

**County Agent Robinson Discusses Fertilizer on Potatoes.**

There is no field crop in Pennsylvania which responds with greater profits to liberal applications of commercial fertilizers than do potatoes. In fact, liberal applications of commercial fertilizers, manure, of both, are as essential as good culture, good disease-free seed, or spraying. The potato is a weak feeder and for the best results ready available plant food must be supplied in abundance. For that reason potatoes should never be planted on poor soil. They come nearer reaching perfection in both quality and in yield on well drained fertile shaley or loam soil, having a good clover seed sod with a coat of manure plowed down in the late fall or early spring. Under such conditions 400 to 800 pounds of acid phosphate per acre should be applied, says County Agent J. N. Robinson. Where potatoes follow a well manured timothy sod, or well manured corn ground, 800 to 1200 pounds of a 3-12-14 mixture should be used. If the soil is not naturally fertile, the percentage of ammonia may be increased up to four per cent. Potatoes following timothy sod should receive up to at least 1000 to 1500 pounds of a 4-10-4 or 6 mixture.

When the effect on the potato crop is considered it makes little difference whether the fertilizer is all applied in the row or half put in the row and the other half broadcast. When the crop following potatoes is considered it is better to put half in the row and broadcast the other half. The broadcasting may be done either before or after the potatoes are planted. When planting by hand the best plan is to broadcast all either before or after planting. Experiments have not shown any advantage in making light applications at frequent intervals during the growing season.

**Renovo Wants Divorce.**

There is a report current that some citizens of Renovo are starting agitation in favor of presenting an application to the next legislature, praying for transfer of the western section of Clinton county to Cameron county. Alleged lack of recognition of Renovo and other communities in western Clinton county in handing out the political offices of the county is given as grounds for "divorce action." The Renovo element it is stated, feels that the fact that the borough pays forty per cent of the county taxes entitles it to more recognition. Renovo has had two associate judges and six county commissioners since 1890.

**Transfers of Real Estate.**

- Isaac Miller to Lloyd A. Stover, tract in Spring twp.; \$800.
- Wm. Tressler, et ux, to Wm. Barner, tract in Spring twp.; \$750.
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- John H. Barton to Walter R. Korman, tract in College twp.; \$900.
- Mary I. C. MacMillard, et bar, to James L. Theakston, tract in State College; \$4,500.
- Superior Silicia Brick Co. o R. C. Witmer, tract in Bellefonte; \$7,900.
- W. H. Fry, et ux, to Emil Roth, tract in Spring twp.; \$1.
- Emanuel H. Zeigler, et al, to Chas. Rimmer, tract in Spring twp.; \$2,000.
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- Bertha Lindemuth, et bar, to Roy Calhoun, tract in Unionville; \$1,000.
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- Ray A. Bragonier to Lester E. Pritchard, tract in Philipsburg; \$700.
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- Bertha M. Hupp, et bar, to J. S. Miller, tract in Walker twp.; \$8,400.
- Philipsburg Coal and Land Co., to A. M. E. church, tract in Philipsburg; \$350.
- Frank Albright, et ux, to Albert C. Lutz, tract in Ferguson twp.; \$1,700.
- Margaret M. Pierce to Eliza E. Tierney, tract in Bellefonte; \$675.
- D. A. Grove, et ux, to Charles W. Williams, tract in College twp.; \$15,000.
- Curtin C. Askey, et ux, to Robert A. Askey, tract in Burnside twp.; \$1,125.
- Augustus C. Heverly, et ux, to J. Fred Herman, tract in Bellefonte; \$500.
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**Was Great Jap Soldier.**

Gen. Baron Fukushima, although one of Japan's most notable military men, received but scant notice in the American press on the occasion of his death in Tokyo. He began life as a drummer boy, and in 1892-93 distinguished himself by a trip he made on horseback from Berlin to Vladivostok, through Russia, Siberia, Mongolia and Manchuria, a distance of 9,000 miles. From 1887 up to the time he started on this famous trip he had been military attaché in Berlin. General Fukushima was in command of the Japanese contingent in the war with China until the fall of Tientsin, and was general staff officer during the Boxer troubles. He was staff officer at headquarters of the Manchurian army in the Russo-Japanese war in 1904-05. At different times he represented his country in China, India, Egypt, Turkey, Persia, Caucasus, Arabia, Turkestan, Burma, Siam and Annam.

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**MAKE THE PUNISHMENT FIT THE CRIME IN ARGENTINA**

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**TELEPHONE GIRL HEROINE**

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**BABEL OF TONGUES ON HAWAIIAN TELEPHONES**

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EDWARD C. ZEBBY, Administrator, Spring Mills, Pa.

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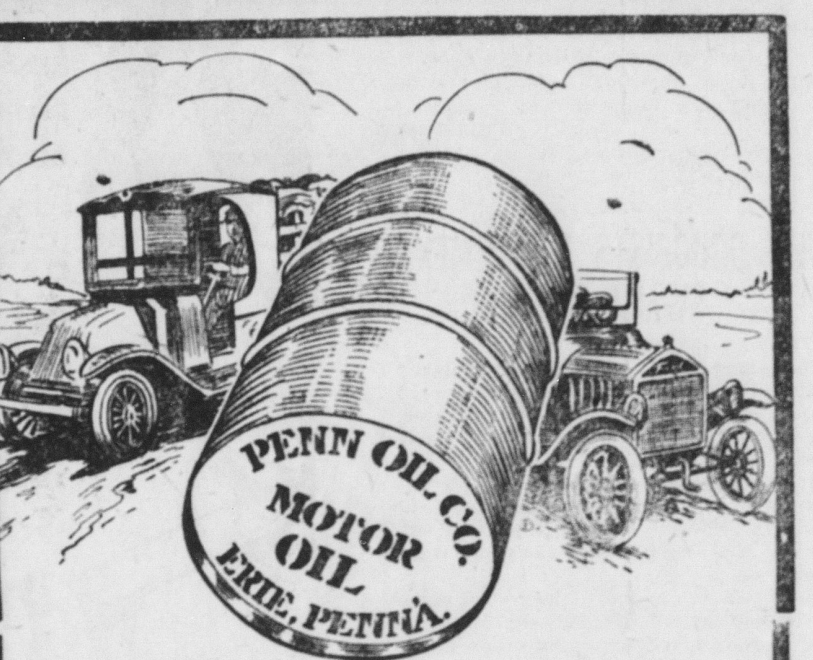
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