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Gray Moth in Wheat.

Many hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of wheat is being destroyed in the Southeastern counties of the State by a gray insect with so many of the characteristics of a weevil that it is known among the farmers as a wheat weevil.

So bad have become the ravages of the pest that clubs are being organized among the farmers in an endeavor to ascertain the best way possible of preventing further loss.

There is a way, however, said State Zoologist Surface recently, "of saving nearly all the wheat. In fact the remedy is so simple that I doubt that many farmers will not try it because of its very simplicity.

"Now that the harvest time is here and the price of wheat is a way up it is very important that the farmers living in the afflicted districts should thresh their wheat as quickly as possible. It should not be stacked or shocked and kept until fall for by that time the moth will have destroyed most of it."

Farmers Will Benefit.

The Washington Post says: In the investigations of the commission on country life, bad roads were found to be one of the main reasons of the isolation of the farmer, and responsible, directly and indirectly, for many of the drawbacks of rural life.

Road building is becoming a science, and instead of having work done under the incompetent direction of county or town officials, the States are assuming the responsibility of control, with excellent results.

Incidentally, as a direct result of the construction of good roads, the value of country property in Massachusetts has rapidly increased.

Ex-Sheriff Jerry Mason, of Hancock, was a business visitor to town this week.

Pensioners and Their Longevity.

According to a recent estimate of the War Department, the number of men who participated in the Civil War and were alive at its close was 1,652,173, including deserters.

Takes Some Time.

The gifts of John D. Rockefeller, which are known to total \$12,000,000 makes interesting the query how long it would take to count that number.

Counting fast as one is able, enunciating each figure, one can count about 212 per minute. This is faster than the average person can go, but taking it as a basis, one would count 12,720 per hour.

Working the full day, 24 hours, the total of 205,280 would be reached. At the end of the year, the total would be 11,427,200.

But in these days, 8 hours are considered a working day. So, in three years, at that rate, one would not reach the number of dollars which Mr. Rockefeller is known to have given.

Who Was the Loser.

This is the popular puzzle over the State just now. A banker going home to dinner saw a \$10 bill on the curbstone. He picked it up, noted the number, and went home to dinner. While at home his wife remarked that the butcher had sent a bill amounting to \$10.

Hustontown U. B. Charge.

Sunday, July 18th. Hustontown—Sunday school, 9:30; preaching, 10:30. Bethlehem—Sunday school, 2; preaching, 3; C. E., 5.

There will no preaching at the Greenhill Presbyterian church next Sunday. The church has been renovated, painted on outside and inside, papered, and necessary repairs made.

In a letter with money enclosed to advance her subscription, and a request to change the address from Lee Centre to 911 West First street, Dixon, Ill., Miss Lula McCleary expresses kind wishes for the success of the "News" which is greatly appreciated.

Mrs Elizabeth Little, wife of Samuel Little, died Saturday night at her home in Fort Loudon, after a long illness. She had been a patient at the Chambersburg hospital on several occasions for treatment.

Moon and the Potato Crop.

The moon has nothing to do with the growth of potatoes, says a writer in Success Magazine. This statement sounds about as self evident as a commencement oration, yet, according to a recent investigation by the Department of Agriculture, seventy five per cent of our farmers have been planting potatoes, and other crops according to the almanac.

It seems absurd to suppose that a respectable old moon like ours could find nothing better to do than to stay up nights ruining the potato crop. So Uncle Sam, who has an unquenchable curiosity in such matters, began poking into the moon myth and discovered that it deserves respect only because of its age.

WEST DUBLIN.

James McIntire and sons, of Six Mile Run, were fishing in Wooden Bridge Creek on Tuesday. Mr. McIntire is superintendent of the Commercial Coal Company's mine at Finleyville.

A few of our people are attending Sunday School Convention in McConnellsburg. We wish that more could be present, to hear the excellent address which are expected.

Our farmers have been some what delayed in the sowing of buckwheat by the dry weather. We hope that the weather will soon be favorable for the sowing of this crop.

Charles Barton and family, of Homestead, visited at Hiram Clevenger's the latter part of last week.

Our farmers have been quite busy with work at grain and hay since the Fourth of July, and the weather has been fine for such work.

Foxes have been quite trouble some to some of our people this summer. Nathan Deshong and J. F. Johnson each killed one recently. Mrs. Margaret Kasselring, of Hustontown, is staying with the family of her brother C. M. Brant during harvest.

LYNCHING IN AMERICA.

Why a Son of Uncle Sam Failed to be Present on One.

At a recent dinner in London the conversation turned to the subject of lynching in the United States. It was the general opinion that a large percentage of Americans met death at the end of a rope. Finally, the hostess turned to an American who had taken no part in the conversation, and said:

"You, sir, must have often seen these affairs?" "Yes," he replied, "we take a kind of municipal pride in seeing which city can show the greatest number of lynchings yearly."

"Oh, do tell us about a lynching you have seen yourself," broke in half a dozen voices at once.

"The night before I sailed for England," said the American, "I was giving a dinner at an hotel to a party of intimate friends when a colored waiter spilled a plate of soup over the gown of a lady at an adjoining table. The gown was utterly ruined, and the gentleman of her party at once seized the waiter, tied a rope around his neck, and at a signal from the injured lady swung him into the air."

"Horrible!" said the hostess, with a shudder. "And did you actually see this yourself?" "Well, no," admitted the American, apologetically. "Just at that moment I happened to be downstairs killing the chief for putting mustard in the custard." —Detroit News.

Thaw's Chances are Bright.

White Plains, N. Y., July 12.—If counsel can agree, a commission of three alienists, mutually selected, will pass upon the question of Harry K. Thaw's sanity. This was practically decided before adjournment to day at a continuation of the hearing before justice Mills in which counsel for Stanford White's slayer is trying to establish his right to release from the asylum for the criminal insane, at Matteawan.

With all of to day's testimony in favor of Thaw and with the indication that his wife, Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, will take the stand in his behalf; with District Attorney W. T. Jerome eliminated. Thaw's chances for release appear brighter than at any time since his commitment.

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, who has been living in retirement of late, may take the stand tomorrow. She has abandoned vacation plans, it is announced, to appear for her husband. The testimony heard to day, from jailers, inn keepers, real estate dealers, cler gemen, a dentist and a reporter—all called by Thaw was uniformly in his favor.

Witnesses related conversations with him on music, dogs, cigars, literature, electricity, geology, prison life, sport, religion and the personality of the late Pope Leo XIII. An inn-keeper thought Thaw perfectly sane, except that on one occasion he refused the witnesses invitation to take a drink with him. He admitted under cross examination that he had known rational persons to decline a drink.

Paid Undertaker 12 Years Ago.

York, July 12.—By the sudden death of Mrs. Flora Wellman, at the almshouse yesterday morning, a burial contract, which she entered into twelve years ago with undertaker Strack; becomes operative.

On June 28, 1897, Mrs. Wellman went to Strack's place of business, deposited a sum of money sufficient to secure for her a respectable burial, received a written agreement signed by Mr. Strack to provide for her burial after her death. Mrs. Wellman, at that time, also paid the sum of \$25 for the keeping of her grave and that of her husband, in Prospect Hill cemetery, in good order.

Mrs. Wellman, as old age approached seemed to have on her mind the subject of providing for herself. About five years ago she paid a sum of money, approximately \$200, to the Lutheran Home, at Washington, to provide a home for her until death. She went to the home, but about a year ago grew tired of it and returned to York where for a time she made her home with an adopted son and step sister.

Dissatisfied, however, with depending upon others, she went to the almshouse; where she had been for a time previous to going to Washington.

A Unique "Dry" Argument.

The following offer, printed on a blotter, and signed by a dozen grocery firms of Delaware, Ohio, has been scattered by the thousand:

"Any one who drinks three glasses of whiskey a day for one year and pays 10 cents a drink for it, can have in exchange at any of the firms whose names appear on this card, three barrels of flour, twenty bushels of potatoes, 200 pounds of granulated sugar, one barrel of crackers, one pound of pepper, 2 pounds of tea, 50 pounds of salt, 20 pounds of rice, 50 pounds of butter, 10 pounds of cheese, 25 pounds of coffee, 10 pounds of candy, and three dozen cans of tomatoes, 10 dozen pickles, 10 dozen oranges, 10 dozen bananas, two dozen cans of corn, 18 boxes of matches, half a bushel of beans, 100 cakes of soap, and one package of rolled oats, for the same money, and get \$15.00 premium for making the exchange in the expenditures.—N. Y. Tribune.

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Our Guarantee

Go to your druggist today, and purchase a dollar bottle, and if you can honestly say, that you did not receive any benefits from it, after using the entire bottle, the druggist will refund your money to you without question or delay.

We will pay the druggist the price of the bottle purchased by you. This offer applies to the large bottle only and to but one in a family.

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