

PARADISE FOR THE BIRDS

Providence Seems to Have Provided Temperate Zones for the Feathered Friends of Man.

Up in the far country where the timber falls, the calendar is respected. There is no summer before the official day set for it. The ground is held fast by frost until June is well started. There are flurries of snow, wild, bitter winds, a sky that has no mercy. And then, suddenly, the wind shifts and comes out of the south. It is summer then with a leap.

The interest of the temperate zone in the northland is that it is there that have gone a great many of the migrating birds which paid us a few days' visit and passed on. For all its inhospitality to man, that country in summer is a paradise for birds. Its marshes are safe refuges from two and four-footed enemies. There is exhaustless material for nests. And out of the pools come myriads of insects, food that does not fail until the time for the southward bird movement arrives.

Some man has said that there is no God north of latitude 59. He did not inquire as to what the birds might have thought of that.—Toledo Blade.

Public Opinion.

People say how strong public opinion is; and, indeed, it is strong while it is in its prime. In its childhood and old age it is as weak as any other organism. I try to make my own work belong to the youth of public opinion. The history of the world is the record of the weakness, frailty and death of public opinion, as geology is the record of the decay of those bodily organisms in which public opinions have found material expression.—Samuel Butler.

Gladstone's Domestic Rule.

Mr. Gladstone once said that he had solved the domestic problem in this way: "Whenever Mrs. Gladstone insists I submit; and whenever I insist she submits." He didn't say, however, whether they took turns about insisting and submitting. Marriage is a failure when one of the parties insists on being the insister and doesn't take turns in submitting to the submitter.

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Avail on the Scales.

It is customary when a militant suffragette is placed on trial in England for her friends to write away their time in court by bounding shoes, bags of flour and bales of pamphlets on the magistrate's brow. This conduct is calculated to bias—if not brain—the court.

Better to Admonish.

It is better to admonish than to reproach; for the one is mild and friendly, the other harsh and offensive; the one corrects the faulty, the other convicts them.—Epictetus.

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KEYSTONE STATE IN SHORT ORDER

Latest News Happenings Gathered From Here and There.

TOLD IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS

Charles E. Knecht Has Been Appointed Postmaster at Nazareth—Chapter Of National Child Life Association Formed At Bath.

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While mining coal at Henry Clay Colliery, Shamokin, George Balsor was killed when the roof collapsed.

Thomas G. Vincent, who has been appointed postmaster of Danville at \$2500 a year, will resign as prothonotary of Montour County, he says.

When the bottom of a washing machine fell out at the home of W. D. Waughel, at Sporting Hill, his sixteen-month-old daughter was scalded. Her condition is critical.

While Harry T. Lear, a letter-carrier, was delivering mail on Wollerton Street, West Chester, he was struck in the face by a large stone thrown by someone unknown and knocked down.

County Treasurer William D. Reeser, of Yellow House, has asked the State Department for 5000 hunters' license tags to start the season. Last year 9000 license tags were issued.

Walking in front of a moving locomotive, John Carroll, a machinist, forty-five years old, was killed on the Main street crossing, Coatesville. Several persons have been killed at this place the last ten years.

Returning to her home after attending a wedding at Mahanoy City, Mrs. Derisabage found her three-year-old daughter face downward in a tub of water. The child was unconscious when the physician arrived, but her life was saved.

A chapter of the National Child Life Association has been formed at Poth with the following officers: President, Mrs. Robert O. Stradley; vice-president, Mrs. Jacob H. Seem; corresponding secretary and librarian, Mrs. William U. Helfrich; recording secretary, Mrs. Robert H. Heine.

The senior class of the Quakertown High School held its class day exercises and presented a play in which most of the class took part. Miss Esther Snyder read the class history, and Harvey Bauman presented the last will and testament. The class song was composed by Miss Ida Gordon.

At the fortieth annual commencement exercises of the Chester High School diplomas were awarded to seventy-five graduates. Miss Esther Orinda Nichols won the William C. Sproul Swarthmore College scholarship. Edward J. Cattell, chief statistician of Philadelphia, made the principal address.

Charles E. Steel, of Minersville, who was nominated as the candidate of the Washington Party for Congress without opposition last month, sent a letter to County Chairman G. E. Gangloff, withdrawing his name from the ticket. Steel is recovering from a severe attack of typhoid fever and was warned that the excitement of a campaign would endanger his life.

Ex-Burgess G. W. Heffelman was selected as acting postmaster of New Cumberland as a result of charges brought against Postmaster Herman Long by Gifford Pinchot. Mr. Heffelman was postmaster of New Cumberland during Cleveland's second administration. Long was charged with the failure to deliver twenty-five political advertisements of Pinchot's.

The Chester County Historical Society is planning for a big celebration in the latter part of September or early in October, when there will be unveiled and dedicated a large bronze tablet which the society will place upon the old home of General Anthony Wayne. It is intended to invite President Woodrow Wilson, Secretary of War Garrison, General Leonard Wood and other celebrities.

State Fish Warden Bueller has taken action to protect the fish, which have fallen easy prey to "pot" fishermen at the upper Tumbling Run artificial lake, because the water is being drawn off in order to repair the wickets. Many fish were caught in nets and even baskets and wash-bottles until the interference of the State official was asked and State police were put on the watch.

The Hiawatha Hunting and Fishing Club, which owns 1500 acres of land in Monroe County, and is composed of more than 100 sportsmen in the Lehigh and Delaware Valley, held its annual meeting at Bethlehem. Dr. H. A. Brookhart, of Bethlehem, was elected president. Other officers are: Vice-president, W. J. Morton, of Stroudsburg; secretary, J. Hiram Schwartz, of Allentown; treasurer, Charles E. Drumbore, of South Bethlehem.

The Markets

NEW YORK—Wheat—Spot weaker. No. 2 hard winter, 97 1/2 c. f. N. Y.; No. 2 red, new, 90 1/2 July; shipment c. l. f.; No. 1, Northern, Duluth, \$1.00 1/2 and No. 1 Northern, Manitoba, \$1.02 1/2 f. o. b. afloat. Corn—Spot weak; No. 2 yellow, 80 1/2 c. f. f. prompt. Butter—Ladies, current make, firsts, 19 1/2 @ 20c; seconds, 19. Cheese—State, whole milk, fresh white or colored, average fancy, 14 1/2 @ 15c. Eggs—Fresh gathered extras, 23 @ 25c. Dressed poultry firm. Western chickens, frozen, 14 1/2 @ 20c; fowls, 13 1/2 @ 19; turkeys, 25 @ 26.

PHILADELPHIA—Wheat—Carlots, in export elevator, No. 2 red, spot and June, 98 1/2 @ 99c; No. 1 Northern Duluth, \$1.01 @ 1.02. Corn—Carlots, new, No. 2 yellow, 80 1/2 @ 81; steamer, yellow, 80 @ 80 1/2; do, No. 3 yellow, 70 1/2 @ 80. Oats—No. 2 yellow, 47 @ 47 1/2; standard white, 46 1/2 @ 47; No. 3 white, 45 1/2 @ 46; No. 4 white, 44 @ 45.

Butter—Western, solid-packed creamery, fancy special, 30c; extra, 28; extra firsts, 27; firsts, 26 @ 26 1/2; seconds, 23 @ 25; nearby prints, fancy, 31; average extra, 29 @ 30; firsts, 36 @ 37; seconds, 23 @ 25; garlicky prints, 21 @ 22. Eggs—Nearby extra, 25c per dozen; firsts, \$6.45 per standard case; nearby current receipts, \$6.15; Western, extra firsts, \$6.45 per standard case; firsts, \$6.15; seconds, \$5.40 @ 5.70; candled and recrated fresh eggs, 26 @ 28 per dozen.

Live Poultry—Fowls, as to quality, 16 1/2 @ 17 1/2; broiling chickens, fine, large, 32 @ 33; medium, 25 @ 30; old roosters, 10 @ 11; pigeons, young, per pair, 18 @ 22; do, do, per pair, 23 @ 25; ducks, old, 12 @ 14; do, do, young, 17 @ 18.

BALTIMORE—Wheat—No. 2 red spot and June, 92c; Western, 92; July, 87 1/2; Western, 89 1/2; August and September, 87 1/2; Western, 88 1/2. Corn—Contract, 75 1/2. Closing easier, spot, 76 1/2 c nominal.

Oats—Standard white, 45 1/2 @ 46c; No. 3 white 45 1/2 @ 45 1/2. Rye—Western Rye, No. 2, 74 @ 75c; No. 3, 69 @ 70; No. 4, 67 @ 68. Bag lots nearby, as to quality, 60 @ 70c. Export Delivery—Western Rye, No. 2, 71 @ 72c; No. 3, 68 @ 69; No. 4, 66 @ 67.

Hay—No. 1 timothy—\$18.50 @ 19.00; standard, \$18.00 @ 18.50; No. 2, \$17.00 @ 17.50; No. 3, \$14.00 @ 15.00. Light clover mixed—\$17.00 @ 17.50. No. 1, \$16.50 @ 17.00; No. 2, \$13.00 @ 14.00; heavy, \$15.00 @ 15.50. Choice clover—No. 1, \$14.50 @ 15.00; No. 2, \$13.00 @ 14.00; No. 3, \$10.00 @ 12.00. No established grade, \$10.00 @ 12.00. Sample grade, as to kind, quality and condition, \$8.00 @ 10.00.

Straw—No. 1 straight rye—\$15.00; No. 2, \$14.00 @ 14.50; No. 1 tangled—\$11.50 @ 12.00; No. 2, \$11.00 @ 11.50. No. 1, wheat—\$8.50 @ 9.00; No. 2, \$7.00 @ 8.00. No. 1, oat—\$10.50 @ 11.00; No. 2, \$9.50 @ 10.00.

Butter—Fancy, 28 @ 29 1/2; choice, 27 @ 28; good, 25 @ 26; prints, 25 @ 31; blocks, 25 @ 30; ladies, 19 @ 20; Maryland and Pennsylvania rolls, 19; Ohio rolls, 18 1/2 @ 19; West Virginia rolls, 18 1/2 @ 19; more packed, 18 1/2 @ 19; Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania dairy prints, 19; process, 21 @ 23.

Eggs—Maryland, Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, 20c; Western firsts, 20; West Virginia firsts, 20; Southern firsts, 19. Recrated or rehandled eggs, 1/2 @ 1c higher.

Live Poultry—Chickens—Old hens, heavy, 18c; old hens, small to medium, 18; old roosters, 10; spring, 1 1/2 lbs. and over, 32; do, smaller, 30. Ducks—Old, 11 @ 12c; Muscovy, 10 @ 11; spring, 3 lbs. and over, 18. Pigeons—Young and old, per pair, 25c. Guinea fowl, each, 30c.

Live Stock

NEW YORK—Steers, \$6.75 @ 9.20; culls, \$5.50 @ 7.75; cows, \$3.75 @ 6.80. Calves—Veals, \$8.00 @ 11.50; culls, \$6.00 @ 8.00; buttermilk, \$5.75 @ 6.75. Sheep—Sheep, \$3.50 @ 5.25; culls, \$2.50 @ 3.25; lambs, \$8.50 @ 9.75; culls, \$8.00. Hogs—Hogs, \$8.50 @ 8.70; roughs, \$7.25 @ 7.50.

CHICAGO—Hogs—Bulk of sales, \$8.15 @ 8.25; light, \$8.00 @ 8.25; mixed, \$8.00 @ 8.30; heavy, \$7.75 @ 8.27 1/2; rough, \$7.85 @ 8.00; pigs, \$7.00 @ 7.80. Cattle—Beeves, \$7.35 @ 9.35; steers, \$6.80 @ 8.15; stockers and feeders, \$6.10 @ 8.10; cows and heifers, \$3.50 @ 8.70; calves, \$7.25 @ 10.35. Sheep—Sheep, \$5.30 @ 6.40; yearlings, \$6.20 @ 7.50; lambs, \$6.50 @ 8.50; springs, \$7.25 @ 9.75.

PITTSBURGH—Cattle—Choice, \$8.80 @ 8.90; prime, \$8.60 @ 8.80. Sheep—Prime wethers, \$5.55 @ 6.00; culls and commons, \$2.00 @ 3.50; lambs, \$4.00 @ 7.50; veals, calves, \$10.00 @ 10.75. Hogs—Prime heavies, \$8.40; medium, heavy and light Yorkers, \$8.55; pigs, \$8.25 @ 8.50; roughs, \$7.00 @ 7.75.

Steam and gas engines and boilers were imported into Spain to the value of \$380,000 during January and February, 1914, against \$300,000 and \$180,000, respectively, during similar periods in 1913 and 1912.

The American Farmer.

All things recalled, wouldn't it be the part of statesmanship to do congressionally for the American farmer? He's one-fourth of your population, and the nation's best hope. The American merchant borrows at five per cent. The American stock gambler, producing nothing, accomplishing nothing, a mere leech living by the toll of others, borrows for even less. The American farmer, with all that can be said to his good and solvent advantage, must and does pay 8 1/2 per cent.

And all the time the savings and postal banks are bulging with billions. If the government would make two blades of grass grow where but one has grown before—and publicly it would pay—the wide-flung chance lies open. Let it model action on French or German lines, and place the farmer on a borrowing par with the merchant, the manufacturer and the stock jobber. Let it evolve a system of farm loans which shall put those savings and postal bank billions at a per cent within the farmer's borrowing reach.—Hearst's Magazine.

ITCHING, BURNING ERUPTION

Thomasville, Ala.—"I suffered with eczema on my hands and feet two or three years. About eleven years ago I became troubled with an itching, burning eruption which came on my hands and feet in little water blisters and in about a day or two when I would let the water out or wash it out, using my hands, then the places would fester and itch to beat the band. I could not do any work that was rough on my hands at all. It caused me great suffering and inconvenience.

"I tried everything that I knew of or was told and never was really relieved until I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I would wash the parts in water with the Cuticura Soap and then when I dried them I would apply the Cuticura Ointment on the surface in the daytime, and at night I would get a soft piece of cloth and apply the Cuticura Ointment on my hands and let it stay that way all night. A perfect cure was effected. No one will ever know how glad I was to get my hands and feet cured." (Signed) Geo. C. Crook, Nov. 25, 1912. Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address postcard "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

Idle Thoughts.

"Why are you watching that fly so intently?" "I was just wondering if men will ever be able to tango up and down the walls like that. Wouldn't it be fine?"—Pittsburgh Post.

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Wear Well.

Husband—I note that the papers again say that Huerta is on his last legs. Wife—They certainly do last.

It is easy enough to be popular. Just agree with everything the other fellow says.

REAL LIFE IN THE COUNTRY

Fact is Shown by Man's Eagerness to Escape From Congestion of the Crowded City.

Why is it that railway magnates, presidents of banks and heads of great enterprises who must perforce do business in cities, almost all try to have homes on farms in the country, where they develop soils, plant crops and breed animals? It is because there is wearisome monotony in piled up brick and stone. There is confusion in crowded streets and clanging trolley cars and hot smoky railways. These things man has made, and they are needful, but they are not life, much as the farm boy may imagine them to be.

Life is in the open country. Life is in the growing grass, the waving fields of wheat, the springing corn. Life is in the trees and birds, life is in the developing animals of the farm.

Any man who works with the land, who feeds a field and watches the result, gains a real fundamental knowledge of the underlying foundation on which rests all our civilization. It makes him a sober man, a thoughtful man, a reverent man, and if he experiments wisely a hopeful optimist. Life is where things are born and live and grow. On the farm is real life.—Breeder's Gazette.

Boon to Mankind.

Ignatius Tootle, the renowned authority on floral life, who lives near the quiet village of Yankee Springs, is at the present time trying to out-burbank Burbank, the wiz, by growing a rectangular watermelon. Mr. Tootle has noticed for years that ultimate consumers have had much trouble trying to carry watermelons from the store, inasmuch as they (the watermelons) are of awkward shape and quite slippery, and after a watermelon has fallen and has hit the cement sidewalk its usefulness may be said to be over. Mr. Tootle's watermelon will be long and will have square corners, one of which corners will fit into the bent elbow when the melon is carried on the inside of the arm. Mr. Tootle expects to have his new melon growing and on the market by 1927, if nothing happens.—Boston Globe.

Must Have Stirred Audience.

Dan Daly once essayed the legitimate. It was in his early days. All he had to do was to come to the center of the stage at a critical moment and shout: "The king is dead; long live the king!"

When the time came Mr. Daly promptly assumed the correct dramatic pose, but for a moment was so agitated that words failed him. Then he belloved at the top of his voice: "Long live the king—he's dead!"

Reasonable Guess.

Church—They say the new comet hasn't been seen before in 15 years, and it's egg-shaped. Gotham—Where do you suppose it's been? In cold storage?

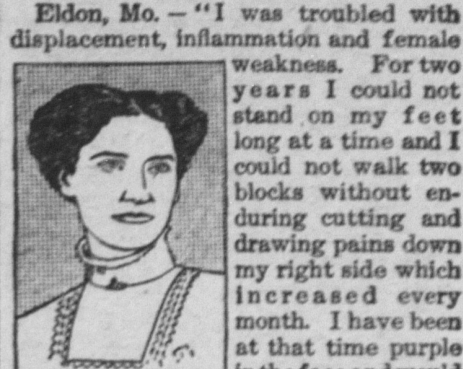
But Not Toothless.

"Call off your dog, for goodness' sake!" "No use; he's deaf."—Le Rire.

India is badly in need of female doctors.

WOMEN CAN HARDLY BELIEVE

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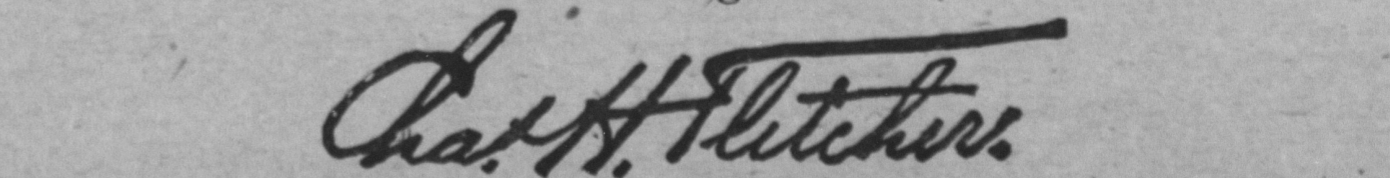
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