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THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

Though we travel the world over to find the beautiful, we must carry it with us or we find it not.—Emerson.

EXCUSE US, PLEASE!

The average reader believes that newspapers will accept almost any old thing for its advertising columns if the advertiser will only pay the price.

Within a week The Citizen has "turned down" several such advertisements. For example we would mention one such advertisement that exploited some wonderful cure-all for "weak men."

We could give other samples, lots of them. So can all other newspaper publishers; but "what's the use?"

Occasionally we run across our old friend who still labors under the delusion that newspapers are always welcoming "something to fill up" their columns.

DEVELOPMENT OF THE FARM IN WAYNE COUNTY.

In our grandfathers' days about everything was left to Providence, particularly about farm life. It was a sort of a hit or miss vocation; some men made money at farming; and a great many others wondered how they did it; more people worked hard and barely existed on the fruits of their toil.

To-day there is no other vocation in the world which is receiving so much study and attention as farming. The grange has for years been seeking to better the condition of the tiller of the soil, and it has succeeded in a very large degree.

Hon. W. T. Cressy, who will address the Wayne Pomona in Honesdale to-night, has assiduously labored in the interest of the Grange in Pennsylvania.

Hon. Cressy, possibly better known as "Farmer" Cressy, has done much for the betterment and enlightenment of the farmers in the state.

The age is here for the scientific tillage and fertilizing of the soil, the evolution of improvements in the machinery and tools used, the perfection of seeds and plants grown and the very highest strains in the blood of the animals on the farm for the uses for which they are desired.

Much credit is due District State Horticulturist W. H. Bullock and W. W. Baker of the Farmers and Mechanics Bank for what they are doing for the advancement and development of Wayne county agriculturally and horticulturally.

The egg business of the United States amounts to \$300,000,000 a year. Yet the government experts say that 15 per cent. is lost—and that is \$45,000,000, and it proposes to teach poultrymen how to make this saving, and at no cost to them for the teaching.

In Wayne county there are several farmers and other individuals who are interested in raising poultry. Near Honesdale J. B. Robinson has over 2,000 pullets which are now helping to furnish the New York market with strictly pure and fresh eggs.

There are several herdsmen in Wayne county who are raising a certain kind of stock. Some prefer the Holstein, others the Jerseys, while still others swear by the Gurnsey and Ayrshire blood.

By reason of settlement the cattle rangers of the West are steadily diminishing. This country faces a cattle shortage, in fact, it has one now; the population is increasing, while cattle raising has fallen off for a number of years.

HARRISBURG LETTER

A bill making it a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of from \$10 to \$25 for any person to give, solicit or receive directly or indirectly a tip was introduced into the house Thursday by Mr. Keopert, member from Reading.

Mr. Jones, of Schuylkill, all of which have been passed. The bill passed Thursday is largely technical and supplements the "assistance" bill passed Wednesday by providing penalties for election officers who divulge how men vote.

Other Bills Passed Are.

Senate bill providing for resentencing of convicts who have been sentenced under a law declared unconstitutional; senate bill appropriating \$4,000 to state quarantine board; senate bill appropriating \$9,327 to pay bills in connection with the furnishing of Shamokin state hospital; exempting certain buildings from provisions relating to fire towers and outside fire escapes; directing publication of 150,000 copies of game, fish and forestry laws; amending trespass so that it shall not apply to private factories, mills or churches.

A system of state parks is provided for in a bill introduced by North, of Jefferson, these to be under the supervision of a state park commission of five.

Other new bills introduced in the house, are: Bigger, Allegheny—Creating bureau of public morals in second class cities.

Neely, Allegheny—Appropriating \$1,170,000 to University of Pittsburgh.

Ewing, Philadelphia—Fine and imprisonment for railroad trespassing.

Glenn, Venango—Prohibiting shooting woodcock for six years.

Roney, Philadelphia—\$4,000 salary for deputy prothonotary of eastern supreme court district.

Kern, Montgomery—County assessors to be paid \$5 a day.

Ramsey, Delaware—Ten thousand dollars for monument to John Morton, signer of the declaration of independence.

The bill requiring boroughs and first class townships to pay expenses of operations of state health department in their limits was sent back to committee.

Young, of Philadelphia, introduced a bill making the Philadelphia civil service commission elective.

Thomas, Luzerne, amending second class city act by providing that contracts for official advertising shall be made with not less than two or more than five daily newspapers.

The lower house redeemed last week the promise of all the political state conventions of 1911 in Pennsylvania, that the ballot law should be reformed and improved so as to curtail the evils which flow from unlimited power to "assist" voters to mark their ballots.

Prominent in the debate of over two hours duration were John R. K. Scott, of Philadelphia, and Richard J. Baldwin of Delaware, the Toner floor leader. There were other able participants, but these two stood out most prominently because of their different interpretations as to the desire of the people for honest elections.

The bill was passed by 144 yeas to 51 nays. It provides that the only disability that can justify a voter in asking for getting "assistance" in the marking of his ballot is real physical disability, such as blindness, or being armless, or some other incapacitating affliction just as apparent to the election board.

Woman Suffragists Aroused.

Advocates of woman's suffrage are inclined to believe that the Senate Committee having their referendum bill in its keeping are not much disposed to report it out until too late to pass it.

Work of the House.

The House has fixed March 17th as the last day for introduction of new bills, except local bills requiring advertisements in county papers.

Mercantile Tax Repealer.

By a vote of 122 to 70 the House has decided to place the mercantile tax repeal bill on the calendar, notwithstanding the negative recommendation of the Ways and Means Committee.

STATE NEWS

Interesting Items Taken From Our Exchanges.

The diphtheria scare in Blanchard is fast disappearing, as the development of no more than the three cases has reassured the residents that the quarantine established has been effective.

The W. C. T. U. of Eaglesmere showed enough of the law to knock out the last remaining liquor license at that summer resort. Before they did so, however, they secured financial backing for a temperance house which will be open to the public in a short time and will remain open all the year round.

Grace Stidfole, the Williamsport girl shot by John Erble last November, has recently been improving. For a long time she lay at the hospital between life and death and was taken to her mother's home to die. It is now thought that she will recover and Erble, who has not been outside of his cell since the shooting, is allowed to exercise in the corridor.

Miss Ruth Fisher and Miss Violet Winkelman, of Flemington, went skating on Bald Eagle creek a few days ago and skated through thin ice. They went in the water up to their necks but fortunately touched bottom and were able to cling to the edge of the ice until their cries brought help.

Leonard Huling, aged 12 years, stood and looked at a burning shanty at Cook's Run, near Renovo, recently and has likely lost the sight of an eye by so doing.

An order issued from the National Guard Department announces the discharge of Captain William H. Nevin, of Company E, Twelfth Infantry, it appearing that he is unfit to discharge the duties of his office.

The Pennsylvania Coal and Coke corporation on Monday fired some 400 coke ovens at its No. 10 mine at Gallitzin. They have been idle for the past week or longer for repairs and these have been finished and all will be put into operation as quickly as possible.

David Scalbeti, aged 10 years, is the youngest prisoner ever tried for murder in the Westmoreland county court. Angry at his brother, he had, the prosecution says, picked up his father's revolver and pulled the trigger just as Andy Sabon came within range.

WHERE THE DELAWARE'S BROAD WATERS ARE FLOWING

Interesting Bits of Items and Personal Mention from Deposit to Port-Jervis.

Elmer Alkens has loaded three cars of pine lumber and has three more about loaded. In all he has about 100,000 feet, which will be shipped to a firm in the state of Pennsylvania.

The postmaster at Long Eddy, Sullivan county, James Emmett Armstrong, recently indicted for stealing \$6,000 from the postal funds, was sent to a sanitarium for the insane in Middletown. Postal inspectors have made the discovery that his mind is unbalanced.

Albert Warren, of Lackawaxen, proprietor of the Union House in that village, was admitted to citizenship in Pike county court last week.

The Dupuy application was not signed by at least twelve qualified electors of Pike township as the law requires, and for this reason, as also because there is no necessity for a hotel at Big Pond, the license was refused.

The farmers of northern New York's big hay section who, as a general rule, hold on to their hay last fall for a higher price, are now deploring their mistake, as they are now glad to sell it at \$3 less a ton than they could have taken a few months ago.

Belief that a big dam will sooner or later be built across the East Branch of the Delaware was strengthened a few days ago by the arrival of three surveyors, who made a survey from the Long Flat cemetery to a point just above Shinhopple.

GOVERNOR SIGNS FIRST BILL OF THE SEASON.

Harrisburg.—The first bill of the 1913 legislature to be enacted into law received the signature of the governor last Friday six weeks after the opening of the session.

RIPE TOMATOES IN FEBRUARY.

Mr. Ike Levens, the cigar man, of Monticello, has a small improvised hot house in his cigar factory and has been raising winter tomatoes.

We understand a leading ex-hotel man of that village offered him a dollar apiece for them, as he wished to send them to a friend in Hudson, N. Y.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF LAKE ARIEL

LAKE ARIEL, WAYNE CO., PA., at close of business, Feb. 4, 1913.

Table with Resources and Liabilities sections. Resources include Loans and Discounts, U. S. Bonds, Bonds, Securities, etc., and Liabilities include Capital stock paid in, Undivided profits, etc.

State of Pennsylvania, County of Wayne, ss: I, M. J. Emery, Cashier of the above named bank, do hereby solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. J. Emery, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of Feb, 1913. S. C. BOSTREE, N. P. Correct—Attest:

J. W. COOK, T. W. SANDERCOCK, Directors. CHAS. RAMBLE, 1712

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Zemo is prepared by E. W. Rose-Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo., and is regularly sold by all druggists at \$1 per bottle. But to enable you to make a test and prove what it will do for you, get a 25cent trial bottle fully guaranteed or your money back at A. M. Leine's drug store.

SPORTING NOTES.

One player of the character of Christy Mathewson on each major league team would do much toward increasing the standard of the great game.

Mathewson looks upon baseball as a real business. He gives it his best thoughts and his best energies. He has no respect for the idlers in baseball, the players whose only desire is to get the cash every month and do as little work as possible toward earning it.

WAR DECLARED

CATARRH Germs Must Be Conquered or Health Will Be Destroyed. If you have Catarrh you must vanquish an army of persistent, destructive microbes before you can be healthy.

You might as well choose your weapons, declare war and destroy this army of Catarrh germs right now. Booth's HYOMEI, a pleasant germ destroying air breathed over the entire membrane will kill Catarrh germs. Booth's HYOMEI (pronounce it High-o-me) is guaranteed by Peil, the druggist, to end Catarrh or money back.

THE YORK Low Down, Steel Frame Force Feed, Grain and Fertilizer Drill with Grass Seed Attachment. Spring Hoes.

Hench & Dromgold's FORCE FEED, GRAIN DRILL and FERTILIZER DRILL. Positively the neatest, lightest, and strongest grain drill on the market. Our Guarantee: We guarantee this Drill to be the most perfect working Drill made.

O. M. SPETTIGUE Honesdale, Pa. \$200 DOWN and the Balance on Easy Monthly Payments. BUYS TWO TENEMENT HOUSES At the base of Irving Cliff, on River street. This Property is a 10 per cent Investment See BUY-U-A-HOME Realty Co. Jadwin Building, Honesdale, Pa.