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EDITORIAL.

TAKE down your lightning rods-it is said that lightning is sure death to bed bugs, from spawn to the big old fellows.

A SHOP to manufacture turkey calls from now until the end of the campaigu for president judge in Clearfield county, would do a thriving business.

ALL the glory that Pennypacker harvested by signing the press muzzler could be packed away in the hollow of a pinhead, without having a tight fit.

EVERY cannon, fire cracker and rocket, that was set off on the Fourth, in the United States, was a testimonial to the freedom of the press and a ring ing rebuke of Pennypacker's signature to the press muzzler.

Last Friday twenty-two deaths and 65 prostrations in and around New York and Brooklyn tell the story of heat. I was the hottest July 10 in the history of the local weather bureau, the highest previous record being 91 degrees, July 10, 1880.

UNCLE SAM might as well furnish a horse and wagon to take the mails to the postoffice now located up town. Since thieving and fraud has been unearthed in every part of the postal service, that much of the money would be usefully applied and escape the hands of the plunderers.

SENATOR Quarles, of Wisconsin, is cutting hay. Some other Senators are busy "mending fences." Others are satisfied with cutting coutons. And to this the Democrat would add, that quite a lot of other fellows connected with the post office department at Washington have been discovered swindling Uncle Sam out of thousands of dollars planting fraudulent contracts. These fellows are the only "farmers" who are enjoying

IT is simply astounding how the government postoffice department is saturated with corruption. And this right under the nose and big spectacles of President Roosevelt. For a long time parties close to the administration sought to keep the scandal from getting outguilty are pursued with a view to bring them to justice. These safe busters get tentiary. That is all right, but the thieves who are defrauding the govern. names. ment out of millions in the postoffice department are political heelers and professors in ballot box stuffing, hence the party leaders shield them, by perjury screen them, and by packed juries clear

"HE lived seventy years in Bellefonte" is part of the life of our departed townsman, Col. George A. Bayard. Seventy years is a pretty long time, and all in this town, would make him familiar with its entire history. In those seventy years there could not have been a citizen who did not know him, and was in turn known by him, with no exceptions perhaps. Mr. Bayard in those seventy years saw every residence and other improvement go up. He witnessed the construction of its half dozen railroads, gas and electric light plants. He saw all its churches, school houses, hotels, stores, come and go and grow. From a little village seventy years ago, Mr. Bayard saw the town and its suburbs grow from a few hundred to about five thousand in population. In all those years he held the esteem of all Bellefonters. Sociable, public spirited, engaged in useful lines of business and every inch a patriot who saw and engaged in many battles for his country, and returned from the scenes of war with honor, and carried its scars to his grave on Tkursday last, his death having been caused by the terrible accident along the railroad near his own home, mentioned elsewhere. In whatever capacity he served during his residence in Bellefonte, he acquitted himself creditably and bore that regard for the rights of a fellow man which is accorded by the true man. The writer knew Mr. Bayard some 45 years, and never in that period was there an incident in the life of the deceased, that did not merit the tribute we here

GAME AND FISH LAWS.

At the late session of the legislature there were some changes made in the game laws. So far as may interest sports-

15 and during month of July; elk, wild deer or fawn may be shot in the month reed birds, in September, October and often found. November; upland or grass plover, from July 15 to January 1; webb-footed wild fowl, September I to May I; wild pigeons, at any time except when on or within one mile of nesting grounds. All game not mentioned is unprotected, including 'coons and 'possums.

Under the Act of April 14, 1903, nonresidents, kunters and unnaturalized, foreign-born resident hunters, are required to take out a license before hunting. The fee is fixed at \$10 and the license is issued by the County Treasurer. The penalty for violating this law is a fine of \$25.

Legal fishing for game fish is restricted to the use of the rod, hook and line, or to hand-line having not more than three hooks, or to trolling line with spoonhook. Speckled trout, or California mountain trout, may be taken from April 15 to July 31, inclusive; the legal day's catch is limited to 50, and trout less than 6 inches must not be taken. Lake or salmon trout may be taken from January I to September I, inclusive.

Bass of all varities, pike, pickeral, sunfish and muscallonge may be taken from June 15 to February 15, inclusive. Black bass must not be taken under seven inches. In the Delaware river and boundry lakes, this limit is increased to

Other fish are without protection. Such protection as was accorded carp, catfish, eels and suckers have been withdrawn by the Act of March 11, 1903, repealing Section 9 of the Act of May 29, 1901.

By the Act of April 6, 1903, bullfrogs and terrapin are placed in the same category with game fishes. The taking of frogs is prohibited save only from July 1 to November 1 to March 15.

A STARTLING decision handed down by Justice O'Gorman, of the New York Supreme Court, which says in effect that merchants may be made to pay damage if they sell goods upon a misrepresentation. The eminent Justice ordered that Messrs. Hyde and Garrison pay to one Mr. Syier the sum of \$150,000 because sales made to him were upon statements which were untrue, known to be false, and made to deceive and mislead. What a marvellous state of things would come to pass if every salesman or saleswoman were to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth about the wares to be disposed of.

VETERANS of the Civil war on the pension roll are dying at the rate of ninety a day. Widows on the pension rolls are dying at the rate of twenty a day. Debut it did get out and into the news- spite the fact that the Spanish-American While postoffices are being war has added thousands of names to the robbed in many sections by burglars the pension rolls and the number of pension certificates issued for the year ending June 1st, exceed by 13,000 the certifia few hundred of dollars in stamps and cates issued for 1902, the losses by death cash here and there, like those now in in each of the 18 pension agencies durjail in Bellefonte, and they are dragged ing the five months from January to into court and given years in the peni- May, inclusive, have been greater than the gains through the addition of new

David Allison, who lives alone on his farm about 2 miles north-east of Allensville, Mifflin county, was aroused from slumber by the bursting in of his door. them. That's the way the government He had time only to attain a sitting posture when three men threw themselves on him and a lively scuffle ensued. He was gagged and bound to the stove and bed-clothes heaped on him. The robbers then began their search. They found about fifteen dollars in cash. Next morning a visitor found him and after releasing him secured a physician to attend him. He was rather badly battered on the face and head.

The drill in the gas well at Hyner has reached a depth of 1,500 feet and the volume of gas is now so great that in the judgment of competent parties it is practically a commercial result. One more gas well like the present one with probably 1,000 cubic feet rock pressure would be quite sufficient to supply the large demand at Renovo and the present well may be sufficient alone. The indications now are that the Hyner gas field will be sufficient to supply the West Branch valley .- Express, 9th.

Clyde, son of Robert Miller, who lives along the foot of the mountain about one mile east of Salona was accidentally shot on Monday by his brother Lester Miller. Lester was shooting at a target with a rifle. His brother Clyde was near the barn when the accident occurred. Lester fired at the target and the bullet striking something solid, glanced and struck Clyde in right side; the bullet had entered the right side over the kidney. The wound is considered a dangerous

-The sheriff Ishler home is being touched up by the painter and otherwise

A Friend in Need.

A kind act of an old veteran, in the person of Anthony Gatens, whe went, last week, to spend the day at the home of the Cambridge family at Highland View. men in this section of the state, the Cen- On reaching his destination he found tre Democrat summarizes the law as now W. H. Earon and R. E. Cambridge both sick; he offered his service to go to the October 15 to December 15, inclusive, harvest field and help to rake and bind wild turkey, quail, pheasants and black, after a cradler; without a helper he came gray and fox squirrels may be killed; from the field as spry as a man of 40 woodcock from October 15 to December | years instead of one now going on his 77 year. After helping to put up 240 dozen of wheat, with the heat at 90 deof November only; hare or rabbit, from grees, left for his home glad he was able November 1 to December 15; rail and to help his friends. Such kindness is not

Curtin Memorial.

Thursday of last week there was a meeting of the Andrew G. Curtin Memorial commission in Harrisburg to further the project of erecting a suitable memorial. The commission consisting July 20. If the president sends the of Gov. Pennypacker, Gen. Jamess A. Beaver, of Bellefonte, and Sen. A. E. Patton, of Curwensville, continued the organization by electing Gov. Pennypacker president and Senator Patton secretary and treasurer. The unveiling will be an honor to Bellefonte when all

Wm. Mulberger, one of Lemont's enterprising gentleman was married to Uriah Dunkleberger, of Pleasant Gap, on Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock. The sentence was conferred by Rev. Brown, the Evangelical minister, of Bellefonte. After the wedding the happy couple drove to Elmer Mulberger's, of Rock View, where a sumptuous feast awaited them. We extend our congratulations, may they be a happy union during their remaining days.

than Dale, D. M. Kline, Luther Dale your hair." and William Ross, kind neighbors of Elmer Swartz, who lost all his stock in the Hastings' barn fire came to his assistance and harvested his crops for him-"friends in need," etc.

Geo. W. Page, of Eagleville, will conduct a general store in that place in the Singer building, formerly occupied by the late S. H. Glossner.

Old Pewter.

The rage for old things includes almost everything that can be thought of, from old paintings down to old laces and jewelry that are worn by the women fortunate enough to possess them. One of the things most sought after by women who follow the fads of the moment is pewter. Shopkeepers who deal in antiques have found it advisable to keep a large supply on hand, as the demand is constantly increasing. Old pewter is especially adapted for use in the country home or in the den of the town house. Or, better still, a breakfast room fitted up in old Dutch style or colonial style is just the place for it. The soft polish seems so much more suitable for these places than does the richly chased silverware. An old pewter bowl filled with crimson blossoms will make an attractive centerpiece for the dining table or for a stand in the house. There is no limit to the articles made of pewter. Trays, dishes, tea and coffee pots, incense and flower holders, rose leaf jars and even jewel cases are to be had in the pretty metal.

A Pretty Workbasket.

A pretty little workbasket is made of stiff cardboard cut out in four sections, each one about six inches high and five broad at the top, slanting to a width of three and a half inches at the base. Ribbons at the top and bottom of each section fasten them together in form somewhat like a tall strawberry box. These sections are covered with ecrucrash, and on the outside of one is attached a needle pad covered with a flap of canvas. Another side of this little basket carries a tomato pincushion made of silk. A third is decorated with two little emeries in the form of strawberries, and the last section has a pocket fastened on it in which to keep buttons, spool cotton, braid, etc. This leaves the inside of the box free for any small piece of sewing or article requiring mending.

Women Insurance Solicitors. The insurance of the lives of women and the employment of women as solicitors by insurance companies is a comparatively new idea, but it has become very popular and is growing rapidly. There are probably 1,000 women in the United States today who make their living in the insurance business and they have been so successful in securing business and earning large ommissions that it may already be considered an established profession, and women insurance agents will hereafter work on the same terms and under the same conditions as men. The big life insurance companies here all have women solicitors and the managers are unanimous in commending them.-Chicago Record-Herald.

Inexpensive Suit Case. Something less expensive than leather suit case and lighter, too, in FIRE INSURANCE weight may be made at home to answer the purpose of the former. Make a linen or a denim cover for one of the oblong pasteboard boxes so much used in delivering goods. Tan colored linen, dark red denim, brown hollands-any one of these makes a stout, serviceable cover. Stiffen two straps with an interlining of canvas. Stitch many rows on these to make them strong and fasten with small metal buckles. This traveling case will cost so little that you can afford the working of your initials on one of the sides.

OPPOSITION TO CANAL TREATY Three Elements in Colombia Fighting

Against Ratification. Washington, May 12. - Private advices from Colombia state that there are three elements opposed to ratification of the Panama canal treaty. One element antagonizes the United States having perpetual control, another that an indemnity and annuity is not sufficient, and the third element consists of revolutionary spirits who fear that with the Colombian treasury enriched with \$10,000,000, the government's strength will be so increased as to destroy any hope for the revolutionary movement.

Dr. Herran, the Colombian charge d'affaires, is without official information regarding the attitude of the majority of the members of the congress. When the Colombian congress convenes there will be just one month for the consideration of the treaty and such other matters as may be called before it, as the regular session meets treaty to congress first, under Colombia's rules of procedure no other subject can be considered until that is disposed of. Reorganization of the finances of the government is the next most important matter for the Colombian government, and the question will have an important bearing on the canal treaty, the \$10,000,000 to be paid by the United States being tempting.

Words From an Old Adviser. In an old fashioned book of recipes it is written: "A woman's hair should smell only sweeter than her skin, and her skin only fresher than her breath. To insure this should be her daily care, for a woman who looks not altogether lovely belies the purpose for which nature created her. Therefore if ye would be ever fresh and dainty in your tollet keep upon your table a bottle of myrrh with which to freshen your mouth, a bottle of benzoln to sprinkle in the washing water and a bottle of George Musser, Jerry Donovan, Na. lavender water with which to dampen

Testing Wall Papers.

A very careful woman I know who five years ago built a new house before deciding on her wall papers carried home samples of those she liked best. Three or four of those of whose lasting qualities she stood in doubt faded badly after a few days' exposure to the sun, while others gave up much of their beautiful bloom and color when well rubbed with a duster. Her choice, of course, fell on the papers which stood a test, and she assured me they wear finely .- Good Housekeeping.

English Sweet Sauce.

To make English sweet sauce put yolks of four eggs and half a cupful of sugar in saucepan and beat until lemon colored. Add a cupful of sweet cream. beating it in gradually, then grate in rind of orange; set over pan of boiling water and stir and cook until it thickens. Remove and strain through a HAY FEVER'S CONQUEROR.

Breathe Hyomei and Escape This Dreaded Summer Visitor. Among the important additions made

to medical science in recent years, none is more notable than the positive announcement of a cure for hay fever. While this disease is not regarded as fatal, it is certainly a most distressing

malady, and if anything can be devised

to cure it, a great boon will be conferred

upon the human race. Exhaustive experiments with Hyomei prove that this treatment will prevent all attacks of hay fevers if used two or three weeks before the annual appearance of the disease and that it may be relied upon if used faithfully after the disease has begun, to relieve at once and afford a speedy cure.

Sidney Krumrine has sold hundreds of Hyomei outfits for the treatment of diseases of the respiratory organs under the agreement to refund the money if Hyomei did not afford relief.

In selling Hyomei for the cure of hay fever, he will continue this equitable plan, and wants all who are subject to this distressing malady to begin its use at once, with the understanding that if it does not give satisfaction, the purchase price is to be refunded. Stomach dosing cannot cure hay fever.

A change of climate is the only treatment that has heretofore avoided an attack, and Hyomei, which is breathed through a neat pocket inhaler coming with every outfit, acts upon this principal, giving in your own home a climate like that of the White Mountains or other health resorts.

Weather Report.

Weekly report-Bellefonte Station. 10, clear 11, pt cloudy ... 12, cloudy ... Rain: On il, at ll a. m., 46 in; on 04 in; on 14, morn, .05 in. The heat last week was on 2, at 90 3; on 4 at 86; on 5 at 87; on 6 at 86; or 83; on 4 at 85; on 5 at 87; on 6 at 86; on 7 at 87 on 8 at 90. Rain last week: On 3: afternoon 57 in; o 5 afternoon, 73.

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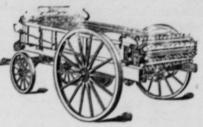
For the benefit of those desiring to attend the meeting of the National Dental Association, at Asheville, N. C , July 24 to 31, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company wili sell round trip tickets to Asheville and return good going July 21 and 22, and good returning to reach original starting point not later than August 2, inclusive, from all stations on its lines, at reduced rates. For rates and conditions of tickets consult ticket agents.

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