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THE SOIL PRODUCED IN SPITE OF DROUTH

GROWING, BOOMING COUNTRY

An Interesting Letter From a Former Centre County Lad Who is Mak- taking a day off. ing Good-Enterprising Towns-Municipal Improvements.

Elk City, Okl., Jan. 12, 1910. Dear Friend, Mr. Kurtz: I enclose you my check for \$1.00, which makes the seventh annual check A Poetic Family. I have sent you since coming to Okla-

This last year, in some parts of our think of you. with, but the farmers had enough cour- don't think. age to put in their spring crops. We had a few scattered showers throughout the early part of the summer, which brought vegetation on at a rapid rate and all was very promising. Later in the summer, on account of not the hot winds. To the extreme surprise of the majority of the farmers, A Pertinent Question. especially those who kept continually cultivating their corn, broom corn, cotton, etc., when the time came for the harvesting of their crops, their yield was much better than they had anticipated. To cap the climax the selling prices on some of their products were almost double that which they had been accustomed to. When we consid- ter.' er the fact that we did not have a genuine soaking rain here for one whole year, it is quite remarkable that we could raise any crop at all. If the land is properly prepared, and cared for after planting, you are almost sure to realize something from your toil. We have had considerable rain dur-

I have noticed in your paper that considerable municipal improvements are being made in Bellefonte and surroundings. Western cities make these improvements more readily than those of the east. Oklahoma City, the pride of our good state, has spent more money in street improvements than any other city on record, considering population and age of city. Oklahoma City is 20 years old and has a population of over 50,000 people. Only a few years ago a three-story building in that city was something of which to take note, but at this date I beof construction is fourteen stories. They have a Chamber of Commerce in that city of one thousand members,

and they certainly do marvelous things. I presume it would be proper to mention some of the improvements that have taken place in our own little city. of the cities of the eastern states, with but six believers in the creed. hence, in the last year we built a reservoir which will hold one year's supply of water, if we use it at the rate of about 300,000 gallons per day. This water passes through settling basins Haven, the initiatory movement havand filters, which makes it perfectly

eight miles of concrete sidewalks. At including Manager McCormick of the the last meeting of the City Council famous Bellevue-Stratford hotel, of five days Mr. Lord and his comrads a contract was let for twenty more Philadelphia.

number for this term.

We have one railroad running east and west, but by the 1st of April, 1910, we hope to have the second road into our city, running north and south. While this will naturally cut off some of our trade, we have great hopes of make in other lines. It will become a tache is not likely to bear fruit in a distributing and manufacturing cen-

Trusting that the above will be of , some interest to you, and perhaps to some of your subscribers: that I will receive your good paper regularly for once had a taste of a kiss with its acanother year, and that my cousin, "Domino" will live to write the inter-esting items for his little "burg" for many years to come. I beg to remain, her best young man. A kiss without Very respectfully. H. G. RUMBERGER.

(Formerly of Hubbersburg.)

# COULDN'T FIND A JOB.

One of Potter township's industrious workingmen, out of a job these many months, made an effort within the last few weeks to get work, and made a tour of our own county of Centre without avail. He then was informed of every kind, it has about 70 pages hands were wanted at Burnham, near devoted to tables and matters of gen-Lewistown, and crossed the Seven mountains in hope of finding a job. tirely new. But the head man told him there was no work there nor could he say when there would be. Mr. Young met other seekers after a job at the steel works. having heard that men were wanted there, but met with the same disap-pointment. He then traveled over Mifflin and Clinton counties, but no where was there a chance for a job. In all places he visited the sad and discouraging news was sounded in his ears, "No work here, and we don't know how soon there will be."

From all over the land comes the same sad intelligence to seekers after a job, that their wives and little ones may have bread and comfort amid the rigors of this winter, but the mournful spectre arises before the toll seek-"No work here, no work there, no work anywhere," work anywhere." The promises of "prosperity" have widely missed the mark and "good times" only are fall-ing into the laps of the millionaires. The people who are the most ac-

complished don't always accomplish the most. A woman is never ashamed to look herself in the face if there's a mirror

A Warning to Others.

The spectacle presented by John Walsh, bank wrecker, beginning a five years' term in prison in his seventy-zecond year, is a saddening one, yet it must serve as an example. John Walsh rose to be the controlling power in vast financial and industrial interests. Now he goes to spend his declining days in Leavenworth prison. The way of the transgressor is hard, after all, in spite of the popular idea that millions of dollars will avail to straighten and smooth the most rugged path.

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#### FACT, FUN AND FANCY. Bright, Sparkling Paragraphs—Selected and Original.

Mary had a littlé lamb That filled her mind with grief; She knew she'd get a better price, Had it been made of beef. Be sure you are right and then prove

Even the steeple climber may a-spire to higher things. It is not at all strange that a man adds years to his life by occasionally

Just because a man never drinks breath of suspicion.

The meanest man has been found again. He contribute's a cake of yeast to raise the mortgage on the church. College Student-Roses are red, vio-

lets are blue; send me \$10 and I'll state, has been a very hard one. We Loving Father—Some roses are red, had no season in the ground to start others are pink; enclosed find \$10, I

"How's yer 'usband after the acci-dent, Mrs. Ginnerty?" "Faith, sumtoimes he's betther an' sumtoimes he's worse, but from the the length and br. way he yills and takes on when he's its fine highways. getting sufficient rain, crops were at a better Oi think he's better when he's

A noted clergyman was in his study

writing, when his 5-year-old daughter walked in and asked:

"What are you writing, Papa?"
"I am writing a sermon, daughter." "How do you know what to write, "God tells me what to write, daugh-

After watching her father a few minutes the little girl said: "Papa if God tells you what to write why do you scratch some of it out?"

Church Dedication.

and costing \$25,000, was dedicated on way. Tioga, thou art a jewel! ing the last sixty days, and the farmers are all in high glee over the pros-Sunday with interesting exercises. General Z. T. Sweeney, of Columbus, pects for crop-raising for the coming Ohio, a former Minister to Turkey, and widely known as a lecturer and scholar, preached the dedication sermon in the morning. In the afternoon and evening addresses were made by Ellis L. Orvis, President Judge of Centre county, and ministers of the other local churches.

The new church is a credit to the locality. Stained glass memorial windows add to the beauty of both the exterior and interior of the building. The main auditorium and Sunday school room, connected by folding doors, will seat about nine hundred lieve the largest building under course persons. On the same floor are located the library, secretary's room, choir room,, robing rooms and pastor's kitchen, banqueting hall, gynasium, Church of Brotherhood meeting room, toilet rooms, and ladies' parlor.

We cannot hope to pipe our water for hundred, although the local branch of are guaranteed to restore strength, household use from large springs or mountain streams, as do the majority years old, having had its beginning six boxes \$5, fully guaranteed on the

Lock Haven's New Hotel.

Efforts are being made to build a new and modern \$150,000 hotel in Lock ing already been inaugurated. Plans

blocks of brick paving; and during the year of 1910 we hope to have at least story building fronting 60 feet on Main forty-six years afterward a generous ten more miles of concrete sidewalks, street and 160 on Grove street, an op- Government thus recon all connected with concrete street tion having been obtained on the old the hardships suffered. Central hotel site-at the southeast We now have a population of over corner of Main and Grove streets-5000 people; had over 1200 pupils on which is one of the most central and the public school rolls for the term of best locations in the city for a good 1908-09, and we will have a larger hotel. There is need for such a hotel in that city.

Must the Mustache Go?

The germ investigations go right on, and new it is claimed the mustache must go on account of it being a hidour trade, we have great hopes of den place for the little pest. With rapid strides our little city will most men the attack upon the mushurry. As in the case of kissing, the Williamsport News argues that the fair sex will also be a powerful opponent of the proposition to condemn the mustache. The girl, it says, who has companying tickling by a substantial mustache will seriously object to the mustache being shaved off the face of mustache accompaniment, is said to be as flat and unpleasant as an omelet without eggs. Go back, go back,

About Oils.

One of the most valuable booklets that has ever come to our notice is being issued for free distribution by the Waverly Oil Works Co., of Pittsburg. This booklet contains 100 pages, and in addition to telling all about oils eral information, much of which is en-

It is of considerable value to engineers and mechanics, and one of these booklets should be on the desk of every business man. A postal card request addressed to

the Waverly Oil Works Co., at Pittsburg, Pa., will bring one of the books Refuses \$8,000 Increase. Rev. J. Leonard Levy, rabbi of the Rodeph Shalem, of Pittsburg, has re-fused a call to the pastorate of the Jewish Religious Union Synagogue, of

London, England, notwithstanding that the English offer carries an \$8,-000 increase in salary. Dr. Levy receives \$12,000 a year from his Pittsburg congregation. Want Electric Light.
Another meeting of the Mill Hall electric light and power committee was held Friday night. Many citizens ex-pressed their opinion in regard to the proposed plant. The committee agreed

to call a meeting of all voters and tax-

payers in the borough to vote on the

#### TO IMPROVE STATE ROADS.

Good roads was the theme of notable speakers at the annual dinner of the Quaker City Motor Club at the Hotel Walton, Philadelphia, the other even-ing. Men famed throughout the length and breadth of the land were

there and spoke.
Congressman J. Hampton Moore toastmaster. spoke not of the urgent necessity of good roads alone, but of inland water-He showed that while through good roads the automobile was bring-ing together every class and condition of industry, the inland waterways is no sign that he is always above the project was accomplishing the same

> Senator Penrose said the motor had accomplished more in the cause of good roads than any other agency. John P. Elkin, justice of the Supreme Court, struck the keynote when he said he felt sure that within the next ten years Pennsylvania would have appropriated \$10,000,000 for the purpose fo good roads. He said the motorists of the State had made the executives realize the value of excel-

lent highways. Within the next ten years, Justice Elkins said, he firmly believed that Pennsylvania would be noted through the length and breadth of the land for

Tioga is Certainly a Jewel.

The Williamsport Sun, in commenting on the fact that Tioga county is out of debt, says: There are few counties in Pennsylvania in so happy condition as Tioga, and congratulations are freely extended. Without a big river over which costly bridges must be built and maintained, its jail usually without prisoners, its court terms cut in two or skipped altogether. and no sinking fund tax required, Tioga finds herself in an unusually fortunate state. The county tax levy has been fixed at six mills, and the farmers are hustling a campaign for the use of the split-log drag and the country roads because it does two things The new temple of the Church of at once-saves money in road making Christ at Philipsburg, just completed and makes better roads than the old

The Coming Comet.

Not till after the comet passes by the sun in March next and comes out from the sun's rays in April can it be seen to any advantage without the use of a telescope. In April it will rise before the sun and consequently can be seen for a short time before sunrise. It will then shine more brightly up to May 17 and about that time will be within 14,000,000 miles of our earth and a magnificent sight, seen just after sunset, rising higher and higher in the western sky, the most brilliant effect seen in the heavens since the large comet of 1882.

Where Men and Women Suffer. Both men and women suffer from overwork and overworry, and so both In the basement there is a may be cured by using the same reme The best remedy for such conditions is Sexine Pills; no matter how badly run down or how nervous and The congregation numbers about four irritable a person may be, Sexine Pills six boxes \$5, fully guaranteed on the money-back plan. Address or call on C. M. Parrish, druggist, Bellefonte, Pa., where they sell all the principal remedies and do not substitute.

Paid for Rations. Robert Lord, a veteran of the Civil pure.

7 Together with the above improvements we paved eight blocks of the city with brick, bound together with an asphalt filler, and constructed about a sphalt filler cut off by the Confederates, and for were without food, save what was ob-

Can We Beat That?

The poor overseers of three townships of Lycoming county report no paupers in their respective districts. Centre Democrat would what districts in this county can make a similar report.

The Watchman, in speaking of the contest for senator in this district week or two ago, said that the fight would be between Womelsdorf, of Philipsburg, and Alexander, of Clearfield, as republicans, because Mr. H. C. Quigley preferred being a school director, etc. In this the Watchman is in error. Mr. Quigley is not a candidate for senator, because he has put himself in training as a candidate for Judge in 1914. Ye gods and little fishes; think of it!

People over the country are beginning to make big kicks at high prices and hard times. To these kicks they will have to add still bigger kicks when they vote, to make kicks effect- Cash in treasury.

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Kidneys and Back.

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It will quickly show its power once you use it, so I think you had better see what it is without delay. I will send you a copy free—you can use it and cure yourself at once.

Mrs. Sallie M. Hayes, small loss.

J. W. Lee, loss of barn.

J. C. Deitrich, loss of house.

J. S. Ellenberger, house and contents.

J. W. Lee, loss of house.

J. S. Louck, on contents of house.

J. W. Lee, loss of house.

J. W. Edeler loss of house.

J. W. Bodie, loss of barn.

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Wm. W. Keichline & Co. S. Water St., Bellefonte,

ENTLIVERY ATTACHED.

A Young Man's Appointment.

W. A. Wallace Krebs, assistant treasurer of the Clearfield Trust Company, was notified that he had been elected treasurer of the new banking and trust company recently organized at Ebensburg, Cambria county, and incorporated under the name of Cambria Title, Savings and Trust Company, with a Savings and Trust Co W. A. Wallace Krebs, assistant treasurer of the Clearfield Trust Company. Krebs, formerly of Pine Grove Mills, and grandson of the late Senator Will-

Queer Movement Up River. Friday evening the whole body of ice on the Susquehanna river from

shore to shore, at Duncannon, moved for a distance of two miles, moved fifty feet in one solid mass, then stopped



For sore throat, sharp pain in lungs, tightness across the chest, hoarseness or cough, lave the parts with Sloan's Liniment. You don't need to rub, just lay it on lightly. It penetrates instantly to the seat of the trouble, relieves congestion and stops the pain.

Here's the Proof.

Mr. A. W. Price, Fredonia, Kans., says: "We have used Sloan's Liniment for a year, and find it an excellent thing for sore throat, chest pains, colds, and hay fever attacks. A few drops taken on sugar stops coughing and sneezing instantly."

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is easier to use than porous plasters, acts quicker and does not clog up the pores of the skin. It is an excellent an-

tisoptic remedy for asthma, bronchitis, and all inflammatory diseases of the throat and chest; will break up the deadly membrane in an attack of croup. and will kill any kind of neuralgia or rheu. matic pains.

All druggists keep Sloan's Liniment. Prices 25c., 50c., & \$1.00: Dr. Earl S. Sloan,

# LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

ANNUAL STATEMENT.

The Farmers' Mutual Fire Ins. Co. of Centre County, Pa.

Bellefonte, Pa., Jan. 10, 1910.
In compliance with the provisions of their charter the fifty second annual statement of the transactions of the company is hereby presented:

Bills receivable, being prem ium notes due and payable by members for insurance the past year Directors' pay
Salary of Secretary
Making 381 policies at 15 c.
Mileage of Secretary
Salary of Treasurer
Mileage of Treasurer
Election board
Viewers of fire losses.
Printing postages statione

Printing, postage, stationery and rent.
Telephone rent.
Justice fees. Insurance report...... Express of blanks and dray-2.35 Mrs. Nancy Bailey, loss on Mrs. Sallie M. Hayes, small

Loan and interest. LIABILITIES. Borrowed money and inter-789,754.00

est.
Adjusted losses unpaid.
Amount of premium notes in force this day.
Insurance the past year. 78
To which add insurances of 1906, 6.7 and 8. and we have Amount outstanding. 

Attest: D. F. LUSE. Secretary,

ADMINSTRATOR'S NOTICE

and grandson of the late Senator William A. Wallace. He is a graduate of State College and has spent all his life right in Clearfield. His many friends will be sorry to see him go elsewhere to live but all will rejoice to know that he goes higher and will wish him every possible success.

Notice is hereby given to the voters of Benner township. Centre county, Pa., that is pursuance of an order granted by the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and for the County of Centre on the 3rd day of December. 1999, an election was authorized to be held in the said township at the next Pebruary mannicipal election, to vote upon the question whether poad taxes in said township shall be paid by work upon the roads or by cash payment of the work upon the roads or by cash payment of the same. SUPERVISORS OF BANNER TWP

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Jacob Shaffer, late of Walker Twp. Notice is hereby given that letters testamenfeet in one solid mass, then stopped where the ice broke up in the Shermans creek. The Susquehanna river and Western Raffroad is blocked with ice and the evening train due at that place at 4:15 was annulled.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Jacob Shaffer, late of Walker Twp., deceased, have been issued to the undersigned. All persons knowing themselves and the evening train due at that place at 4:15 was annulled.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Jacob Shaffer, late of Walker Twp., deceased, have been issued to the undersigned and in the estate will please present them duly authenticated to the undersigned.

E. M. GARBEICK. Exp.

Clement Dale. Avis... 25. Zioze, Pa.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that parsuant to a vote of the board of Discetors of the School District of Bellefonte, Borough, there will be submitted to the electors of the borough at the municipal election to be held-in and for said borough on Tuesday, the 13" day of Fébruary: 1340, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors in the said district in making valid and giving binding effect to the first increase of the debt. to wit:—the sum. 22,000.00 for the erection; and construction of the new High School building. Notice is also hereby give that the amount of the last assessed valuation of taxable property in the said borough of Bellefonte, as adjusted for 1909, is \$1.653.89400

Old debt contracted before 1872. \$25,000.00
Less sinking fund. \$55,000.00
Balance of old debt. \$20,000.00
Debt contracted by assent of the voters at an election held August 17"
1909. Amount of the debt proposed to be made valid. \$33,000.00
which said sum is less than two percent of he assessed valuation or one and thirteen our teenths per cent on the assessed valuation.

Of \$1,653,806.00

The least proposed to be assessed valuation of the contracted before 1872. \$25,000.00

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The purpose for which the indebtedness was created and the money obtained was used in the erection and construction of the new High-School building. School building.

By order of the Board.

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President.

Dr. Sol M. Nissley,

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Two Ways of Doing In days agone, a builder deals with a dozen different supply houses. He bought his brick and stone here.

lumber there, glass elsewhere, and nails and bolts round the corner. A building that didn't "jibe" was the usual result, but no one person could be blamed for it or held re-

In THESE days Mr. Builder does it differently. He makes as plan orders everything from one complete supply bouse and when the material In THESE days. Mr. Builder does comes. IT SUITS. And you are hope now, today, with

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