AN EXCELLENT FENCE

MADE BY THE NATIONAL HEDGE AND WIRE FENCE COMPANY OF YORK.

A Delegation of Lancaster and York Farmers View It in Operation on a Chester County Farm And Give It a Warm Testimonial for Various Good Points.

It was the good fortune of a representative of the INTELLIGENCER on Wednesday last, July 25, to accompany a delegation of the best farmers of Lancaster and York counties to the beautiful village of Whitford, Chester county, some forty miles east of this city.

The party was organized by the officers of the National Hedge and Wire Fence company, of York, Pa., and was under the immediate care of Dr. E. H. Neiman, general manager, assisted by William Hohrein, agent for York county, and C. M. Claflin, agent for Lancaster county. The object of the company was to show the representative farmers of the two counties above named the new method of making hedge fence, as practiced by the York company.

Arrived at Whitford, the visitors were taken directly to the farm of Robison & Shoemaker, near by, where they were shown an Osage orange hedge and wire fence about sixty rods in length, and not quite four feet in height. The width of the fence from one side to the other was not more than ten inches, being slightly less at the top than the bottom, and covered entirely with a luxuriant growth of green foliage. It was so close that no kind of stock could get through it, and it would puzzle a bird to find a passage through its branches.

In answer to inquiries Mr. Robison told the visitors that where the present hedge stood there had been one planted in the old-fashioned way about fifteen years ago. It was never stock tight, and had become such a nuisance that he was going to have it grubbed up and replaced with a post and rail fence, when he was met by one of the parties interested in the new method and reluctantly allowed him to try his hand on it, the hedge-builder promising to make a tight fence of it. The straggling branches of the old canes were all cut away and the canes cut down until they were less than three feet high. Open spaces were filled in with new plants. All the plants, old and new, were bent over to an angle of forty-five degrees, and they were wired together with two or three lines of strong wire. This was done only thirteen months ago, and now he has a fence so perfectly tight that a man can scarcely push his walking stick through it.

THE METHOD DESCRIBED.

Meanwhile Mr. Claflin was answering numerous questions and giving details as to the method of making the new hedges, which he said could be made better from young plants than by taking an old hedge like Mr. Robison's. Said he: "When the young plants are of sufficient size, say an average of an inch or an inch and a quarter, we trim the cane on all sides, clean of all branches; we then remove the earth from the roots of the plants on both sides; we then bend the plant in the root, and incline the stalk at an angle of about 45 degrees and secure them in this position by fastening them firmly with wires; we then cut the tops off the plants at the height desired and thus form a solid and compact fence, which will resist any attack from stock. Its flexibility is just sufficient to prevent it from breaking, and its strength is manifold greater than a fence which cannot yield to an attack. From this compact frame-work, new growth will put forth in great profusion the entire length of the canes twining through the lattice work formed by canes and wire, and thus form a beautiful network, sufficiently dense to turn the smallest stock."

Mr. Claflin explained at considerable length the method of dwarfing the Osage orange so that it never attains a much greater size than the hedge shown; the method of planting, cultivation, plashing, pruning, cost of hedging and other details. As to pruning, which is done with a peculiar sort of knife made for the purpose, he said he could prune sixty rods in sixty minutes. As to the cost of making a new hedge, the company finds the plants, sets them and takes care of them the first year for 25 cents per rod; 25 cents the second and third year, and 50 cents the fourth year making $1.25 per rod, when the fence is turned over to the farmer in stock-proof condition. This is cheaper than a board or post and rail fence, and has this advantage: While the board and post and rail fence begin to decay in four or five years and finally rot, the hedge-fence, which is easily taken care of, becomes better and better every year from generation to generation.

A TESTIMONIAL.

After dining at the residence of Mr. Samuel Henry, whose farm adjoins Mr. Robison's, the company presented the following testimonial:

WHITFORD, CHESTER COUNTY, July 25, 1888.

The undersigned farmers of Lancaster and York counties, having this day examined, upon invitation of the National Hedge and Wire Fence company of York, over 100 rods of Osage orange fence, 60 of which were wire, on the farm of Robison & Shoemaker, of Whitehall township, are free to declare that this hedge, grown and wired as exhibited here, makes a handsome and excellent guard against live stock and poultry—either for keeping in an enclosure or guarding against outside assault. We are convinced that, properly cared for, it will be stock-proof, and we are equally satisfied, from what we have seen, that crops may be planted as close to it as to any other fence, and that neither its roots nor its shade will interfere with the cultivation of the ground. It affords us pleasure to recommend this hedge as the neatest, most effective and altogether the most desirable fence in the market, so far as our experience and observation have extended.

Augustus Leader, York.
Joseph Leader, York.
John A. Burger, Spry.
Morgan D. Rife, Abbettstown.
George Lightner, York.
John Ness, York.
Abram Hershey, Weigletown.
Henry Rehman, York.
Wm. Herman, York.
Emanuel Herman, York.
Hiram Young, York.
Joseph Bates, Spry.
Andrew Miller, York.
John S. Kohler, Keys.
John Bush, Davidsburg.
Henry Coaley, Keys.
Philip Metzel, York.
Emanuel Frey, York.
Samuel Eisenhart, York.
John F. Beck, Jacobus.
Simon L. Brandt, Marietta.
Geo. B. Willson, Wheatland.
Jonas G. Stehman, Mountville.
Milo S. Herr, Lampeter.
Calvin Cooper, Bird-in-Hand.
Benjamin M. Shenk, Lancaster.
Martin P. Swarr, Landisville.
Martin L. Greider, Mount Joy.
Henry Zeamer, Columbia.
Abram Groff, East Petersburg.
Henry Esbenshade, Binkley's Bridge.
J. Frank Landis, Lancaster.
Eph. S. Hoover, Lancaster.
James Collins, Quarryville.
H. M. Engle, Marietta.

Mr. Claflin, No. 133 Nevin street, will take pleasure in explaining to farmers the advantages the hedge fence has over all others, apart from its rare beauty and indestructiveness. Three or four good active men are wanted as agents by Mr. Claflin.

AT LONG BRANCH.

It was summer. And Long Branch. He came there. We met.
He was handsome and hasty, and I a coquette.
He proposed. I refused him. I loved him.
But then,
I thought—don't you see—he would ask me again,
But he didn't.
—*From the Rural New Yorker.*

MILTON'S LAST POEM.

[The following verses, so familiar to many, are among the most touching in the English language.]

I am old and blind!
Men point at me as smitten with God's frown,
Afflicted, and deserted by my kind;
Yet I am not cast down.

I am weak; yet dying,
I murmur not that I no longer see;
Poor, old and helpless, I the more belong,
Father, supreme, to Thee.

O merciful One!
When men are farthest, then Thou art most near:
When men pass coldly by, my weakness shun,
Thy chariot I hear.

Thy glorious face
Is leaning towards me, and its holy light
Shines upon my lowly dwelling place,
And there is no more night.

On bended knee
I recognize Thy purpose clearly shown:
My vision Thou hast dimmed that I might see
Thyself—Thyself alone.

I have naught to fear.
This darkness is a shadow of Thy wing:
Beneath it I am almost sacred; here
Can come no evil thing.

When They Leave Us.

The exodus of our bodily troubles is doubly welcome if their departure is unaccompanied by pain. It is the fault of the best of commendable cathartics, which act solely upon the bowels, that in operating they gripe and weaken these organs. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters produce a laxative effect, but neither causes pain nor weaken the abdominal region or the stomach. This is pre-eminently the alterative which a constipated, bilious or dyspeptic person should use, since a resort to it involves no bodily discomfort nor produces a violent reaction. The liver is aroused, the stomach benefitted, and the habit of body speedily and permanently improved by it. Fever and ague, rheumatism and kidney troubles are among the maladies for which recorded experience has proved it to be efficacious. It is a wholesome appetizer, and a far more reliable tranquillizer of the nerves than stomach disturbing narcotics and sedatives.

The Population of Lancaster

is about thirty thousand, and we would say at least one-half are troubled with some affection of the Throat and Lungs, as those complaints are, according to statistics, more numerous than others. We would advise all not to neglect the opportunity to call on their druggist and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Price 50c and $1.00. *Trial size free.* Sold by all druggists. (4)

Rupture cure guaranteed by Dr. J. B. Mayer 811 Arch street, Philadelphia. Ease at once, no operation or delay from business, attested by thousands of cures after others fail, advice free, send for circular. mar10-1yd&w

SPECIAL NOTICES.

JUST AS GOOD.

Don't allow anyone to make you believe any other remedy is just as good for sick headache as Dr. Leslie's Special Prescription, for it is not true. This is the only remedy in the world that strikes at the root of the disease and drives it out. Give it a trial.

SHILOH'S COUGH and Consumption Cure is sold by us on a guarantee. It cures Consumption. Sold by H. B. Cochran, druggist, Nos. 137 and 139 North Queen St., Lancaster, Pa. (5)

"I'm All Broke Up!"

This is the usual exclamation of one afflicted with rheumatism or lameness. Rheumatic people are indeed entitled to our sincere sympathy and commiseration. Speedy relief is offered them in *Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil*. It is the sworn enemy of all aches and pains. For sale by H. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139 North Queen street, Lancaster.

Instructive Reading.

Some of the testimonials from different people relative to *Thomas' Eclectric Oil*, and the relief it has given them when distressed by headache, earache, and toothache are as interesting reading as you will find. This being a standard medicine, is sold everywhere by druggists. For sale by H. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139 North Queen street, Lancaster.

Hay Fever sufferers ought to know of its efficacy. Ely's Cream Balm was recommended to me as a preventive to Hay Fever. Have been using it since the 5th of August and have found it a specific for that much dreaded disease. For ten years I have been a great sufferer from August 9th till frost, and have tried many alleged remedies, but Ely's Cream Balm is the only preventive I have ever found.—F. S. Ainsworth, publisher, Indianapolis, Ind. jy26-2wdeod&w

COUGH, WHOOPING COUGH and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. Sold by H. B. Cochran, druggist, Nos. 137 and 139 North Queen St. Lancaster, Pa. (4)

Reducing the Surplus.

The disposition of the surplus in the U. S. treasury engages the attention of our statesmen, but a more vital question has our attention, and that is the reduction of the surplus Consumptives. Since the discovery and introduction of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, there has been a marked decrease in the mortality from this dreaded disease, and it is possible to still further reduce the number of consumptives. How? By keeping constantly on hand a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and using according to directions, upon the appearance of the first symptoms, such as a Cough, a Cold, a Sore Throat, a Chest, or Side Pain. Taken thus early a cure is guaranteed.

Trial bottles free at H. B. Cochran's drug store, 137 and 139 North Queen street, Lancaster, Pa. (4)

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. Sold by H. B. Cochran, druggist, No. 137 and 139 North Queen St., Lancaster, Pa. (2)

Tell's the Truth.

"This medicine I can highly recommend. *Burdock Blood Bitters* are the best blood purifier we have ever used." Chas. A. Burt, 15 Court street, Brooklyn, N. Y. For sale by H. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139 North Queen street, Lancaster.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. B. Cochran, Druggist, Nos. 137 and 139 North Queen street, Lancaster, Pa. June27-1yd

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Let us all pull out of this sea of sickness and despondency, and get onto a rock foundation of good, strong health. *Burdock Blood Bitters* are the thing to pull for. They are one of the most renowned health restoratives ever manufactured. For sale by H. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139 North Queen street, Lancaster.

THAT HACKING COUGH can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. Sold by H. B. Cochran druggist. Nos. 137 and 139 North Queen St., Lancaster, Pa. (1)

Our Candidate for President.

He will be nominated by the convention and will be elected by the people, because he will come the nearest to filling their ideal of a Chief Magistrate. Electric Bitters has been given the highest place, because no other medicine has so well filled the ideal of a perfect tonic and alterative. The people have endorsed Electric Bitters and rely upon this great remedy in all troubles of Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. For all Malarial Fevers and diseases caused by Malarial Poisons, Electric Bitters cannot be too highly recommended. Also cures Headache and Constipation. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Price 50c., at H. B. Cochran, Drug Store, 137 and 139 North Queen street, Lancaster, Pa. (4)

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere, 25 cents a bottle. mayl9-1ydaw

A Baptist Minister's Experience.

"I am a Baptist minister, and before I ever thought of being a clergyman I graduated in medicine, but left a lucrative practice for my present profession, forty years ago. I was for many years a sufferer from quinsy. *Thomas' Eclectric Oil* cured me. I was also troubled with hoarseness, and *Thomas' Eclectric Oil* always relieved me. My wife and child had diphtheria, and *Thomas' Eclectric Oil* cured them, and if taken in time it will cure seven times out of ten. I am confident it is a cure for the most obstinate cold, or cough, and if any one will take a small teaspoon and half fill it with the *Oil*, and then place the end of the spoon in one nostril and draw the *Oil* out of the spoon into the head, by sniffing as hard as they can, until the *Oil* falls over into the throat, and practice it twice a week, I don't care how offensive their head may be, it will clean it out and cure their catarrh. For deafness and earache, it has done wonders to my certain knowledge. It is the only medicine dubbed patent medicine that I have ever felt like recommending, and I am very anxious to see it in every place, for I tell you that I would not be without it in my house for any consideration. I am now suffering with a pain like rheumatism in my right limb, and nothing relieves me like *Thomas' Eclectric Oil*." Dr. E. F. Crane, Corry, Pa.

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Until the skin was raw. Body covered with scales like spots of mortar. Cured by the Cuticura Remedies.

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You can stop that scratching and fretting by using SEABURY'S HYDROPHYTHOL SOAP for Tetter, Eczema, Ringworm, Ground Itch, Poison Oak, or other skin or scalp disease that is worrying you night and day. When once cured by this soap there will be no return of the trouble.

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PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR THE GRADING OF STREETS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Street Committee up to Monday evening, July 30, 1888, at 7 o'clock, for the grading of streets, to wit:

North Franklin street from East King street to New Holland Pike; also East Clay street from North Queen street to North Shippen street.

All bids to be accompanied with proper security.

The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of S. C. Slaymaker, City Engineer, at the Station House.

Proposals to be addressed to "Street Committee" for "Grading of Streets," and deposited in Street Committee Box at the office of Geo. W. Pinkerton, Alderman, No. 346 North Queen street. By order of

STREET COMMITTEE.
GEO. W. PINKERTON, Clerk. jy24,26,28

PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SEWERS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Street Committee up to MONDAY EVENING, JULY 30, 1888, at 7 o'clock, for the construction of two sewers to wit:

For the building of a three-foot brick sewer, 1,140 feet in length on North Prince street, beginning on East King street, and extending northward along said North Prince street to East Chestnut street. Also for the building of a three-foot brick sewer, 2,063 feet in length on North Lime street, beginning at East Lemon street and extending northward along said North Lime street to East Clay street.

All bids must be accompanied with signatures of two or more responsible parties willing to become security; also with a certified check to the amount of 10 per cent. of the bid, which will be forfeited to the city in case of failure to accept the contract if awarded.

Bids for inlets and manholes and for the building of said sewers to be given separately.

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Boy's Fine All-Wool Suits, $7.50 and $8.00.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

ASSIGNED ESTATE OF DR. JOHN C. Shaub and wife, of the city of Lancaster, Lancaster county. The undersigned auditor, appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of John W. Eshleman, assignee for the benefit of creditors of said Dr. John C. Shaub and wife, to and among those legally entitled to the same, will sit for that purpose on Wednesday, August 8, 1888, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the Library Room of the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution may attend. jy14-3tdS L. ELLMAKER, Auditor.

ESTATE OF RUDOLPH FENSTERmacher, late of Lancaster township, deceased. The undersigned auditor, appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of Catharine Fenstermacher, administratrix of said deceased, to and among those legally entitled to the same, will sit for that purpose on Tuesday, August 7, 1888, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the Library Room of the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution may attend. WALTER M. FRANKLIN, Auditor. jy14-3tdS

ASSIGNED ESTATE OF JOSEPH R. Royer and wife, of Lancaster city, Lancaster county. The undersigned auditor appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of John D. Sellers and Tobias Royer, assignees of Joseph R. Royer and wife, to and among those legally entitled to the same, will sit for that purpose on Wednesday, August 15, 1888, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the library room of the court house, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution may attend. A. B. HASSLER, Auditor. jy7-3tdS

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