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THURSDAY, MAY 10, 1906.

PRAIRIE DOG MEAT IS GOOD

Is Fine Eating and Should Become Popular Says an Oklahoma Farmer.

Prairie dogs make good eating. This is not generally known and even where known civilized people do not eat them because they are called gophers because they dig holes.

"The other day I met a man," said a prominent farmer of the "Faxon" neighborhood, "who eats prairie dogs and he had a few more of his kind we would soon get rid of the little pests on our prairie."

"I had gone to Neima," he continued, "to attend to some business, and on the road met a couple of wagons containing a man and woman and about ten children. They stopped to make some inquiries about the road to Chattanooga and in the course of our conversation the man remarked: 'There is plenty of meat in these parts.' By questioning him I learned that he referred to prairie dogs, and then he told me that he and his family had been living on prairie dog meat for ten days and avowed they had never in their lives eaten better meat."

"And the fellow was right. I have eaten them, too, and they are fine, especially the young ones. The hind quarters are a little heavier than a squirrel, but the fore quarters and other parts are better than squirrel. When we hunted buffaloes over this country a number of years ago we carried prairie dog tails with which to grease our guns, and there is none better. At that time we ate lots of prairie dogs."

"The only reason why people haven't learned to eat prairie dogs is because of the name. The little animals feed strictly on vegetation and are clean. Their meat is better than that of any other animal that lives in the ground, better than rabbits and better than squirrels. We could get rid of the prairie dogs if our people would learn to eat their meat."

Development of Talking Machines. Manufacturers of talking machines are elaborating their enterprises to an extent never dreamed of before. It will not be long before an entire opera cast will be heard on one of these machines.

Old Song Writer. Will S. Hayes, whose songs, "Mollie Darling," "The Little Old Log Cabin in the Lane," etc., were sung two-score years ago, is living in Louisville, Ky., and recently celebrated the seventy-fourth anniversary of his birth.

Bombard the Clouds. French wingwings are more than ever convinced that ballistics can be improved by the timely firing of canisters in the direction of clouds.

WAVERLY

FRANK E. WOOD, Representative News and advertising matter may be left at Gregg's Racket Store, Waverly. After 12 o'clock noon call the main office at Sayre, Valley phone 128X.

Post cards at Strong's.

A few flakes of snow fell this morning.

George Wood went to Elmira this morning.

Wall paper at Strong's.

Fred Lisenby of Nichols was in Waverly yesterday.

C. A. Dean of Mchoopany, Pa. is in Waverly today.

Try Strong's headache wafers.

Fred Hunter of Elmira is visiting friends in Waverly.

Seymour Seelye of Spencer is in town today on business.

Devoe paints at Strong's.

J. T. Sawyer and daughter Helen are in Elmira today.

Mrs. Lillian Kelly and son of Wilsyville, are visiting Mrs. Judd Hunter, Broad street.

Miss Elsie Clement, Park Place, went to Wilkes-Barre last evening to be present at the centennial.

Mrs. John Moore of Binghamton is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Harnden of Waverly street.

Hon. E. H. Hanford is making preparations for building a new porch on his residence on Park avenue.

Mrs. Judd Griswold has moved to Wilmington, Del. to join her husband, who is a structural iron worker in that city.

Mrs. W. M. Persons and son Harley went to Rochester this morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Persons' mother.

Rev. A. Livermore and wife of Geneva are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Livermore's son, Judge F. A. Bell, Chemung street.

The village of Waverly is advertising for bids for the pavement which was ordered built by the board of trustees at their meeting last week.

Mrs. Michael O'Brien, who was operated on yesterday at the Roberts Packer hospital at Sayre passed a good night and is doing very well today.

Floyd Canier of Elmira, is working in Panton's bakery. Mr. Canier is an experienced baker, and is the fourth man now working in this shop.

Mrs. Mary L. Clark and Mrs. Alice Gillam went to Port Jervis today to attend the district convention of the Eastern Star. While there they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Taft.

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Account Centennial Celebration, via Lehigh Valley Railroad. Tickets sold May 11th to 18th inclusive; return limit May 19th. Tickets will be good going and returning on all trains except Black Diamond Express within the prescribed limit. Consult ticket agents for further particulars. 296-21

Williams' Kidney Pills. Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in the loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent desire to pass urine? If so Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you. Sample Free. By mail 50c. Sold by Druggists. Williams Mfg. Co., Prop's, Cleveland, O. Sold by C. M. Driggs, druggist.

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RECEPTION WAS WELL ATTENDED

Epworth League Entertained a Large Number of Their Friends Last Night

Waverly—About 300 people were present at the reception given by the Epworth League in the Methodist church parlors last evening to the new pastor, the Rev. H. B. Cook. After the company had assembled a committee escorted Mr. Cook from the parsonage to the church, where an address of welcome was delivered by G. D. Genung. The pastor responded in his happiest vein, and kept those assembled in a happy mood by his witty remarks and humorous stories.

The church orchestra rendered several selections, the Misses Kneeland sang a duet, and several selections by the Epworth League choir and a male quartet were enjoyed by all.

HOSPITAL NOTES

A. H. Dean, of Columbia X Roads, was admitted to the hospital today.

Miss Bertha Newton, of Evergreen, was discharged.

Mrs. Elizabeth Maragoscin, a Hungarian woman, has been taken to the hospital suffering from typhoid fever. A few weeks ago the woman's husband, who resides in Sayre, was stricken with the disease. The woman was then in the old country and came here to see her husband when she learned of his illness. Now she has been attacked by the disease.

PURCHASED AUTOMOBILES

Dr. C. A. Haines and T. P. Maney, of this place, have purchased automobiles of Welles Brothers, of Towanda. The firm has just received five Maxwell runabouts and they have all been disposed of. The machines are of fine appearance and gasoline is used as power. Dr. Haines went to the county seat today to bring his purchase home and it is expected that Mr. Maney will go a few days later.

STOPPED RUNAWAY HORSE.

A horse attached to a buggy, which had been left standing yesterday afternoon in front of the residence of William London on Chemung street became frightened at car No. 3 and ran away. It had proceeded but a short distance, however, when a woman rushed from a house and caught the animal before any damage was done.

The most liberal offer ever made by any newspaper in this section should be read by every one. Here is an opportunity to get a book of 400 pages describing the San Francisco disaster in a forceful, truthful and comprehensive manner.

WILKES-BARRE CENTENNIAL JUBILEE

The Lehigh Valley Railroad announces reduced excursion fares to Wilkes-Barre, Pa., account Centennial Jubilee. Tickets will be sold May 9th and 12th, to be good returning until May 14th, and will be honored on all trains except the Black Diamond Express. Fare from Sayre, \$2.55 round trip. See Lehigh Valley ticket agents for further particulars. 296-16

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Of course the object of this free distribution of a valuable book is to secure prompt payment of subscriptions—anybody can see that. The cost of collecting subscriptions to a daily newspaper is heavy, and while the History of the San Francisco Earthquake Horror costs The Record something, yet we have estimated that we can well afford to give this magnificent book free to each subscriber who pays in advance, instead of going to the expense of collecting every subscription month by month.

You are going to take a local daily paper anyway if you are at all interested in what is happening in this region, and WHY NOT GET THE BEST? Any local daily will cost you at least \$3.00 a year, and you must pay the money some time. If you will compare the amount of local news in The Record with that printed in other local dailies, you will have to admit that THE RECORD IS LEADING ITS FIELD. The Record's editors and reporters are wide-awake; they "get on" to all the news that happens in Sayre, Athens, Waverly and surrounding towns; they investigate matters thoroughly and write them up in grammatical and attractive form. The six or seven columns of late telegraphic news in this paper each day are also worth the price of subscription. The Record is fearless in its denunciation of wrong, wherever existing, and it is independent and for the people always. These are a few of the features that make The Record a desirable local paper. After you have taken it for awhile you will notice other good features.

If any of our agents have not seen you regarding this free offer, we will gladly explain it if you should call at the office. This is a strictly legitimate, gut-edged proposition, without any "string" to it, and it will pay you to take advantage of it. We would advise you to come early as the supply of these books will be limited, and they are going fast.

New Gloves and Mitts

Lace and silk, black and white, long and short, 25 and 50c.

Those 25c fancy belts went quick, not one left, but we have a new lot almost as pretty in a variety of colors, only 10c.

White embroidered canvas belts, 10 and 25c.

A pretty assortment of ribbons, flowered and plain, only 10c a yard.

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New line of 10c jewelry, cuff pins, bead necklaces, etc.

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Wanted. Apprentice girls wanted at Miss Shulenburg's dressmaking parlors, 116 Chemung street, Waverly. 1-6

YOUNGLADIES and GIRLS can find steady work—good wages—and paid while learning at **ELMIRA KNITTING MILLS**, Elmira Heights, N. Y. 305-2w

For Rent Six room house on N. River St., three minutes walk from new shops. Inquire of L. P. Worster, 116 N. River. 3-8

House for rent at 200 North Lehigh avenue. Inquire at 200j. 305-5

Rooms for rent, modern improvements, gas range, gas lights. Inquire 523 S. Wilbur avenue. 290-2f

Farm house, garden and room for one or two horses if desired. Two miles west of Sayre. Price \$4. J. H. McKinney, R. F. D. No. 26, Athens. 284-4w

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Two small offices, one room with bath, suitable for gentlemen. Inquire H. R. Talmadge. 278-f

For rent, office rooms in the Wheelock Block. 264

Two offices for rent in the Maney & Page block. 214-f

For Sale General store at a bargain to right party. Central. Fred J. Taylor. 3-8

Chestnut horse, 6 years old, drive single or double. Good work horse. Lewis Turner, Keystone Ave. and Pitney street, South Waverly. 305-2f

A boat 16x5, suitable for sails or power. Inquire of McMahan, 404 Fellows Block, Athens. 303-8

House and lot on Lewis street. Write for particulars to P. H. Ginsburg, Robinson Building, Elmira, N. Y. 300-1m

The Dr. Judson property on North street, Athens, Pa. Apply to W. Howard Allen, Farmers National Bank, Athens, Pa. 240-f

Notice A pair of shoes was left at James Smith's shoe hospital in Athens for repairs. They have been repaired and the owner can get them by calling at Chaffee's shoe store, Athens, and paying the bill for repairs. f

For Jury Commissioner I hereby announce myself a candidate for Jury Commissioner, subject to Republican rules. I am in favor of an equitable distribution of jurors in the county, and am opposed to being directed by any political boss as to whose name may be placed in the jury box. I gave my county four years' service during the Civil War and believe in the same equality and justice now that I fought to establish them. F. N. DIXON, Waverly. April 10, 1906.—at 10a-11w.