

THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1917

SUNDAY, JULY 1, FOOD CONSERVATION DAY

Hoover Launches Nation-wide Campaign To Awaken American Housewife To Her Opportunity.

Herbert Hoover, food administrator, named Sunday, July 1, as food conservation day, when he urged newspapers, magazines, motion picture theatres, billboard owners, etc., to join in a nation-wide campaign "to awaken the American housewife to her opportunity and duty."

In this campaign by which Hoover hopes to save \$2,000,000,000 annually through elimination of waste in the kitchen alone, all summer schools will be utilized. Through summer schools alone, Hoover expects to educate 250,000 housewives in the art of saving.

Specially directed campaigns are to be made in hotels, railroad dining cars, cafes and all manner of public eating places.

Hoover pointed out that "if only two cents is saved on every meal, an annual saving of another \$2,000,000,000—equal to the Liberty loan—will have been saved to this nation and her allies."

Strong efforts to break up auto speeding and other violations of the law by motorists along rural roads are to be made by the State Highway Department and the State police department this summer.

Highway Commissioner Black has written to every district attorney in the State asking that prompt attention be paid to every case reported to the local officials by the State police.

Police Superintendent Groom has issued instructions to all troopers to keep a vigilant lookout for all law breaking autoists.

Walter L. Warner, of Lewistown, and Miss Pearl M. Braucher, of Spring Mills, were married by Rev. D. F. Young, at Lewistown, Monday, June 18th.

PENN HALL

Irvin Weaver and family spent Sunday at the home of Gross Shook.

Philip Shook returned home from Philadelphia on Saturday morning, to spend the summer vacation.

Mrs. George Rowe, of Boalsburg spent a few days with Mrs. Jacob Meyers.

Mrs. Harry McManaway, of Bellefonte, visited her mother, Mrs. Jacob Meyer, over Sunday.

Rev. John Keller preached a very good sermon in the Salem Reformed church on Sunday morning.

Miss Sarah Fisher went to West Chester on Tuesday morning to attend commencement.

Miss Mary Robb, of State College, visited her friend, Miss Sarah Fisher, over Sunday.

Irma Shook attended the John Robison show at Lock Haven on Friday with friends from Rebersburg.

Frank Fisher and family, accompanied by John Keller and family took supper at the home of George Shook on Saturday.

Isaac Walker spent a few days at Lewisburg, and returned last Saturday, bringing a bride along which was a surprise to his neighbors.

Frank Musser and family, of Middleburg, accompanied by Harry Ulrich and family, of Coburn, spent Sunday with the former's brother and sister, Luther and Lucy Musser.

STATE AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

Farmers are urged to break old meadows for rye and to increase the legume crops in order to cut down feed bills.

Farmers are urged to plough now and sow buckwheat and to follow with rye, using 300 pounds of acid phosphate with the rye.

There is a shortage of spring pigs according to reports from farmers in all sections of the State only about 59 per cent. of an average being raised.

On June 1 the condition of wheat in the State as compared with an average was 96 per cent., indicating a crop of approximately 21,000,000 bushels.

Statistics gathered by the Department of Agriculture at Harrisburg show that the acreage in oats has been increased about two per cent., or 22,000 acres over last year.

Farmers throughout the State are being urged to increase the acreage in buckwheat and the Department of Agriculture at Harrisburg is disposing of large quantities of buckwheat seed at cost.

About 20,000 acres of land sown to wheat last fall were ploughed down this spring on account of the poor stands through winter heaving. Many farmers left poor fields stand as they figured a good price for wheat would pay for raising half a crop.

There has been a decided decrease in the prospects for a big peach crop, and fruit growers say that the cold weather indicates a large June drop. On June 1 the indications pointed to a crop of about 75 per cent. of normal, but this will be far above last year's yield.

Harrisburg News Letter.

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ance commissioner last year because of Brumbaugh's "high-handed tactics". Then, the bill provides that the Treasury Department be further cluttered up with lawyers and clerks and bookkeepers and stenographers and messengers at salaries of from \$5,000 to \$1,000.

The history of the Crow bill, however is worth remembering. It was introduced May 23. The Legislature's day of final adjournment, June 28, came five weeks and two days later. If it is possible to get such legislation thru in such a space of time, what basis is there for specious arguments that "there wasn't time" to enact really good legislation.

Should Governor Brumbaugh disapprove the treasury job bill there'll be a lot of disappointed Penrose men. All the fourteen places contemplated by the Crow bill have long since been promised.

Probably the darkest plot on the smuggy record of the do-nothing session was that which was spread by the House the Thursday before final adjournment. Petty quarrels of the Republican factions culminated in adjournment of the House to avoid trouble, adjournment bringing with it slaughter of hundreds of House bills which lost all chance of becoming laws. One faction objected to a vote on the act suspending the full crew law during the war, another objected to a vote of the workmen's compensation amendments, another objected to a vote on the Philadelphia small-council bill. More dirty linen was washed than at any time since the Senate debated over the "investigation of the governor" early in the session. This was excellent; such washdays let the people in on a lot of incidents of political manipulation which might otherwise escape attention. But the net result of the row was that the people, as usual, got the hot end of the poker at the hands of the Republican organization.

Swat the Rooster—Now.

Chanticleer birds fair to rob the country again this summer of enormous quantities of good grain and eggs.

Or, the old rooster will again put in his deadly work at destroying good food this summer, mostly because the country won't rise up and smite him. So says the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture who in two previous years have announced a "Rooster Day" about this season as a day when every male chicken of adult age within the State should be either penned or killed.

It is too late now to set any more eggs this season because the chances are all against these extra late chicks being worth the much needed grain it will take to raise them.

Hens without the presence of the males will lay more eggs, will be in better plumage, moult better, be better content and lay eggs that will infinitely keep better.

In fact the latter is the great reason for this campaign against the rooster, for without him eggs will be sterile or infertile. Now infertile or sterile eggs stand heat much better, in fact under the influence of any temperature, hen house, depot platform, freight car enroute or corner grocery; above 90 degrees if the egg is a fertile egg the germ is quickened or life started. Later this dies and there is a spoiled egg. So many are spoiled that the summer's loss will amount to about fifty million dollars.

The Department of Agriculture wishes the hearty co-operation of every poultry keeper in the State in this year's campaign to swat the rooster. Get busy and kill yours now.

Woodward.

From last week.

Having spent six weeks with her sister in Johnstown, Miss Lyda Hosterman returned to her home on Saturday. She was accompanied home by her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zeime.

John Miller and daughter, Misses Gertrude and Maude, from Pennsylvania Furnace, and sister, Mrs. Harvey Williams, from Pine Grove Mills, spent last Thursday at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. R. Wolfe.

The memorial services and flag raising held by the P. O. S. of A. Sunday afternoon were largely attended.

Thos. Wolfe and family spent a day last week with his son, Harry, in Millburg.

Samuel Orndorf and daughter, Miss Edna and Miss Margaret Krape, from Coburn, spent Sunday with Mrs. Phoebe Wise.

Mrs. Walter Reffner and children spent the greater part of last week with friends in Laurelton.

Bill to Aid Farmers.

Among Senate bills passed finally in the House last Friday was the Spraul bill establishing a state bureau of markets to be part of the Department of Agriculture and designed to put farmers in direct touch with consumers.

16-DAY SEASHORE EXCURSION

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LOST.—Valuable gold bracelet, somewhere between Lloyd Brown residence and Old Fort. Reward if returned to Miss Grace Cummings, Centre Hall, Pa.

FARM FOR SALE.

The undersigned, Executor of Eliza Smith, late of Potter township, Centre County, Pa., deceased, will offer for sale.

SATURDAY, JUNE 30, 9 P. M. on the premises at Centre Hill the following real estate, consisting of a farm containing about one hundred and thirteen acres, described as follows:

All that tract or piece of land lying and being in the township of Potter, and County of Centre aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at post adjoining lands late of George Odenkirk, thence south thirty-five and one-half degrees east, two hundred and ninety-three and eight-tenths perches to post; thence by land of John Runkle, south twenty-seven degrees west, twelve perches to middle of turnpike; thence by the said turnpike, south sixty-two degrees east, eight-tenths of a perch; thence south forty-five and one-half degrees west, eight perches to post by old road; thence north eighty-one degrees west, nine and eight-tenths perches to stone by new church lot; thence south fifty-six degrees west, sixteen and five-tenths perches to stone; thence south sixty and one-half degrees west, fourteen and six-tenths perches to stone by Samuel Swartz lot; thence thirty-eight and one-fourth degrees west, one hundred and fifty-eight perches to post by Burkholder and Strohm; thence north fifty-eight and one-half degrees east sixteen and one-half perches to the middle of the turnpike; thence along middle of the turnpike north fifty-nine degrees west, twenty perches; thence north forty-nine and one-fourth degrees west, one hundred and twenty-four perches to

post; thence north fifty-eight and three-fourths degrees east, eighty-four and two-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing ONE HUNDRED AND TWELVE ACRES, ELYVEN PERCHES, and allowance; except about one-fourth acre sold to R. M. Smith, May 1, 1907, as shown in deed recorded May 20, 1907, and used by him for private road.

Also a certain tract of land containing about one acre adjoining and lying to the south of the main farm, said tract having formerly been owned by a Presbyterian church.

Also about one half acre of land lying on the northwest side of the main farm, the portion on west side of pike, the same having been purchased from R. M. Smith, May 1, 1907, and recorded May 20, 1907.

TERMS.—Ten per cent. of purchase money to be paid on day of sale; one half of remainder on delivery of deed, and balance in one year, secured by bond and mortgage.

ROBERT M. SMITH, Executor of Eliza Smith.

JAMES W. SWABB

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