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GRANGE FOR GOOD ROADS.

A Purely Grange Road Bill Now Before the New York State Legislature.

The New York state grange legislative committee has had a new bill prepared amending the Fuller-Plank law, so that poorer towns will receive a larger share of state aid and grading the towns according to the average assessed valuation per mile of road rather than the valuation per town. In its grading of towns for state aid under the money system the grange bill uses the assessed valuation as equalized by both the board of supervisors and the board of equalization.

There were numerous good road bills before the legislature, but none of them took account of the inequalities that appeared in the working of the old law. The grange bill proposes to give towns with a valuation of less than $5,000 per mile a 100 per cent addition to that which they raise themselves; those between $5,000 and $7,000 valuation, 90 per cent; between $7,000 and $9,000, 80 per cent; between $9,000 and $11,000, 70 per cent, and between $11,000 and $13,000, 50 per cent. A limitation is fixed for towns with $25,000 per mile valuation not to exceed $25 per mile annually, and towns with a mileage valuation exceeding $25,000 will not be permitted to draw more than one-tenth of 1 per cent of their total valuation. This is purely a grange good roads bill.

Newspapers Help Grange Work.

Editors of country newspapers are well disposed toward the grange. They will use write-ups of meetings of local granges if they are furnished them; they will announce the programme in advance; they will lend valuable aid to the grange movement. But they expect reports to have something in them. They want grange news, too, not stuff ten days' old. Every grange should have a local press correspondent who should be selected with special reference to his fitness for the work.

Organized For Business.

The Penobscot (Me.) Pomona Grange company was recently organized and has a capital of $200,000 for the purpose of dealing in groceries, grains and feeds and all kinds of farm supplies. It also intends to buy and sell farm produce on commission, and there is a possibility that a cold storage plant will be erected in Bangor by the same company in the near future.

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OWL COURTSHIPS

Show a Devotion Rarely Met Among More Favored Creatures.

Very funny it is, from the human point of view, to witness the love-making of a couple of owls on a moonlight night, as they sit together on the coping of an old wall, or on the horizontal limb of some giant of the forest. Perched on the same bough, or the same wall or ruin, the lady owl, though usually much bigger and stronger than her mate looks the picture of demure coyness, if a little excited inwardly, like a girl at her first ball.

But the male owl, says the Pall Mall Magazine, is very much in earnest; for a moment or two he remains quite still, then he puffs out all his feathers, bows, and utters a softened scream, followed by a modified hiss that is full of tender meaning, and then he nudges her with his wing; she opens her big eyes very wide, and gives him a sidelong glance that may be a hint, for, horrible to relate, from the depths of his interior he instantly brings up a half-digested mouse; and, although she is full of similar rodents and stag beetles as she can comfortably hold, she opens her mouth and accepts the fragrant gift with a murmur of satisfaction that speaks volumes of love and thanks. Then, when the dainty morsel has been disposed of, they caress each other tenderly for a moment or two, and then sit closely pressed to each other's side while the process of assimilation is perfected, after which they simultaneously flit away into the moonlight on noiseless wing in search of further prey.

Not only do the owls guard each other with a devotion that is rarely met with among more favored creatures, they positively idolize their ill-favored offspring, for whose sake they willingly risk not only liberty, but life. A young owl is not an attractive looking object from our point of view, but in its father's and mother's eyes it is perfection, and the way they wait on it, cuddle and caress it, feed it and keep it clean, must be seen to be believed.

Among the Pigmies.

Though it was a dangerous undertaking for the African explorers to travel through the land of the pigmies, there must have been a huge interest in observing the ways of these little imps, who were generally struck spellbound at the sight of the white men. Mr. Lloyd, writing in Chambers's Journal, says he was twenty days walking through the great forest inhabited by the pigmies, a forest so dark that in many places it was impossible to read, even at noonday. The pigmies were fairly intelligent, and peacefully disposed, although their arrows were tipped with deadly poison. They had a frightened appearance, and covered their faces, like shy children, when spoken to. The forest was alive with elephants, leopards, wild pigs, buffaloes, and antelopes. After leaving the forest Mr. Lloyd came to one place where he took the opportunity of screwing together the bicycle which he had brought with him. A spin on the machine brought out thousands of men, women, and children from their villages, and they danced and yelled with delight at seeing, as they expressed it, a European riding a snake.

Whittier Color Blind.

"Mr. Whittier greatly surprised me by confessing that he was quite color blind," says the Bookman. "He exemplified his condition by saying that if I came to Amesbury I should be scandalized by one of his carpets. It appeared that he was never permitted by the guardian goddess of his hearth to go 'shopping' for himself, but that once, being in Boston, and needing a carpet, he had ventured to go to a store and buy what he had thought to be a very nice, quiet article, precisely suited to adorn a Quaker home. When it arrived at Amesbury there was a universal shout of horror, for what had struck Mr. Whittier as a particularly soft combination of browns and grays proved, to normal eyes, to be a loud pattern of bright red roses on a field of the crudest cabbage green. When he had told me this, it was then easy to observe that the fulness and brilliancy of his wonderful eyes had something which was not entirely normal about them."

His Bible Verse a Hint.

Hugh Montgomery, whose father owns a large ranch in the fertile San Joaquin Valley, California, went to San Francisco and paid a brief visit at the house of a clerical uncle.

This divine, who is one of the best and most hospitable of men, follows the custom of having prayers before breakfast. In connection with this service each member of the family circle is expected to recite a verse of Scripture. Hugh, who has habitually a very healthy appetite, became decidedly sharp set before the amen was said. When his turn came to recite a verse he significantly repeated the familiar words:

"How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, while I perish of hunger?"

The reverend uncle listened with twinkling eyes and there was a speedy adjournment to a well-spread table.

Birds and Bills.

"There is something wrong with this bill," said the young married man to the milliner who has imported Parisian prices as well as styles.

"It is correct in every item," after looking it over.

"Eight dollars for that bird, no bigger than my fist?"

"Yes, sir, and cheap at that."

"All right, madam, I'll settle, but it's robbery. We had our first anniversary yesterday and I bought a ten pound turkey for $1.25."—Detroit Free Press

Well Qualified.

"Mr. Blankson," said the lawyer, turning to the man who had been drawn as a juror, this is a case in which—by the way, Mr. Blankson, have you ever been a witness before an investigating committee?"

"Yes, sir."

"We'll take him, Your Honor. He doesn't know anything about this case—or anything else."—Chicago Tribune.

A Complete Cure.

"Of what did the faith curer cure you?" asked the sceptic.

"Of my faith," said the former devotee.—Boston Herald.

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Mrs. Rose Chaffee, a business woman of Eaton Rapids, writes: "For a long time my system was in a terribly weakened state. Biliousness, severe indigestion and kidney troubles made me so miserable that I was hardly able to work. A friend told me of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and I found them just as represented. They restored my health to me, and I think they are a wonderful medicine."

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Let an EXPERT BUGGY MAKER Give you some INSIDE FACTS

Mr. F. L. Shaw, manager of our vehicle interests, bought two buggies from the same house the other day. One cost $18.00 more than the other. Then he took the buggies all apart to see just why one was higher priced than the other. Here is what he found out:

Both buggies had exactly the same seat and back, same size body, same wheels, shafts and everything else, except that the higher priced one had 14-oz. cloth trimmings instead of Keratol, found in the cheaper; a leather boot, instead of rubber; a better axle, and the finish on the woodwork was slightly better, but not very much.

Read the difference—and learn how easily price can be raised without changing the grade, in a buggy.

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Difference in Cost $3.80. Difference in Price to You $18.00.

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Seat and back (see illustrations).	Same.
Body 23 inches wide, 54 inches long.	Same.
Malleable 5th wheel without anti-rattler.	Same.
Malleable head block (considered poor).	Same.
Malleable Bailey Loop (cheapest made).	Same.
Common reaches.	Same.
Steel sockets.	Same.
Hickory and elm wheels (low grade).	Same.
Common axle.	Long distance.
Wheels painted by dipping.	Same.
6-oz. head lining in top.	Same.
Shafts. (cheap grade).	Same.
Keratol trimming.	14 oz. cloth.
Rubber boot.	Leather Boot.
Leather quarter top	Same.
Finish, cheap	Slightly better.

What do they give for the $18.00 difference in price?

The actual difference in cost, to the buggy maker, did not exceed $3.80, yet one buggy costs you $18.00 more than the other.

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