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OUR ENORMOUS EGG CROP.
 The egg and poultry earnings of the United States for one recent year amounted to \$250,000,000. Such an amount is sufficiently amazing as it stands, but you don't get its full significance until you study the relative financial values of other "industries." We find, for instance, that the total value of the gold, silver, wool and sheep produced in America during the year in question was \$272,171,175. The sugar production of the country the same year was but \$20,000,000. That part of the wheat crop used at home many consider the most valuable of all our agricultural products, was worth \$220,000,000. The great American hog, as consumed at home and abroad, brought \$186,520,000. The value of the oat crop was \$74,984,900. Potatoes grown in the United States were valued at nearly as large a sum as were the oats. The product of tobacco plantations was estimated to be worth \$15,570,225. Cotton, the dethroned king of staples, could show only \$279,161,540, as against the magnificent earnings of its feathered rival. The crops of flax, timothy, clover, millet and cane seeds, broom corn, castor beans, hay, straw, and so forth, couldn't, all told, come within a measurable distance of many millions of the poultry earnings.
 The hen's eggs produced in this country annually would fill 11,127,700 crates, each of the latter holding 360 eggs, also a train of refrigerator cars to carry these eggs would be nearly 900 miles long. Furthermore, it would take 107,818 such cars to make up this train.

**THOUSANDS OF FAIR WOMEN
 HERALD PRAISES OF PE-RU-NA.**

Catarrh and Catarrhal Diseases Make Invalids of More Women Than All Other Ailments Combined.



Suffered Long With Catarrh.
 Miss Clara Case, 716 9th street, N. W., Washington, D. C., writes:
 "I can think of no event in my life that fills me with more gratitude and at the same time a sense of future security, as a cure after long suffering from catarrh, brought about by using Peruna as directed. It has completely cured me."—Clara Case.
Entire System Toned by Pe-ru-na.
 Miss Mary Bennett, 1619 Addison Ave., Chicago, Ill., writes:
 "A few months ago I contracted a cold by getting my feet wet, and although I used the usual remedies I could not shake it off.
 "I finally took Peruna. In a week I was better. After several weeks I succeeded in ridding myself of any trace of a cold, and besides the medicine had toned up my system so that I felt splendid."—Mary Bennett.

Physicians Had Given Up the Case—Now Entirely Well.
 Miss Gertrude Linford, Vice President Parkside Whist Club and teacher of Whist, 221 Niagara street, Buffalo, N. Y., writes:
 "Peruna has effectually cured me after physicians had practically given up my case.
 "For a long time I suffered with catarrh of the kidneys, had a weakness and pain in the back, lost flesh rapidly, my feet were swollen, my face was puffed under the eyes and I had a waxy sallowness of the skin.
 "I took Peruna for some time and an entirely well. I cannot endorse Peruna too strongly."—Gertrude Linford.

Miss Nalley's Story—Short, But Interesting to Every Woman.
 Miss Addie Nalley, 137 D street, S. E., Washington, D. C., writes:
 "A cough, the grip, catarrh of the meanest kind—all sorts of remedies, home, patent and prescribed by doctors, and no relief,—that tells my story, a story of suffering and distress that lasted four years.
 "Then—three bottles of Peruna—catarrh gone, appetite and strength returned—a happy woman, and none more grateful for the blessing of health—that is what Peruna has done for me."—Addie Nalley.
 A reward of \$10,000 has been deposited in the Market Exchange Bank, Columbus, Ohio, as a guarantee that the above testimonials are genuine; that we hold in our possession, authentic letters certifying to the same. During many years' advertising we have never used a single spurious testimonial.

AIDS
 To Grand Marshal Lutz Have Been Chosen.

They Are Andrew Davis And Howard Earl—Selection a Good One.

C. E. Lutz, who was elected grand marshal of the Labor Day parade, has chosen his two opponents, Andrew Davis and Howard Earl, as his aids, and the selection meets with the approval of everyone. Both of the defeated aspirants readily consented to Mr. Lutz's wish and will lend every aid possible in carrying out instructions.

The two aids will form and concentrate all local unions, bands, vehicles, etc., in their respective positions and line them up when the head of the parade moves south. Special care should be taken that no bubble be made, and that each organization be at place of meeting promptly at 9:30, as the parade will positively move at 10 a. m. Small hand programs will be distributed for the guidance of everyone concerned. Make no mistake, remember the place and time of meeting, and be punctual in whatever you do. Listen for the whistle and be ready when forward march is given.

Vincennes to Play Franklin.
 Franklin, Ind., Sept 1—A picked nine of former Franklin players will meet the Vincennes Kitty league champions on Tuesday, September 5, here John Duggan will pitch for Vincennes. His brother will pitch for Franklin. The Franklin lineup will be: Orr, catch; White, of Dayton, O., first base, Firestone, second base; Pritchett, short stop; Rivers, of Shelbyville, third base, Wagner, of Rushville, left field; Fanky, of Cairo, center field; Maxwell, of Franklin, right field; Duggan, of Whiteland, pitcher.

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CORPORATION VALUATIONS ARE FIXED BY STATE BOARD

The Assessed Taxables of all Corporations in The County is \$400,000 More Than That of Last Year.

County Auditor John T. Scott has just received from State Auditor Sherrick the fixed valuations of all corporations in the county as assessed by the State Board of Tax Commissioners which shows an increase in the assessment of over \$400,000 over that of last year. Last year these corporations were assessed at \$20,057,135 while this year their assessed valuation is fixed at \$20,465,705, making \$408,570 more than last year.
 The corporations, number of miles and their assessments are as follows:
 B & O. S. W. main line, 15 07 miles, valuation fixed at \$23,000 mile, side tracks 13 46 miles at \$30,000 a mile, rolling stock, \$41,442. Total value \$468,432.
 C. V. & C. Ry. main line, 6.85 miles, at \$8,000 a mile with 31 miles side tracks at \$2,500 a mile, and rolling stock valued at \$10,271. Total value of \$65,850.
 E. & T. H. Ry. main line, 28 94 miles, \$23,000 per mile with side tracks 10 37 miles, at \$3,500 a mile, and rolling stock at \$188,370. Total value \$901,205.
 Vandalia railroad, main line, 27 60 miles, at \$1,200 a mile, with side tracks 4.75 miles, at \$2,500 a mile, and rolling stock \$27,600. Total value \$370,675.
 Vincennes Citizen Street Ry. main line, 5.70 miles, at \$4,000 a mile, and rolling stock at \$2,800. Total value \$25,650.
 Postal Telegraph Co., 95 1/2 miles, assessed at \$25 a mile.
 Western Union Telegraph Co., 505 miles, assessed at \$44 a mile.
 Pullman Company, .05 miles, assessed at \$110 a mile.
 American Telegraph and Telephone Co., 446.68 miles, assessed at \$40 a mile.
 Central Union Tel. Co., 1178.50 miles, assessed at \$40 a mile.
 Bicknell Telephone Co., 120 miles, assessed at \$20 a mile.
 Knox County Home Telephone Co., 304 miles, assessed at \$150 a mile.
 Palmyra Township Independent Telephone Co., 120 miles, assessed at \$20 a mile.
 Sullivan Telephone Co., 3 miles, assessed at \$17 a mile.
 Wabash Home Telephone Co., 180 miles, assessed at \$20 a mile.
 Wheatland Independent Telephone Co., 60 miles, assessed at \$20 a mile.
 Adams Express Co., 24.96 miles, assessed at \$348 a mile.
 American Express Co., 6.85 miles, assessed at \$148 a mile.
 U. S. Express Co., 44 03 miles, assessed at \$72 a mile.
 It is impossible to state what the taxes will amount to on these corporations as the tax levy for the year 1905 has not been fixed but it will be several thousand dollars. These assessments are to be added to the local assessment made by the tax assessors for the county.
Preparing for State Fair.
 Hon. Mason J. Niblack, of this city, who is president of the Indiana State Fair Association, left last night for Indianapolis to look after the arrangements for the State Fair, which is to be held the week of September 11 to 16. President Niblack states that the state fair this year will be the largest and best that has ever been held, and will contain a number of new features which will be of more than ordinary interest to all Indians. As Vincennes is the home of the president of the State Association, it is thought that the fair will be attended by larger crowds than ever from this section.
 Mrs. A. M. Hartman and children returned home Friday evening from a week's sojourn in Chicago.

MERGER

Of Mergers Will Be Organized By Walsh. Will Take Over The Interests of All The Big Coal Mergers In Indiana.

Dispatches from Terre Haute renew rumors of a greater merger of Indiana coal property than any hitherto attempted under the name of the Consolidated Indiana Coal Company. This company, it is said, will be capitalized at \$50,000,000, and will absorb the Deering Coal Company and the United Fourth Vein Coal Company, recently formed by a consolidation of the Freeman-Dickason interests. The Southern Indiana Company, it is said, will absorb the Indiana Southern company. John R. Walsh already controls both of these coal companies.
 Local representatives of the United Fourth Vein Coal Company, which will take over seven important No. 4 mines in the Indiana field tomorrow, say that if a deal has been arranged for the absorption of their company by a new and larger merger corporation, they have heard nothing of it.—Indianapolis News.
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