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Governor Hastings has vetoed the bird book bill.

The St. Louis Star says the average earnings of labor in 1892 were \$250; in 1894, \$195.

Clinton county wants to become detached from Elk county and be added to Tioga in a judicial district. If this is done Elk county will join with Warren and Forest counties.

There are twenty newspaper publishers in the present legislature, and they should look to the interests of the craft by having a law enacted making it legal to kill subscribers who refuse to pay their back subscription.—Marienville Express.

An exchange says that a woman's character has been likened to a postage stamp—one black mark ruins it. Man's like a treasury note—no matter how many stains, it still passes at par. When a woman falls from grace her character is usually ruined forever, while on the other hand a man may straighten up and be received into the best society again.

The State Board of Agriculture has sent out circulars announcing that a new fruit pest called the "San Jose Scale" has made its appearance on the western slope and will advance eastward. By addressing Thomas J. Edge, Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, at Harrisburg, Pa., full particulars regarding the best means of destroying it may be obtained.

There are nine classes of people who are no good to a town. First, those who go out of town to do their trading; second, those opposing improvements; third, those who prefer a quiet town to one of push and business; fourth, those who imagine they own the town; fifth, those who think business can be done without advertising; sixth, those who deride public-spirited men; seventh, those who oppose every movement that does not originate with themselves; eighth, those who oppose every public enterprise that does not benefit themselves; ninth, those who seek to injure the credit of a fellow townsman.

The immediate prospect for a brilliant opening for the new century is therefore luminous with encouragement; the sky brightens momentarily, and the glorious dawn foretells a yet more glorious day. We may confidently look for many and startling surprises, the growth of new forces that will lift the people to loftier heights of ethical and intellectual activity, into a region bright and glowing with perennial beauty, where the air is moteless and the skies over serene—a world of infinite progress, of virtuous brotherhood, and the love of man for his fellow, of charity and unselfishness. Already a stupendous advance has been made; and we have a right to believe that the hour is only waiting to usher in a grand and glorious era of human progress. This prospect of success for a new century even now is blossoming into a vital activity and golden fruition of material beauty and moral excellence, under the guidance of public opinion and current events, now so rapidly unfolding to culminate in a symmetrical future.—Democrat.

There are times in every life when difficulties and obstacles lie across the pathway that seem insurmountable, and in many cases the discouraged one does not attempt to overcome the difficulty or perform the duty. No man or woman knows what wonderful things they can do until they make an earnest effort. Dr. Talmage says: "There is a beautiful tradition among the American Indians that Manitou was traveling in the invisible world, and one day he came to a barrier of brambles and sharp thorns, which forbade his going on, and there was a wild beast glaring at him from the thicket; but as he determined to go on his way he did pursue it, and those brambles were found to be only phantoms, and that beast was found to be a powerless ghost, and the impassible river that forbade him rushing to embrace the Yaratilda proved to be only a phantom river. Well, my friends, the fact is there are a great many things that look terrible across our pathway, which when we advance upon them, are only the phantoms, only the apparitions, only the delusions of life. Difficulties touched are conquered. Put your feet into the brim of the water and Jordan retreats. You sometimes see a great duty to perform. It is a very disagreeable duty; you say, 'I can't go through it; I haven't the courage, I haven't the intelligence, to go through it.' Advance upon it. Jordan will vanish."

Important to the Building Public.

In the early part of this century many eminent mechanics were striving to produce what we have termed "an artificial wall plaster." There are now many patents obtained, and others applied for, which are being introduced into the markets. These various efforts were not alluded with immediate beneficial results to those who had given so much time to the question. As it now appears to have attracted but little notice for some considerable time after its invention, and the name given by its inventor, for which I now wish to introduce the Fitzgerald Wall Plaster as a building material, has been demonstrated to such an extent that its manufacture has grown to vast proportions and is working a market in all parts of the world. By its ingredients many suppose it to be the product of converted limestone from the island of Portland, England, and its name to be a local one, owing to its place of manufacture; but in reality it owes its name to Aspidin, who discovered one of the ingredients that the Fitzgerald Wall Plaster is composed of. The fact when of good quality it is similar in appearance—if troweled to a smooth surface—as rubbed Portland stone, one of the chief building materials of England and Germany.

THE COMPOSITION.
 Chemically speaking, it is a double silicate of lime and the enduring quality of cement, the principal element in quartz and flint. Previous to 1875 the quantity of these ingredients imported was very small and was held at so high a price as to prevent its coming into general use. But the organization of the Fitzgerald Plaster Company, Allegheny, Pa., and other artificial stone companies throughout the United States—for building purposes—caused a large increase in the demand for these materials, bringing new importers into the field, and causing an immediate reduction in price. In this way the cement became more generally known and at once found public favor, as it was discovered to be a vastly superior article to American native lime and the uses to which it can be successfully applied are so manifold as to make it positively of great assistance to the building public and architects. This fact gives rise to the general impression that no truer plaster has been manufactured anywhere and the extended reputation now subsists to the superiority of the Fitzgerald Wall Plaster, and the comparative value depends mainly upon their ability to admit of their being mixed with sand, without losing in strength. Though within the past four years I have tested with many of the different kinds of patent wall plasters, I now find by my own experience which show the best results, and when tested by skilled workmen proves satisfactory. And I call the attention that it is not the desire of the Fitzgerald Plaster Co. to make a name for their plaster and then sell patentright or start a series of stock jobbing concerns throughout the country, but to continue its manufacture at their own factory and control its sale in such a manner that the name of the firm may not be controlled by any one person.

In offering to the public, the Fitzgerald Wall Plaster Co. furnish a preparation which is superior to any other for the purpose. No special provision has to be made, and it is ready for instantaneous use on simply mixing with water. It contains all necessary sand, fibre, etc., to make a perfect wall plaster without any inconvenience to the contractor. All the difficulties and uncertainties of any material where the sand has to be added by unskilled labor are avoided where the Fitzgerald wall plaster is used. In a few hours after being applied becomes very hard, and capable of resisting all the ordinary casualties that are so destructive to all others with which I have experimented. Its elasticity, toughness, and adhesiveness are a few of its good qualities. As a fire retarder it has stood the severest test; and when plastered on iron lathe makes an absolutely fire-proof wall, as water has but little effect in destroying its adhesiveness. It has been adopted in schools and on large ceilings where the vibrations of the floors crack the plaster. Does not harbor vermin nor germs of disease. For wainscoting in kitchens and halls it equals marble. No one who intends building substantially can afford, at the moderate cost, to use any other, and is a dry material which is always ready for use.

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 Practical plasterer and contractor. Job work neatly attended to, and particular attention given to cement work.

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Capt. D. W. Atwater, of Reynoldsville, was in Brookville several days of the past week in the interest of the organization of a camp of the Sons of Veterans, and met with such success that it is expected that a camp of that order will be instituted here at an early date, Mr. Atwater having secured as charter members a large number of our wide-awake young men, who are fully capable of making a success of anything they may undertake.—Brookville Republican.

Elderly people remember their spring biters with a shudder. The present generation have much to be thankful for not the least of their blessings being such a pleasant and thoroughly effective spring medicine as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is a health-restorer and health-maintainer.

Second Tour to the "Golden Gate."

The large number of people who have leisure, and the growing desire of Americans to see the wonders of their native land, are the principal agencies in advancing a healthy sentiment in favor of travel.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company's personally-conducted tours to California will be conducted in all respects as those of preceding years, with some added advantages, which cannot fail to attract the attention and enlist the interest of the tourist.

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Drifting with the Cid.

BEST-HAMAKER—In Punxsutawney, Pa., March 6, 1895, by Rev. J. W. Blaisdell, John C. Best and Laura E. Hamaker, both of Punxsutawney.

NOTICE is hereby given that my daughter, Clara N. Snyder, has left my home, and all persons are notified not to harbor her or sell her goods in my name, as I will not be responsible for debts contracted by her. March 11, 1895. ISRAEL SNYDER, JR.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE
FIRST NATIONAL BANK
 OF REYNOLDSVILLE

at Reynoldsville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business March 5, 1895.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and discounts	\$73,751 17
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	5 49
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	30,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	3,775 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	1,300 00
Furniture and fixtures	2,002 59
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	4 57
Due from approved reserve agents	19,674 88
Checks and other cash items	1,756 15
Notes of other National Banks	439 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	38 33
Legal money reserve in bank, viz: specie	\$6,195 05
Legal-tender notes	1,481 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	1,350 00
Total	\$144,174 83

LIABILITIES:	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000 00
Surplus fund	2,500 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	681 30
National Bank notes outstanding	27,000 00
Dividends unpaid	60 00
Individual deposits subject to check	57,936 28
Time certificates of deposit	4,920 00
Time certificates of deposit	5,553 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	20 15
Total	\$144,174 83

State of Pennsylvania, County of Jefferson, ss:
 I, John H. Kaucher, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 JOHN H. KAUCHER, Cashier.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of March, 1895.
 ALBERT REYNOLDS, Notary Public.
 CORRECT—Attest:
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M. MOHNEY,
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Benjamin Yohe, late of Henderson township, Jefferson county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.
 B. W. YOUNG, Administrator.
 February 23rd, 1895.

First National Bank

OF REYNOLDSVILLE.
CAPITAL \$50,000.00.

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Scott McClelland, Vice Presd.
John H. Kaucher, Cashier.

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