Centre Hall; Mrs. J. Emory Hoy, Elizabeth Hoy, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bradford, John R. Lawyers, Mr. F. O. Baird, Will J. Smith, Centre Hall.
Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Geary, Mrs. Mary Shoop, Centre Hall; Mrs. Teresa Stover, Millheim; Edward Wolf and wife, Altoona.
Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Leitze, Harry Leitze and wife, Millheim.
Mrs. Robert Wolf and party, Mill Hill.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stam, Caroline Stam, Robert Stam and wife, Miriam Stam, Mary Stam, Ella Stam, Miss Rose Meck, Altoona.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Forsyth, Mary Forsyth, Altoona.
Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Grove, William, Maude and Mary Grove, Ella Witmer, Dale Shuey, Lemont.

Mr. (Capt.) H. S. Bension, Abdera; Marie Holides, Howard; Margaret Wade, Centre Hall.
Mrs. B. W. Rumbarger, Mrs. Lincoln Swartz, Mrs. George Hoy, Hubersburg; Mrs. H. K. Allist; Mrs. Joseph Emeric, Millburg.
Mrs. Emma Sankey, Edith Sankey, Marcellus A. Sankey and wife, Potters Mills.
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bottorf, James, William, Minnie and Walter Bottorf, Newberry; Mr. and Mrs. James High, Lock Haven.
Mr. and Mrs. George L. Goodhart, James Goodhart and wife, Centre Hall; D. Wagner, Geis and wife, Bellefonte.
Mr. and Mrs. James Somers, Edward Somers, Mrs. Hunter, Ax Mann.
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Smith, Lloyd, Ruth and Roy Smith, Potters Mills.
Dr. H. S. and Mrs. Alexander and family, Ella Smith, Dr. W. A. Alexander, Potters Mills.
Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Geiss, Edie Geiss, Virna Geiss, E. M. Huyster and wife, Lelia and Miriam Hoydt, Centre Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stahl and family, Centre Hall; Calvin Gfrere, wife and family, Ax Mann; Clara Postelwait, Newton Hamilton.
W. H. Smith and wife, Spring Mills; Ray and Earl Smith, Potters Mills.
Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Neff, Adam B. Smith, J. Fred Brighton, Centre Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lutz, Edith Lutz, C. D. Bartholomew and family, Annie Lohr, Mrs. H. W. Krosamer, Mrs. McConnell, Centre Hall; Mrs. Elizabeth Bartholomew, Curwensville.
Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Reichen Jr., Katie Getty, Mabel Reichen, Ida Reichen, Mary Getty, Mabel Vonada, Madisonburg.
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Stump, Mary, Mae, Bruce and Elmer Stump, Centre Hall; Mrs. R. C. Herman, and Mrs. Fred Herman, Philipsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. DeLong, J. P. Wolf, Mary C. Lingie, Spring Mills; H. J. Wingerd, Colours.
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dunt, Edward, Anna and Earl Dunt, Centre Hall; J. F. Binner, Spring Mills; W. J. Seesholtz.
John Smith, Mrs. W. W. Gramley, Spring Mills; Bernard Brown and wife, Bellefonte; E. Geiss Wagner and wife, Centre Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. John Snyder, Earl Lutz and wife, Mrs. Emma Shutt, Centre Hall; Mrs. John Mitchell, Williamsport.
Mr. and Mrs. Roland Miller, Andrew Miller, Mrs. Andrew Gregg, John Gregg, Centre Hall; Mrs. Joseph Edmiston, State College.
Ex-Sheriff and Mrs. Brungart, Sara Brungart, Cora Brungart, George Emeric and wife, Virna Emeric, Centre Hall.

Mr. Miller and party, Bellefonte.
Mr. and Mrs. Abner Alexander, W. Frank Bradford and wife, Mrs. Mary Odenick, Centre Hall; William Bradford, Harold Alexander, Centre Hall.
Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Wilson, John Heckman and wife, Lycurgus R. Lingle and wife, James B. Lingle, Charles Arney and wife, Mabel Arney, Mabel Christine, Helen and Russell Wilson, Centre Hall.

Villa Rearick, Claire Kennedy, Jennie Thomas, Dora Meyer, Martha Boal, Fiske Boal, Cora Boal, Margaret Goodman, Lullita Goodman, Carrie Spicher, Centre Hall.
Mr. and Mrs. John W. Conley, Mary White, Roy White, Centre Hall.
Mr. and Mrs. John Geary, Mrs. Anstin Krape, Edna Krape, Mrs. Robinson, Edna Robinson, Centre Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dale, Willard Dale and wife, Lelia Dale, Edna Dale, Frank Musser and wife, George, Robert and Malcolm Musser, Emma Lahler, Lemont.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dale, Norman, Edwin and Mildred Dale, Lemont; Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Dildine, Rohrburg, Columbia county; Minnie Johnston, Bellefonte.
Henry Heaton and party, Roland.
Mrs. J. H. Detrich, Miss Detrich, Allenwood; Mrs. Metzger, Lycorning county.
Harrison Kline, family and party, Bellefonte.
Fred Mosebarger, family and party, Bellefonte.

Thanks, Readers, Thanks.

The Centre Reporter returns thanks for the very liberal outpouring of silver dollars during the Encampment and Fair. These dollars always come on time, and in a short time some one or other of the Reporter's patrons will catch them floating in the business channels.

The Reporter also wishes to say that it hopes it added somewhat to the comfort and convenience of those who attended camp. The callers at its quarters were many, and these and others are invited to return next year, when it is hoped to enlarge the accommodations for the public's benefit.

Wants a Life Partner.

While the Centre Reporter is not running a matrimonial column, it will always be willing to help any unfortunate man or woman when appealed to. There is nothing like a home, you know, and if any of the fair readers of this notice has an aching for love in a cottage and a four o'clock chorus of cocks on the roof, let it be known to F. P. Auman, Spring Mills, (R. F. D.) Pa.

Mr. Auman owns a nice home in Georges Valley, is an industrious man, and will guarantee that the lady will not run empty. Furthermore: no appendages. He will make it happy and interesting for the woman that suits his taste. He's but forty years old and sound.

Most hotel accommodations are inn conveniences.

THE EXHIBITORS.

As a Rule Exhibitors Sold All or Most of Their Exhibits.

The firms that exhibit at the Encampment and Fair who stay by their exhibit and have goods, wares, etc., of merit rarely need repack for shipping home. Inquiry made of various exhibitors, last year and this year, bears out the foregoing assertion. In many instances wares in stock in the home factory or local business places were also sold. It is difficult to estimate the real value of exhibiting at a gathering where the greater number in attendance are directly interested in almost every article on the ground. Farmers, as a rule, are not hasty to make purchases, but without a doubt many had in mind the purchase of machinery when leisurely asking questions of the agent. The purchase oftentimes is made at a time when the exhibit is not credited with any share in making the sale.

Among the exhibitors were the following:

Thornton Barnes, Philadelphia, display of groceries
Garitee & Son, large line of clothing
Milton Commercial College
Pennsylvania Telephone Co.
Rearick Bros., Centre Hall, furniture

Smith Bros., Spring Mills, furniture and stoves
W. A. Huber, Mechanicsburg, novelties
Luse Mfg. Co., Centre Hall, farm machinery and swings
Foreman & Smith, Centre Hall, farm machinery and wagon

Frank Smith, Centre Hall, wagon
Frank Homan, Oak Hall Station, cream separators
Howard Creamery Corp., Centre Hall, dairy supplies
The Dairymen's Supply Co., Philadelphia, dairy supplies

Lawrence Bostwick Mfg. Co., Phelps, N. Y., cream separators
Ralph Stover, Aronsburg, engines
Isaac Underwood, Bellefonte, engines
T. H. Webb, Chester county, hot air engines

H. D. Rossman, Spring Mills, cream separators
James Condo, Spring Mills, buggies and carriages
S. L. Condo, Spring Mills, buggies and carriages

Pennsylvania State College Experiment Station, exhibit of grains, vegetables, fruit, grasses, flowers, mechanical art work etc. This exhibit occupied an entire building and was very tastefully arranged.

Exhibit of the products of the farm, garden, vineyard, etc., of the farmers in Centre county
W. J. Dale, Bellefonte, ducks
W. J. Smith, Centre Hall, Pekin Ducks
Carolyn Dale, State College, barred Plymouth Rocks, buff Orpingtons

D. A. Ertel, Spring Mills, 5 coops white Leghorns, 2 coops white Plymouth cockerels, 6 coops white Leghorn Rocks
G. L. Goodhart, Centre Hall, Rhode Island Reds, white Leghorns
D. Wagner Geis, Bellefonte, 2 coops buff Plymouth Rocks

Agricultural Experiment Station, State College 24 kinds of fowls
J. G. Goodhart, Centre Hill, colt and boar
D. A. Grove, State College, 18 head of cattle

Ice Cream Must be Pure.

Having adopted the standard for ice cream set by the Food Standards Commission of the United States Government, a crusade against the spurious stuff that has been sold in Pennsylvania under the name of Ice Cream has been begun by the Pure Food Department of Pennsylvania.

The government standard holds that ice cream is a frozen product of cream and sugar containing 14 per cent. milk fat. Nut and fruit-ice cream contains 12 per cent. milk fat.

Eggs, gelatine, corn starch and coloring matter will not be permitted under the new regulations. Milk ice cream will be a thing of the past. It will not come up to the standard.

Dr. B. H. Warren has never been able to secure a recognized standard for ice cream until now. He has notified all his agents to begin lifting samples at once.

Lightning Does Damage.

During a heavy thunderstorm lightning struck and set on fire the barn of A. E. Goss, near Philipsburg. A manager was badly demolished, and a horse that was tied to it lost its hearing. A peculiar thing is that the fire burned out without destroying the barn.

Fifteen head of sheep, standing in an open field, were killed by a flash of lightning. The sheep were the property of John Johnson, at Merengo, Ferguson township.

Result of Swallow's Talk.

The Butler county Prohibition organization has gone over to Emery in a body. Over in Schuylkill county the Prohibition leaders have requested Castle to cancel his dates. One of the leading party men said he would not get ten per cent. of the Prohibition voters.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

Going to attend the dedication of the \$12,000,000 State Capitol?
Centre Hall is back to its normal condition—the Encampment and Fair is over.

Tax Collector Roland Treaster received taxes in the Penna. Valley bank Saturday.

William Groff, the Millheim druggist, was recently married to Miss Mary Elizabeth Oster, of Lancaster.

A rubber tire run-about is the gift Landlord James W. Runkle of the Centre Hall Hotel presented his daughter, Miss Laura, on a recent birthday.

Grain fields in Penna. Valley are looking splendid. The weather conditions were very favorable for germinating the seed and further developing the plant.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sumner Miller, of Pennsylvania Furnace, were among the many of the Reporter's callers last week. Mr. Miller is a farmer, and always makes it a point to attend the Encampment.

George Armbruster, of Farmers Mills, was a caller Monday. He has not been in the best of health during the past two months, and consequently this was his first trip to Centre Hall for a long while.

At a congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian Church, of Watson-town, the Rev. Henry C. Sperbeck, of Port Carbon, was unanimously elected pastor of the church. It is expected that he will accept.

Elyer DeArmitt and family, of Mingo, spent the week with friends about Centre Hall. He is one of the section hands on the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania and consequently has steady employment.

By looking over the list of tenters on Grange Park, the reader will find that Harry Bottorf and family, of Newberry, are among them. Mr. Bottorf is engaged in a box factory conducted by George Breen, the Williamsport lumberman.

The Reporter has no apology to offer its readers on account of devoting the greater part of this issue to the Encampment and Fair. Many of its readers were at the gathering and the others will just be as anxious to know what transpired there.

Rev. J. M. Rearick filled the appointment in the Lutheran church at Centre Hall Sunday for the first time in eleven weeks. It required considerable effort for him to stand while delivering the sermon, it being necessary to rest his one knee on a chair. At present he is attending Synod at Middleburg, the sessions having opened Wednesday.

One of the notable features of the October Everybody's is the opening installment of Jack London's new serial, "Before Adam." This promises to be the literary sensation of the year. All of the author's daring and virility of style are there, and yet neither Mr. London or any one else has ever before attempted such a venture into the realms of fiction.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCormick returned to Columbia, South Carolina, Monday afternoon. Mrs. McCormick spent the greater part of the summer in Centre Hall with her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Meyer, and her husband has been here for the past four weeks. Both have improved in health very much, and gained considerable weight while in the north.

Down in Union county a man sued his neighbor for picking cherries from a tree that was overhanging his (the defendant's) premises. The act was not denied, and the prosecutor got judgment for the value of the cherries. Possibly that is correct law, but any man who will permit his fruit trees to hang over his neighbor's premises and claim the fruit is the limit.

Miss Lizzie Harpster, of Missoula, Montana, and Mrs. Horace Zerbe and daughter, Miss Mabel, were probably the most distant visitors to camp. While the ladies did not come east especially to attend this gathering, they did make it suit to be here at this particular time in order to be able to see many of their friends without traveling over the entire central part of the state.

With the approach of the hunting season trespass notices are becoming ready sale. Really, it appears to the man of good sense that the owner of real estate ought to have first right to game on his premises. Besides this, there are many reckless, destructive hunters who are not worthy the privilege of entering on private property. Just suppose, for a minute, what would happen if the game was owned by local sports and pot-hunters? The farmer would be obliged to keep his and "hisen" behind breast works while the hunting season was on.