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WILL WORK EOR A SHIP CANAL.

Prosposed New Waterway Discussed by Committee of Trade of Wilmington, on Board Yacht Tech.

Through the courtesy of T. Coleman dupont, a member of the Chesapeake and Delaware ship canal project, a party on the members of the Board of Tnade and business men of Wilmington, made an inspection trip through the canal of Friday last week, on the handsome yacht Tech.

The Tech reached Deleware City shortly after 11 o'clock, where a few minutes' stop was made before passing throug the locks of the canal. There the excursionists were joined by Mayor W. T. Smith of Delaware City; the Hon. John C. Higgins, Joseph Reeves, Thomas C. Reeves and Thomas C. Cleaver, superintendent of the canal company.

Then eht trip was resumed westward. As the boat made its way slowly a fine view was had of the United States Governornment reservation, the forts and the officers' quarters. There was a general and informal discussion of the project of a ship canal, and as mile after mile was covered new features of the old waterway, opened in 1829, were revealed.

At St. Georges a stop was made to get through the locks, and there the party was joined by the Rev. J. R. Milligan, Dr. J. W. DeWitt, Theodore Jones, Harry C. Clark and A. N. Sutton. Chesapeake City was visited and there a considerable stop was made to give the party a view of the great pumping plant by which the canal is kept supplied with water. This is done by means of a massive water wheel turned by a steam engine built in 1852, supplemented by an engine built in 1854. The capicity of this wheel is 2,250,000 gallons an hour. This wheel was a source of much interest to the party, to most of whom it was an entirely new affair.

Again the Tech was run into the locks and dropped 16 feet to the level of Back creek, down which it sped. the shores getting further away.

When a point opposite Elk creek was reached, the boat was turned and started back toward Delaware City.

The ride returning was most enjoyable, and Delaware City was reached at 5.40 o'clock. Soon afterwards the lock was entered and in a few minutes the Tech started for home, reaching Wilmington between 7 and 8 o'clock.

When an appropriation is once secured the mere diggingout of the canal and the widening of it would not take much time as time is considered by men. The fact that the government owns and maintains a considerable reservation and has forts of defence, a number of soldiers and all that sort of thing at the Delaware river end of the canal makes it clear that the powers that be will sooner or later come to appreciate the fact that a ship canal is necessary in order to keep the army and navy and coast defences in close touch. This would be done by making a national waterway out of what is now a private piece of property.

And, after all, the general conclusion was reached that the question is simple and easy to answer. All that is really needed is money. If the government will provide the means there is nothing to prevent the work being done. There are no engineering problems to bother.

A DELAWARE PACER.

Barnett B. Made a Fine Showing at the Bethlehem Races, and Has Great Prospects.

Much credit is due William B. Biggs, of Middletown, the well-known horse trainer, for the work he is doing with Barnett B, by Alcantara, belonging to J. W. Barnett. At the races recently given at Bethlehem, Pa., he went up against some of the fastest pacers in the circuit, and won first money in a race marked for speed and endurance. He made a mark of 2.12, lowering the horse's record, besides giving the track a new record.

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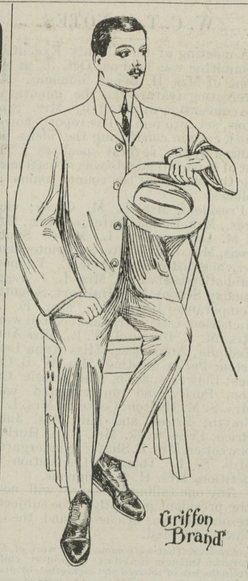
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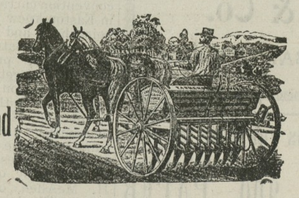
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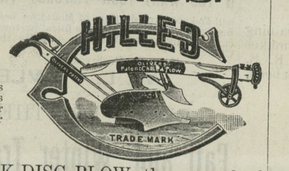
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