

NOW FOR WORK.

The proposition of the Brownsville Woolen Mills Company to remove their plant to this city and increase its capacity to a four set mill for a bonus of \$25,000 is now before our people. As a mere business venture, will it pay the people to raise this large subsidy? There can scarcely be a doubt of it. The securing of large manufacturing industries here is the only certain way of causing the city to prosper. Without such, Albany must inevitably remain a small slow-going village. If we should fail now it would be long years before such an enterprise could be made successful. Then let every citizen put his shoulder to the wheel whether he be able to lift little or much and push this car of progress on to ultimate consummation. The time in which to secure this bonus is short, but we confidently believe that Albany pluck, enterprise and energy will secure this bonus in ten days. But to do it there must be no half-hearted support from any. Let every man speak a good word for this important step. In three years after the starting up of this mill Albany will have increased her population to 10,000. This will be of vast benefit to the business man, the real estate owner and to all citizens. The men able to contribute largely must come to the front liberally, while those of small means must be liberal in proportion. We must and will succeed.

The case of Shotwell vs. Moore, just decided by the Supreme Court of the United States, was brought by an Ohio county treasurer to recover taxes of the appellant on the ground that he had defrauded the tax assessor. It appears that the latter was for some years in the habit of withdrawing his deposit in the bank a couple of days before the date on which returns were made by the tax assessors. This deposit he would then convert into greenbacks, inclose them in a package, and without leaving the bank return the greenbacks to the bank officer, requesting him to deposit the same in the bank safe. A week or so afterwards he would have the money placed to his credit as a general depositor. His object in this proceeding was to evade the payment of taxes under the provision of the Revised Statutes exempting obligations of the United States from state or municipal taxation. The Supreme Court affirmed a decision of the Supreme Court of Ohio against the appellant, holding that such evasions could not be permitted, and further that the selection of a particular day on which to make tax returns did not necessarily preclude the making of the assessments so as to include other periods of the year.

A prominent physician, speaking of special baths and their uses, mentions the sponge bath, the form of bathing where the water is applied to the surface through the medium of cloth or sponge, no part of the body being plunged in the water. He says the practice of systematic daily sponge bathing is one giving untold benefits to its followers. Let a person not over strong, subject to frequent colds from slight exposure, the victim of chronic catarrh, sore throats, etc., begin the practice of taking a sponge bath every morning, commencing with tepid water in a warm room, (not hot,) and following the sponging with friction that will produce a warm glow over the skin and take five minute's brisk walk in the open air. See if you do not return with a good appetite for breakfast. After having used tepid water for a few mornings, lower the temperature of the bath until cold water can be borne with impunity.

Fire under water may be produced by placing a small piece of phosphorus in a comically shaped glass filled with water, and some crystals of chlorate of potash covering the phosphorus, and then pouring through a long tube funnel or a glass tube a few drops of sulphuric acid down on the mixture at the bottom of the glass. Tongues of flame can be seen flashing up through the water, the intense chemical action producing sufficient heat to inflame the phosphorus under the water. When there is sufficient heat and oxygen, fire will burn whether in air or water.

Potatoes are now so cheap that a caution needs to be given against feeding them in large quantities to milch cows. A few daily will do good, especially if the cow otherwise has dry and constipating food. But potatoes do not make rich milk. The root has no fat in it, and so does not make butter, except that dry crumbly sort manufactured in the cow from its starch, and being really a cow-made oleomargarine.

Venus is now easily visible with the naked eye in the daytime, even at noon, although she does not reach her greatest brightness until March 25. Probably the newspapers will soon begin to report the reappearance of the Star of Bethlehem.

Portland, Or., March 25th. Having tried the effects of the concentrated extract of Oregon Kidney Tea, we cheerfully bear witness to its beneficial agency in affections of the digestive organs. It is simple and safe; it is easily taken and restores healthy vitality to the organs it is intended to operate upon with assured success. S. J. McCORMICK, editor Catholic Sentinel. Sold by Foshay & Mason.

Herd of wild buffalo keep turning up at various secluded parts of the far-Western wilds. Not long ago it was thought that the wild buffalo was a nearly extinct animal, except as they are preserved by the United States Government in Yellowstone Park. The scarcity of buffalo now make them too valuable to kill. It would be a pity to have this animal become extinct without further effort to domesticate it and make it of value. The originals of our present domestic cattle were in their wild state as unpromising subjects for man's use as the wild buffalo of our plains. A few attempts to cross them with cattle have been made with moderate success.

Pennsylvania is ahead of the other States in getting out a United States flag with forty-two stars on it. The first one was hoisted over the State House at Harrisburg, the capital of the State. The flag ought first to have been hoisted over old Independence Hall, which is a building with more historic and sacred associations than pertain to the capital of the Keystone State.

When a parading society does not turn out after it has promised to turn out—it turns out badly.

It is generally conceded by physicians that about one-half of the population of the United States are suffering from indigestion and dyspepsia. Hurried eating and improper mastication and insalivation of food are the principal causes. Dr. Henley's Dandelion Tonic strengthens and invigorates the digestive organs, and enables one to enjoy a hearty meal without any unpleasant after effects. Sold by Foshay & Mason.

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R. GLASS & SON.