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Good Times Now For Farmers On Small Farms—Friendly Advice.

Whatever may have been the cause, or causes, of the increased cost of living, the high prices of all farm products, though a hardship to consumers who live on fixed salaries, is of much benefit to farmers. Now is an excellent time for the farmers on small farms to make money. There was never a better time but once, (during the civil war,) and then some did not wisely avail themselves of it and by increasing their expenditures or getting in debt, were ruined when the government resumed specie payments and prices fell to the lowest level.

Cattle, hogs, sheep, poultry, eggs, butter, potatoes, vegetables and fruits—everything farmers have to sell, are unusually high, but so also are most of the things farmers have to buy, and in order to lay up money for support in old age, or to educate children and help them get started in business or buy farms for themselves, farmers must practice great restraint and prudence in their purchases.

No doubt some farmers, as soon as they have the money in hand, will buy an automobile, and it is to be feared that some others seeing money is plentiful, will buy one of the horseless carriages on credit. Dr. Franklin said "wear your old coat until you have money enough to buy a new one." If the old coat is not ragged and a man wants to get rich, it would be better to lend the money on interest, that a new coat would cost, and wear the old one a while longer.

Farmers on small farms can make more money in proportion to the number of acres they cultivate, than the "bonanza" farmers who cultivate and rob the life blood from thousands of acres. Labor is high priced and the "bonanza" farmers have to hire all their work done, whereas the small farmer with the assistance of his family

need hire but little labor.

Soils are of different composition in different places and farmers should raise the crops for which their soil is best suited. On some favored farms wheat, corn and potatoes grow well and are profitably raised. On other farms wheat and corn are precarious and uncertain, but potatoes, oats and buckwheat grow bountifully and these are the crops that should be raised.

On all farms, whether they have been impoverished or not, stable manure and plenty of it, will work wonders in increasing the yield of crops, and on small farms the number of live stock that can be profitably kept will maintain their fertility, especially if clover, alfalfa and cow peas are frequently plowed under to increase the humus and nitrogen in the soil.

HILLSGROVE.

Mrs. Edw. Fiester and son McKinley of Hughesville, spent part of last week with Mrs. Edw. Hoffman.

The schools are closed here on account of scarlet fever.

Ray Barbour and family spent Sunday with his family at Barbour's Mills.

Miss Lillian Heyler, our primary teacher, is spending a week at her home in Morristown.

The ice went out of the creek on Sunday night removing five bents from under the railroad bridge. No other damage was done.

Miss Laura Wagner is ill at the home of Ray Jackson, with tonsillitis.

Greydon Hoffman, who has scarlet fever, is recovering nicely.

Miss Gladys Lora is spending a few days at Sonestown.

There are rumors of a new grocery store starting in town. Let the good work go on.

The entertainment that was to have been given by the school on Washington's Birthday, was postponed on account of scarlet fever.

The spelling contest of the town-church on Thursday night.

MUNCY VALLEY.

Adam Bradley was seriously injured while on his way to Jamison City Thursday.

Mrs. Jno. Marey and Jane Smith spent Tuesday in Williamsport.

Pearl Houseknecht entertained her school Thursday by giving them a sleighride to Strawbridge.

Mrs. Peter Jancowsky is spending a few days at Laporte.

Miss Myrtle Boudman is visiting relatives at this place.

Pearl Jillson, Myrtle Boudman and Earl Bender enjoyed a sleighride to Sonestown Saturday evening.

Mesdames Bradley and Houseknecht and children visited relatives at Eaglesmere Friday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Margargle, a daughter.

Mrs. Harry Taylor spent a few days of last week in Dushore.

Blanche Grimes has returned home from Millville.

Earl Bender has returned to New York state after spending some time with his parents here.

Teachers' Meeting.

The last meeting for the teachers of Forks, Fox, Hillsgrove and Elkland will be held at Lincoln Falls, Saturday, March 12. There will be three sessions beginning at 10:00 a. m., 1:00 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all interested in the upbuilding of our schools.

Opening Ball.

There will be a social dance and oyster supper held at Lora Hotel, Sonestown, Pa., on Friday evening March 18. Good music and good order. Everybody welcome and everybody come.

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HOME.

From The New Albany Mirror.

HOME! What a wonderful word; what a multitude of emotions surge round the heart of the wanderer at the very mention of the word. How it thrills the soul of the absent boy or girl to think of the dear old homestead far away, nestling among the cherry blossoms, the woodbine and the rose trellis, or when bleak and desolate in the grasp of winter's icy fingers without, within all cheery and bright. Home, sweet, sweet home.

Most of us have known the delights of a childhood home. Some of us grown-ups still go back and greet our aged parents in the old home nest. To many of us that most hallowed haven of earth is but a memory. A few of our brothers and sisters in the world never had a home.

We want to have a heart to heart talk with our friends about home. About how home is made a happy or an unhappy place.

We most heartily favor friendliness and love among neighbors, but home should be the altar upon which the choicest, most constant gifts of affection should be laid. How prone we are to forget or neglect to do so. How easy it is to conceive and exercise an unwarranted liberty toward those of our own household.

How often we are surly, morose and callous toward one another in the home simply through carelessness. That we really love one another is amply proven by absence, sickness or death, but we take too much for granted; we tread down our own best emotions and stifle the affections of others by an undue familiarity.

We have seen members of a household snap and snarl at one another like curs, when the door bell would ring and a neighbor enter the house. Frowns would vanish as by magic and smiles take their places. Everything would become as serene as an angel's dream.

Why was it? Was it because the neighbor was loved better than the home folk? Far from it. There was but a common, neighborly feeling. Should the visitor move far away, or be carried to the churchyard to be welcomed no more in a freindly call, regret, even deep grief might be felt, but nothing like the awful loss of any link being broken from the family circle.

Now then, since this is true, and we know it to be true, why not begin now and bestow our brightest smiles, our most courteous attention, our most courtly hospitality upon those dearest of all to us?

Some of us, both men and women, after years of contact with the sharp corners of life, grow sour, stern and unloving. We look upon the demonstration of affection as silly, childish, unworthy a mature individual.

A puppy is more playful than an old dog, but a dog's devotion to his master does not decrease with age. When his teeth are blunted by the adamant bone of time, his legs feeble, his ears deaf, he will lie and gaze into his master's face with an undying affection. Must we, creation's most intelligent offspring be taught by dogs?

Many men and women go about the home in shabby garments and unkempt appearance that would make them blush with shame in the presence of neighbors or strangers. There is no reason why we should not and every reason why we should make our person as pleasing as possible to our own home folks. If the husband knew his wife took pains to make herself agreeable to his sight, don't you suppose he would appreciate it? Thousands of men are driven to the saloons, thousands of boys are thrown into evil associations because home has no attractions.

We don't want to scold, but admonish—Be kindly and affectionate toward one another in the home. Don't wait to heap flowers on the coffin of dead, shed a lustre and fragrance around your best beloved during life.

Aid Society Notes.

The Ladies' Aid Society has on hand white and gingham aprons of different styles and prices. These may be seen at the home of Mrs. G. S. Eddy.

The ladies will make to order, dresses, shirtwaists, skirts or any articles for common wear, either furnishing material or using that supplied by purchaser.

The Society is preparing for a Fair to be held some time this month. Any articles contributed will be thankfully accepted.

At the regular weekly meeting held last Friday, the following officers were elected: Pres., Mrs. Andrew Rose; Sec'y., Harriet E. Grimm; Treas., Mrs. G. S. Eddy.

Some committees were appointed and at the close of the afternoon's work a social time was enjoyed over refreshments served by the hostess, Mrs. Rose.

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ALBERT F. HEISS, Clerk.
Clerk's Office, March 2, 1910.
Laporte, Penn'a.

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Albert S. White, late of Davidson township, Sullivan County, Pennsylvania, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims, to present the same without delay, to

Mrs. Sibyl Hallstead,
R. D. 1, Sonestown, Pa.
Administratrix of Albert S. White,
deceased. Feb. 23, 1910. 406

Administrator's Notice.

In the Estate of Thomas Morris, late of Laporte Township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the above estate have been granted to the undersigned. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same for allowance, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment without delay to the undersigned.

Jan. 25, 1910. Ernest Morris,
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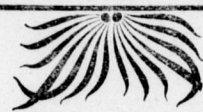
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