The Pittsburgh Gazette.

Farm, Garden and Household.

Covering for Wheat.

During the past Winter, says the New York *Tribune*, the snow laid deeper and longer, and extended over a greater breadth of country, than had previously been the case for many years. Winters without snow are particularly trying on the wheat plant. In the intervals of freezing and thawing, the ground heaves and sinks, and, this being repeated, often day after day, the plant is either thrown out of the ground or separated from its roots, when it perishes. In the central part of the United States, which includes a region 100 miles north and south of a parallel crossing through the mouth of Chesapeake Bay, there has been comparatively little snow, and we have unfavorable accounts, many fields being reported killed; but it is not likely that this has application to other than old ground, which has become compact from loss of fertility and from shallow cultivation. On soils comparatively fresh, and on a clover lay, there is reasonable hope of abundant harvest; and as it is in this region that the greater part of the superior wheat of the country is grown, every fact relating to the prospect, whether present or prospective will receive attention. From this reference to the perils to which wheat is subject during the Winter season, nothing would seem more important than that a remedy should be provided. That, to a great extent, there is a remedy, is well known to intelligent cultivators. This is in having a heavy clover lay to be inverted as a seed bed for the wheat. By reason of the great depth to which the clover roots descend, and the imperfect decomposition of the foliage, the soil is made elastic and spongy, and it is admirably fitted, not only to withstand the intense action of frost, but to serve as a powerful barrier against its admission. In many respects a wheat field upon clover has all the characteristics of forest ground, from which only the trees have been removed. The clover roots correspond to the roots of the trees, giving drainage and aeration; and the clover foliage and stalks to the forest leaves, which are well known to be almost impenetrable to frost. Wheat grows with difficulty upon heavy clay; it delights in a soil with more or less admixture of gravel and sand, and with a fair supply of lime, and as the same is to be said of clover, the cultivation of both should go hand in hand. Nor need our farmers expect to succeed with wheat, or indeed to retain the fertility of the soil where wheat can be grown, except by sowing clover and using its attendant stimulent, plaster-of-paris. It is now in the very heart of that period when clover can be sown to best advantage, and whoever neglects to improve the opportunity of a last snow-fall to sow it either upon oats or wheat lets a golden opportunity shamefully pass away. Or, if one has neither of these crops, clover can be sown to great advantage by itself on fresh plowed and well harrowed ground.

Wool.

The market continues free from any excitement, and prices remain firm; there is no disposition to crowd sales on the part of buyers, and manufacturers do not appear anxious to purchase in anticipation of a short supply before the new clip. The general impression is that there may not be an abundance of wool at the time of the clip, but none appear to fear that machinery profitably employed in the production of goods will have to suspend operations for want of wool, consequently the cry of short wool does not alarm any one, nor cause buyers to rush upon the market. The result is, we are having a very quiet conservative trade—something very unusual for the wool trade. The repeal of the tax on manufacturers' sales is having its legitimate effect, but as the woolen trade received the most exciting and stimulating influence during the war, people must not be surprised at its remaining longer depressed than any other branch of business and requiring more time to recuperate, yet we may expect that as one branch of business after another rallies that the woolen trade will follow in their wake, it may be with slow and tardy steps, but notwithstanding this it will come. Fine cassimeres are now selling well, and manufacturers of these goods are increasing their production, causing a better demand for fine wools, and stiffening prices to some extent; even extra fleeces are now more inquired for, in view of the light stocks on hand and keeps prices steady for this class of wool. Medium and coarse wools are so scarce that there deos not appear to be any care about them whatever; nobody is disposed to hold them for better days, and nobody seems disposed to pass them by expecting to do better, but those using these grades of wool take them at fair rates.

Super pulled wools are in very good demand, and bring full rates and quick sales. Extras are now in better demand, inasmuch as they are better grown, and come nearer the staple of the fleece than a month or two ago. But pullers are determined, to a great extent, to destroy the value of their best skins by pulling along with them a certain amount of the shorter grown, which seriously injures the sale of the whole, and diminishes the value; they think they make money by such a mixture, but in reality they are heavy losers. If they would take more pains in sorting and washing, we have no doubt they would find it greatly to their benefit. Buyers now scrutinize wool very closely, and there is no doubt now but the better conditioned any kind of wool is, the more readily it will sell and command the best prices. Medium wools, which yield any amount of delaine, are very scarce, and consequently delaine wools command relatively high prices, although the manufactured article is not selling either freely or at remunerative prices. Domestic combing is very scarce and commands full prices. Canada is also scarce, but the demand is quite up to a few weeks ago. California, Oregon and Texas are in good demand and sell readily at good prices.

Foreign wools move slowly, although there is sometimes a trade of this kind affected.

The advance in the price of wool in England, and the improvement there in the goods market, has not been without its effect on this market; on the whole, we may say that trade is generally reviving, but we do not anticipate any great rush in business in either wool or woolens this Spring, nor do we look for a great advance in prices, but we do hope that business will be a little more steady, not only from now to the clip, but afterwards. We think the time is coming when it will be easier to do business than it has been the past few years.

The sales for the week include 150,000 lb Fleece at prices ranging from 51@52c for X; 47@50c for Wisconsin and Michigan: 52@60c for good Ohio; 200 bales California at 27@34c; 30,000 lb Mexican at 22@22½c; 75,000 lb Pulled, 44@45½c; 25,000 lb Texas at 22@33c; 40,000 lb Combing on private terms; 5,000 lb Noils on private terms.—*New York U. S. Economist, April 11.*

Useful Hints.

POULTRY IN A SMALL ENCLOSURE.—You can keep a score of hens and rear chickens from them on 500 square yards. If it is not all grass you will have to supply them with green food. They must have green food and dust.

CAMPHOR ADMINISTERED TO CURE THE GAPES—The dose for a chicken five or six weeks old is a pill of camphor the size of a small garden pea. Where the camphor julep given them to drink is strong, they seldom require a pill. It is the odor of the camphor that kills the gape-worms; there is no real contact with it, which is impossible, because the parasites are in the windpipes.

HEN'S EATING EACH OTHER'S FEATHERS.—Spanish fowls are more prone than any to eat each other's feathers, and, like most bad habits, it finds many imitators. There is no doubt it arises, in the first place from the lack of some necessary food—something they require at this season of the year. Those that have no access to grass always do it. We believe if they are supplied with a grass run they always discontinue the habit. A good supply of lettuce cures them, and those that are gone to seed are best for the purpose. If you cannot give your fowls a grass run, let them have large sods of growing grass, cut with plenty of mould, thrown into their pens daily, and supply them with lettuce freely.

CHICKEN FEED.—We know of nothing better for young chickens and turkeys than hard-boiled eggs chopped fine, and fed with cracked corn and wheat. The first few weeks is the most critical time with them, and they need animal food in some form, especially in the early spring, before grubs and insects are plenty. We have fed raw liver, chopped fine, with advantage. A change of food is desirable. Wheat or barley steeped in milk, toasted bread crumbs and hominy, are excellent. They should be fed as often as five times a day, until they are a month old, and should have access to clean water at all times.

PULLETS.—A pullet hatched early in the spring begins to lay at the approach of winter, and pullets hatched late in the summer begin to lay in the ensuing spring, and it is by saving a certain proportion of pullets from the early and late broods that you make sure of winter eggs, a few early hatched chickens for catching the highest markets, and a numerous flock of chickens in the warm months, when a rearing is least precarious. The hen continues in her prime for two, and, at most, three years; therefore, save every year pullets equal to a third of your brood stock, selling off at a trifling price the same number of aged hens, or offering them up in a stewed dish, or well baked pie. However, I have no scruple about keeping a heavy, symmetrically-made, splendidly-feathered "partlet" for four years for the sake of her stock. Many farmers grumble about their poultry, from not paying attention to such a simple matter as their not looking over their brood stock once a year, drafting all the old dames (known by the developed scales on their legs), and reserving from the market basket the most promising young pullets raised during the season.

ORCHARD CATERPILLAR.—In those parts of the country where the orchard or tent caterpillar existed last summer, it will be well for owners to examine their trees before the opening of spring, for the bands of eggs which extend around the small twigs. Each band or nest contains several hundred eggs, and if left undisturbed, will result in a large swarm of caterpillars. The easiest way to get rid of them is to place a pair of pruning shears on the end of a pole, and selecting a day when there is either a clear blue sky or a covering of dark clouds, (bright clouds will be too severe for the eyes,) pass around and clip off the eggs. A quick eye will readily detect the rings on any part of the tree by the swollen appearance which they give to the shoots. When one tree is cleared pick up the fallen twigs, and place them in a basket for burning. If there is a small crust of snow on the earth they may be more readily seen and gathered up. This is the most easy and rapid way of getting rid of this caterpillar, as a single clip of the shears prevents the hatching of a whole nest. If any are accidentally omitted they may be destroyed after hatching, by the use of the swab. In the absence of pruning shears, the blade of a knife may be inserted, like a hook, in the end of a pole, and if made as sharp as a razor, will cut off the twigs by a single jerk.—*Country Gentleman.*

The Teeth of a Horse.

At five years of age a horse has forty teeth—twenty molar or jaw teeth, twelve incisor front teeth, between the molars and incisors; but usually wanting in the mare.

At birth only the two nippers or middle incisors appear.

At a year old the incisors are all visible on the first or milk set.

Before three years, the permanent nippers have come through.

At four years old the permanent dividers next to the nippers are cut.

At five the mouth is perfect, the second set of teeth having been completed.

At six, the hollow under the nipper called the mark, has disappeared from the nippers, and diminished in the dividers.

At seven the mark has disappeared from the dividers, and the next teeth or corners, are level, though showing the mark.

At eight, the mark has gone from the corners, and the horse is said to be aged. After this time, indeed, good authorities say that after five years, the age of the horse can only be conjectured. But the teeth gradually change their *form*, the incisors becoming round, oval and triangular. Dealers sometimes *bishop* the teeth of old horses; that is, scoop them out to imitate the mark; but this can be known by the absence of the white edge of the enamel which always surrounds the real mark, by the shape of the teeth, and other marks of age about the animal.—*Rural Gentleman.*

A Curious Story.

The New York correspondent of the Cincinnati *Enquirer* is responsible for the following curious story:

Every one knows of Elias Howe, the famous sewing machine man, who died at Bridgeport, Connecticut, a few months ago, and who was supposed to be worth at least four or five millions. He had long enjoyed a monopoly of his lucrative trade, and had a patent that brought him one dollar for every sewing machine made in the United States. When his estate was settled his executors declared that it was not worth more than $600,000, at which his heirs raised a huge outcry, charging the executors with fraud of the most gigantic character. Legal examination was made, and the figures proved (instead of larger than had been stated) to be represented by zero, a number of debts having been discovered that were before unknown. This is the story in the vicinity of Bridgeport, and the heirs of Elias Howe, who had expected to be made rich by legacies, are doomed to dreadful disappointment.

What became of all Howe's money is a question no one seems able to answer. Some say he paid so much to the Washington lobby that he was beggared; others that he lived too extravagantly to save anything, and others again that he gambled and bought lottery tickets for many years previous to his demise. It is not probable that any of these allegations is true, and consequently the mystery is deeper than ever. The wooden nutmeg State is in a sore quandary about Howe's fortune; and it is singular indeed, that a man whose annual income must have been $400,000 to $500,000, should be found insolvent at his death.

POLITICAL.

UNION REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The UNION REPUBLICAN VOTERS of Allegheny County are requested to meet at the usual places for holding elections in the several Wards, Boroughs and Townships, on

Saturday, May 30th, 1868,

And elect two (2) delegates from each election district, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress. Also, two (2) delegates from each election district for the purpose of nominating candidates for Senate, Assembly, District Attorney and Assistant Attorney, Controller and Commissioners.

The Congressional Convention for the 22d District will meet at the CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS Pittsburgh, on TUESDAY, June 2d, at 10 o'clock A. M., to nominate a Congressman. The Congressional Convention for the 21st District will meet at the CITY HALL, Allegheny City, the same day and hour, to appoint Conferees for the District. The County Convention will meet at the COURT HOUSE, in this city, the same day and hour.

The County Executive Committee recommend that the delegate elections be held, so far as practicable, by the Republican members of the Election Boards in the several districts, and also the manner of voting for candidates in the several Conventions be *vive voce*.

The Primary Elections in the Townships (excepting the Townships of Oakland, Pitt, Peebles, Liberty, Collins and Wilkins, which will be between the hours of 3 and 7 o'clock,) will be held between the hours of 3 and 6 o'clock P. M., and in the Boroughs and Cities between the hours of 5 and 7 o'clock P. M. In the Cities and Boroughs the elections shall be by ballot, and in the Townships by marking.

J. H. MILLER, Chairman.

N. P. REED, C. C. TAYLOR, } Secretaries. ap6

CONGRESS—22d DISTRICT.

Gen. J. S. NEGLEY

Is a candidate for nomination before the Union Republican Convention. mh17:d&T

CONGRESS—22d DISTRICT.

THOMAS HOWARD, Esq.,

Is a candidate for nomination, by the Union Republican Congressional Convention. mh31:d&T

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Gen. A. L. PEARSON,

Subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. mh24:m4-d&T

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

WILLIAM C. MORELAND,

Subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. mh27:m3:d&T

ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

JOHN W. RIDDELL

Will be a candidate for Assistant District Attorney, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap10:d&T

ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY,

J. B. FLACK,

Subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. mh26:m2-d&T

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LEGAL.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

United States vs. 16 Barrels Whiskey or High Wines. } No. 32, May Term, 1868.

Notice is hereby given to all persons claiming the said 16 Barrels of Whiskey or High Wines that they be and appear before the said Court on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1868, at 11 o'clock A. M. of that day, then and there to make answer to the premises and intervene for their respective interests and make their allegations in that behalf.

THOS. A. ROWLEY, U. S. Marshal.

Marshal's Office, May 6th, 1868. ap7:o2

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA. In the matter of the application for a Charter of

"The Allemania Fire Insurance Company of the City of Pittsburgh."

And now, February 22d, 1868, No. 1,186 March Term, 1868, the Charter specifying the objects, articles, conditions and names under which the members of the Allemania Fire Insurance Company of the City of Pittsburgh, county of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania, desire to be incorporated, being presented in open Court, and being presented and examined by us, and it appearing to us that the objects, articles and conditions therein set forth and contained are lawful and not injurious to the community, we direct the said writing or proposed Charter to be filed in the office of the Prothonotary of this county. We also direct that notice of said application be given by advertisement in the *Daily Gazette*, once in each week, for three consecutive weeks, and if no sufficient reason to the contrary be shown, a decree and order will be made, incorporating said Fire Insurance Company.

JACOB H. WALTER, Prothonotary.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of Administration upon the Estate of JOHN S. FELL, deceased, late of the City of Pittsburgh, having been issued to the undersigned, all persons having claims against said estate will present them, duly authenticated for settlement, and those indebted are notified to pay the undersigned, in Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, Pa.

DAVID DINES, Recorder's Office.

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BANKRUPT NOTICES.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

In the DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, for the Western District of Pennsylvania. In the matter of ROBERT P. GETTY, of Allegheny City, Allegheny county, Pa., bankrupt. No. 499, in Bankruptcy.

WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA, ss.—At Pittsburgh, Pa., the 31st day of March, A. D. 1868.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of ROBERT P. GETTY, of Allegheny City, in the county of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, within said District, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said District.

S. B. W. GILL, Assignee.

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THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE that on the 7th day of April, A. D. 1868, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the

ESTATE OF JAMES E. SHIELDS,

Of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts and to choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of the Register, at No. 93 Diamond street, in the City of Pittsburgh, before SAMUEL HARPER, Esq., Register, on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1868, at 10 o'clock A. M.

THOMAS A. ROWLEY, U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.

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WESTERN DISTRICT of PENNSYLVANIA, ss:

At Pittsburgh, the 3d day of April, A. D. 1868. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of JOSIAH KING and ISAAC M. PENNOCK, partners under the firm name of King & Pennock, of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, within said district, who have been adjudged bankrupts upon their own petition, by the District Court of said district.

JOHN H. BAILEY, Assignee, Attorney-at-Law, 99 Grant st.

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