

WESTERN NEW YORK

Springville has installed new street lights.

Plans are being made for a new library building at Marilla.

Race thrives for the Perry race Aug. 18th to 19th, total \$2,815.

Eric county supervisors appropriated \$15,000 for the Hamburg fair this year.

Canandaigua millers have fixed fixed the price of new wheat at \$1 a bushel.

Building of a theater in Newark has been started by the Associated Theaters.

Jamestown is feeling the effects of the coal miners' strike and the shortage is acute.

Chloroform plant has been sold to the Empire Gas & Electric company.

J. Roy Parker of Columbia, Mo., has become telegraph editor of the Hornell Tribune.

Gov. Miller has accepted an invitation to attend the Rochester exposition on Sept. 7.

The Monroe county home bureau will operate a milk bar at the Brockport fair this week.

Fifty-four fresh air children from the New York tenement districts have arrived at Seneca Falls.

Canandaigua has secured options on land on the lake front at the foot of Main street for a city park.

Dundas won seventh place among New York third-class postmices in the state of treasury certificates.

Vegetable employees of the Government company of Lockport have been readjusted and the works opened.

Clover is in bloom for the second time at Manchester and a second crop is expected to be harvested by Sept. 1.

The State Association of Rural Mail Carriers will hold its annual convention in Canandaigua on Aug. 10 and 11.

Buffalo stands 17th in construction work among American cities, which involves a total building program of \$1,000,000,000.

Clean's Automobile club proposes to sell gasoline to its members. The retail price there is now 30 cents a gallon.

Only two marriage licenses were issued in Dansville in June, the smallest number since the marriage law went into effect.

There is talk of reorganizing the fire department of Akron. It is claimed that it lacks young blood in the three companies.

Corning Odd Fellows have purchased property adjoining their temple and propose to erect a three-story addition to the temple.

Buffalo jitney drivers have engaged Hamilton Ward to fight against ousting the drivers upon the settlement of the street railroad strike.

Under an order by Justice Stephens the Old Orchard Rod and Gun club is granted permission to sell property belonging to the club in the town of Livonia.

Berry pickers at Dundee were allowed to bat down berries at the last picking. This method calls for them to be looked over by hand after they are evaporated.

The Ontario county almshouse at Hopewell, erected in 1826, has been again condemned by the state board of charities. It is old and unsuitable, the board finds.

There will be a special election at Warsaw on Aug. 5 to vote on an appropriation of \$30,000 to pay the village's share of the cost of the East Hill Federal highway.

Striking shopmen of the Pennsylvania have made no claim on their three hours' pay on July 1st, fearing that they might accept the cut in wages declared for that day.

Ontario county supervisors have declined to appropriate funds to aid the blind of the county. It is claimed that a special appropriation for them at this time is not needed.

P. H. Murray, of Rochester was low bidder on the Hume-Pike road in Allegany county, 2 1/2 miles of bituminous macadam at \$71,697, nearly \$10,000 under the engineer's estimate.

Two years ago George Eastman of Rochester gave 5,600 shares of Western Union telegraph stock to Rochester university. It was then worth \$470,000. Today it has a value of \$590,000.

Lockport has been given the right to amend its complaint before the interstate commerce commission in the interchange freight action brought against the New York Central railroad.

William Brown, 45 years old, a farmer living about a mile north of Belfast, was found lying dead in his barnyard. It is believed the bull, which he was tending, killed him. His body was mangled as though the bull had stamped and gored him.

Charles A. Kandt of Lockport was unanimously chosen president of the Western New York Volunteer Firemen's association at the 32nd annual convention, which was held in Lancaster last week.

an borne into the Corning passenger station upon the pilot of the engine hauling Lackawanna passenger train No. 6 was identified by her husband as that of Mrs. Peter Mejors. Her husband is a grocery man.

The contract for building the Gainesville-Pike road in Wyoming county has been let to the Westchester & McCabe Construction company of Syracuse for \$149,615.50 for 4.68 miles of road. The Arcade-Farersville road was let to the same company.

Having just closed a contract with one of the largest producers of automobiles in the country to furnish motors for its machines, the Herschell Spillman Motor Company of North Tonawanda, has announced that arrangements are being made for the operation of its big plant to its fullest capacity.

After a lapse of 20 years, old Fort Ontario-Oswego, unused since the Spanish-American war, is again to be garrisoned and the quarters and buildings within the stone fortifications used for officers and their families and for some of the ranking non-commissioned officers.

The Arkwright Natural Gas company has struck gas on the Johnson lease at Forestville which is now flowing at the rate of 500,000 feet a day. The gas was struck at a depth of 50 feet and is the largest amount of surface gas struck at that depth in the history of the Western New York gas fields. Another gas well near by is producing 6,000,000 feet per day.

On Aug. 3 the Odd Fellows' Home association of New York will hold its 30th annual meeting at Lockport. Of originally elected officers, Secretary J. M. Deyo of Rochester has served continuously. His thirtieth report will show more than \$500,000 received from all sources. The association now has 300 subordinate lodges, 176 Rebekah lodges and 20 encampments.

Plans have been completed for holding the annual camp meeting of the Genesee conference of the Free Methodist church on the campus of the A. M. Chautauque seminary at North Chili from Aug. 2 to Aug. 10. This year's meeting will include two districts of the conference, the Genesee and Perry, and will be in charge of the Rev. Wilber G. Wortels, district superintendent of the Genesee district.

An increase of 1 cent a quart for the month of August above the price for July has been announced by the Dairyman's League Co-operative association. The new prices in the 201-216 mile freight zone will be: Class 1, fluid milk for city distribution, \$2.69 per 100 pounds; class 2, milk for cream, ice cream and plain condensed, \$3. Dealers will pay 6.9 cents a quart, milk testing 3.6 per cent butter fat.

The Fredonia canning factories are running short of coal and unless the coal strike is soon settled the local concerns will not have enough coal on hand to complete the packing season. All of the canning factories have large contracts for beans and tomatoes obligating them to take these products from the growers. Every effort is being made to secure an additional supply of coal which so far as has been unsuccessful.

According to reports from the Chautauque are filled with elderberries this year and all indications point to a bumper crop. In the years before John Barlycorn received its sular plexus at the hands of the Prohibitionists no one paid any attention to the lowly elderberry, but for the last three years there has been an unprecedented demand for the fruit since it was discovered that wine can be made from the berries that will produce a vigorous kick.

An increase of nearly 80 per cent in alcoholic deaths this year over those of 1920, and 27 per cent over 1921 has been reported by the chief medical examiner for New York. The jump in the mortality rate is attributed by health and medical officials to the poor quality of liquor being sold. Three-fourths of the whisky New Yorkers are drinking is hooch hastily and cheaply manufactured to supply the demand that has not decreased, while federal authorities have clamped down the lid on importation and withdrawal of bonded liquor.

Two new varieties of wheat and one of rye may be had by New York farmers for fall planting, according to a statement given out by the plant breeders at the state agricultural college at Ithaca. Forward is a redkerneled white chaff wheat that is offered in commercial quantities for the first time this year. It has rather stiff straw, grows taller than ordinary wheat and has proved in long continued tests under the direction of the college to be one of the best yielders developed by the cereal breeders of this state, the speaker says. For the eastern section of the state, Dawson's Golden Chaff is now known as Honor wheat and is highly recommended.

Stare competition is worth a lot of money to you every year — but it's worth twice as much to the person who watches the ads as the person who neglects them completely.

Oysters grow on Trees

In the Papanta Harbor of Italy the sign of oysters growing on trees may be seen. This does not mean that the oysters grow like apples and such fruit, but it is the custom there, where the oysters are cultivated, to put trees into the water for the young oysters to cling to. This scheme is said to save innumerable baby oysters which would otherwise be devoured by fish before they had a chance to develop. The trees are placed in the water with the trunks up and when it comes time to transplant the oysters the trees are taken up bodily and carried to the new grounds, saving much labor.

Told of Victor Hugo

Of Victor Hugo it is told that once when a word used in one of his poems was criticized as "not French," he calmly replied: "It is now." The story may not be true, but it might have been, for no doubt, if occasion had arisen, Victor Hugo was quite capable of saying just that, and of believing it, too. Moreover, his confidence in his power was not without excuse, or even reason, for in his day his right to increase the French vocabulary was about as good as that of anybody else.—New York Times.

Fire in Forests

Destruction by fire of mature forests and areas of second growth remains our most serious problem, says the American Forestry Magazine. If we can only make every man, woman and child appreciate the danger of fire and eliminate it to the degree that European nations have done, we will soon find ourselves well on the road to realize that perpetual forest dream, and insure for all time a steady and constant supply of the wood and paper upon which we all depend.

Quick Repairs

Slam has electricity now and the thoughtful electric light people are doing their best. In every room in a Bangkok hotel is posted a notice in various languages. Its English version reads: "Sir: For the case that your electric light should fail, we beg to send you enclosed a postcard, which please send us at once when you find your light out. The company will then send you another postcard."

Ho, Hum!

"In 320 gold pieces \$1,000,000,000, if laid flat would form a line 1,000 miles long," says a statistical note. We'd like to see them demonstrate this and then let us go along and pick up the gold pieces until we got tired. We think we could go the full distance.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Runs to Patents

The first United States patent was granted to a descendant of a Waterbury (Conn.) miner. The second was granted to a resident of Waterbury, and the number of patents now issued to people of that city is about double what might be expected from the population.

To Be Greatly Good

A man to be greatly good, must imagine intensely and comprehensively; he must put himself in the place of another and of many others; the pains and pleasures of his species must become his own.—Shelley.

Thoughts After Forty

I am convinced that a man is more romantic than woman. A man will weave a little romance from a hairpin he sees on the sidewalk. Does a woman pay any attention to a cigar butt?—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Lights

According to reports from the English scientist, candles and oil and gas lamps transform only two per cent of energy into light, incandescent electric lamps three per cent, arc lights ten per cent, and the magnesium light fifteen per cent.

Dusty Finds Surcease at Last

There are a lot of joys in this gloomy old world, but none exceeds the joy of slipping on an old pair of shoes after a half-day of breaking in a new pair.

Forming Habits

Whatever you would make habitual, practice it, and if you would not make a thing habitual, do not practice it, but habituate yourself to something else.—Epictetus.

Palmistry Notes

If a girl's hand is as soft and white as a baby's her stories of doing a lot of housework are untrue.—Atkinson Globe.

Done at Home

Tailor's ad: "I'll take your measure and give you fits." No you won't; our wife does that.—Boston Evening Transcript.

Thoughts After Forty

Cupid knocks the tar out of genius. A great man, in his love letters, writes the same kind of drivel as the rest of us.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Cheese Seasoned Four Years

One of the best grades of Italian cheese is sold only after it has been seasoned for at least four years.

Don't Rubber

Let thine eyes look right on and let thine eyelids look straight before thee.—Solomon.

No Adoption Legal in England

In England the adoption of children cannot be legally secured.

Daily Thought

Never sit at the door of a man's house, something to do.

When trouble meets you half way

hug over it and keep going.

Every person lies at one time of another. We can't sleep standing.

A really witty person seldom laughs at his own jokes. It isn't necessary.

We, however, are of the opinion that civilization is not on the decline. It has hit the bottom berplank.

Many people prefer to pay by check. It is less agonizing than letting the cash slip thru their fingers.

When a woman tells a fellow that her heart is broken it is time for him to duct. She is looking for a repair man.

Some people find it necessary to boast of their loyalty because other people are unable to discover it by their acts.

City girls are kicking against having to wear long shirts again. Of course — kicking is easier when they are short.

Many an old duck looks at a pretty and dashing girl and prides himself on the thought that he has kissed her — when she was a baby.

All men may be born equal, but there is a wide variance by the time they kick off.

Most people have their good points and their poor ones. A few have none at all.

It would never do to put twelve women on a jury. The law provides for only one verdict.

Never interfere when husband and wife are fighting. It is more fun to watch him get licked.

When you consider the other fellow a fool honors may be even without your knowledge.

Avoid reminding others that you have sense. If they can't discover it, it is not worth finding.

About Battery Life Insurance

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