

## POISON IN THE ASHES

What the Mt. Lebanon Shakers Found—Incident in the History of a Quiet Community.

The Mount Lebanon (New York) Shakers are a quiet community, secluded from the fret and worry of the outside world. They are widely known, however, for their strict honor and probity in business.

The Shakers believe that nature has a remedy for every disease. A few have been found—the rest are as yet unknown. Many were discovered by accident. Others can be light as the result of patient experiment and research.

Nervous Dyspepsia is a comparatively new disease, growing out of the conditions of modern life. It is a joint affection of the digestive organs and of the nervous system. These two were formerly treated as separate ailments, and it was left for the clear-sighted Shakers to prove that the basis of this terrible and often fatal complication lies chiefly in the disordered and depraved functions of digestion and nutrition.

They reasoned thus: "If we can induce the stomach to do its work, and stimulate the excretory organs to drive out of the body the poisonous waste matters which remain after the life-giving elements of the food have been absorbed, we shall have conquered Nervous Dyspepsia and Nervous Exhaustion. And they were right.

Knowing the infallible power of Shaker Extract (Seigel's Syrup) in less complicated though similar diseases, they resolved to test it fully in this. To leave no ground for doubt they prescribed the remedy in hundreds of cases which had been pronounced incurable—with perfect success in every instance where their directions as to living and diet were scrupulously followed.

Nervous Dyspepsia and Exhaustion is a peculiarly American disease. To a greater or less extent half the people of this country suffer from it—both sexes and all ages. In no country in the world are there so many insane asylums filled to overflowing, all resulting from this alarming disease. Its leading symptoms are these: Frequent or continual headache; a dull pain at the base of the brain; bad breath; nauseous eructations; the rising of sour and pungent fluids to the throat; a sense of oppression at the pit of the stomach; flatulence; wakefulness and loss of sleep; disgust with food even when weak from the need of it; sticky or slimy matter on the teeth or in the mouth, especially on rising in the morning; furred and coated tongue; dull eyes; cold hands and feet; constipation; dry or rough skin; inability to fix the mind on any labor calling for continuous attention; and oppressive and sad forebodings and fears.

All this terrible group Shaker Extract (Seigel's Syrup) removes by its positive, powerful, direct yet painless and gentle action upon the functions of digestion and assimilation. Those elements of the food that build up and strengthen the system are sent upon their mission, while all waste matters (the ashes of life's fire) which unremoved, poison and kill, are expelled from the body through the bowels, kidneys and skin. The weak and prostrated nerves are quieted, toned and fed by the purified blood. As the result, health, with its enjoyments, blessings and power, returns to the sufferer who had, perhaps, abandoned all hope of ever seeing another well day.

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## The Patriot and Herald.

THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1887.

WM. C. PENDLETON,  
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

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## LAFFERTY ON BEECHER.

An Estimate of the Plymouth Pastor's Character and Abilities.

His brain was fellow to Shakespeare's. It worked without worry and tugging. It needed no spur. A familiar friend of Beecher testified that mental gymnastics were pastime and pleasure. Thought was secreted, and sought vent, like the gushing sap in spring from the sugar maple. The subtle fire burned and smoldered as in the cell of the magnetic battery, eager to dart into vivid energy. He was phenomenal. His mental resources came, as from a reservoir, without brim or bottom, which overflowed in countless sermons, speeches, articles, interviews, and still the uprushing stream never slackened or thinned. The exhausted well was piped every whither, and gave out to many a dry wick and borrowed brilliancy to many a common lamp.

It is conceded he was the greatest genius of our day, endowed with oriental splendors. He had no peer on the platform. He was our most famous preacher. It is no ordinary event when such a man dies.

The obliquity of vision that made him a fanatic in youth, led him astray into mad heresies at three score and ten. Incapable of scientific investigation and accuracy, yet he became an evolutionist, contradictory, confused, befogged and restless.

The measure of his greatness was the buoyancy that brought him to the surface when dragged down by disaster to his character and fame. A bubbling cry of despair and death would have been the fate of any other minister in America. Mr. Lincoln, no mean judge, thought him the greatest citizen of the Republic. This age, nor any other, will see his match before the people. He was a magician, dramatic, demonstrative, commanding, magnetic—a master of his own mind, and men drew to his eye, ear and to his voice.

The famous picture disclosed a hideous picture. The Plymouth pastor was mired to his middle in a Dismal Swamp, with vine and flower entwining his head with fragrant beauty, while slime and serpent roiled around his feet. The South, whom he had smitten without mercy or justice, pitied him under the torture of Nemesis.

He has been a great figure. His follies were not few. He had sunless eclipses. The obscuration led to larger vagaries in doctrine. His wonderful powers escaped dotage. His strength remained firm. There was fitness in the suddenness of the collapse. He was saved from the flickerings of slow disease. The dynamo itself snapped, and all was darkness.

And to end: He taught much wisdom by his faults and by his matchless abilities. We forget his errors in admiration of his imperial genius. Like the strange star of Groombridge, greater than suns, resisting the gravitation of system, it rushes along an untraced orbit on a wild errand to an unknown destiny. —Richmond Christian Advocate.

## In Memory of Ex-President Arthur.

WASHINGTON, March 27.—The following is the inscription on a brass tablet which has recently been placed in the window in the South transept of St. John's Church:

"This inscription, in memory of Chester Alan Arthur, is placed here by the vestry. He was the twenty first president of the United States, a worshipper in the church, and in 1884 erected the window to the memory of his wife. He died November 18, 1886."

"Advertising always pays," to be sure, but we are sorry to say that advertising is not always paid for. —Lowell Citizen.

An Imperative Necessity. What pure air is to an unhealthy locality, what spring cleaning is to the neat house-keeper, so is Hood's Sarsaparilla to everybody, at this season. The body needs to be thoroughly renovated, the blood purified and vitalized, the germs of disease destroyed. Scrofula, Salt Rheum, and all other blood disorders are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the most popular and successful spring medicine.

## Our Baby.

Figuratively Described by his Little Sister.

Our baby is a 1der rare;  
He's awful cunning, 2,  
And well his worth 3 pays the share  
Of work 4 him I do.

I hope he will sur 5, although  
He's squeezed almost to death:  
It makes him 6 sometimes, I know,  
And takes away his breath.

Our home is 7 since there came  
The angel from above;  
He's so affection 8. His name  
Is "Tootsey Wootsey Love."

He makes our papa look be 3  
And feel a 10 der joy;  
I pray he never will incline  
2 B A O E boy.

When he's awake his eyes are blue;  
I lift him when I can;  
He'll B 2 30 4 1 2  
Lift up when he's a man.  
—H.C. Dodge, in Goodall's Sun.

## Collected the Kisses.

The other day while a young deputy postmaster was engaged at his work in stepped one of our bashful maidens of sweet 16 with a money order which she desired to have cashed. She banded it, with a bashful smile, to the official, who, after closely examining it, gave her the money it called for. At the same time he asked her if she had read what was on the margin of the order. "No, I have not," she replied, "for I cannot make it out. Will you please read it to me?" The deputy read as follows: "I send you \$3 and a dozen kisses." Glancing at the bashful girl he said: "Now I have paid you the money and I suppose you want the kisses." "Yes," she said, "if he has sent me any kisses I want them too." It is hardly necessary to say that the balance of the order was promptly paid, and in a scientific manner at that, and eminently satisfactory to the maiden, for she went out of the office smacking her lips as if there was a certain kiss that she had never encountered before. —Easton (Pa.) Argus.

## Unlike any Other.

It is said by those who know, that Johnson's Anodyne Liniment is unlike any other in the world and that it is the most wonderful family remedy ever discovered. It is both for internal and external use, and is equally valuable in either case. It is safe to say that no remedy now known has cured so many cases of Diphtheria, Croup, Asthma, Bronchitis, Influenza, Sore Throat, Bleeding at the Lungs, Spitting of Blood, Chronic Hoarseness, Hacking Cough, Whooping Cough, Lame Stomach, Rheumatism in its worst form; Chronic Diarrhea, Chronic Dysentery, Kidney Troubles, Disease of the Spine, Sciatica and Neuralgia, as has Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.

This Anodyne Liniment is richly worth ten dollars a bottle in certain cases. For instance, in case of diphtheria, croup and asthma, when the sufferer is almost dead for want of breath, and something is required to act instantly. To an old man suffering with severe kidney disease, ten dollars is no more than a cent for a cent for a bottle of this Anodyne. In all such cases it will give immediate relief—and by using it occasionally, it will afford comparative comfort the remainder of life. A person suffering intense agony, no matter in what part of the body, nor what the cause, can get some relief immediately by taking into the stomach a double dose of this Anodyne.

## "Saved the Life of My Wife."

Rockport, Texas.  
Gents:—While on the subject of medicines, permit me to say that I can conscientiously vouch for the Liniment saved the life of my wife while suffering from a complication of disease in which tonsillitis, bronchitis and a species of influenza, which has been epidemic here for several weeks, were conspicuous. In nearly every case, where the Liniment was used internally and externally, a speedy cure has followed.

My children are subject to croup. Since ascertaining the virtue of Liniment, all that is necessary is to give them a dose, bathe their chests and throat with liniment, and tuck them in bed, and the croup disappears as if by magic. —E. A. FERRENOT.

## Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Britton & Pruner has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business (Stoves, Tinware and Roofing) will hereafter be conducted by A. G. Pruner. All notes, accounts, &c., will be collected by G. G. Britton, who will also pay the indebtedness of said firm.

BRITTON & PRUNER:  
Feb. 24th 1887-4t.

Send THE PATRIOT AND HERALD to your absent friend.

## TOINETTE.

The cool conservatory.

A face for song or story,  
And hair a golden glory,  
We two.

Eyes blue as amethyst is,  
Where now a tender mist is,  
How white the hand I kissed is?  
Wee, too.

Ah, life is filed completely,  
When to my question, neatly  
Proposed, she answers sweetly  
"Oui!" too. —E.D. Pierson.

## Blood and Money.

The blood of man has much to do in shaping his actions during his pilgrimage through this troublesome world, regardless of the amount of present or expected money in pocket or stored away in bank. It is a conceded fact that as our blood is poor, and the purer the blood, the happier, healthier, prettier and wiser we are; hence the oft repeated interrogatory, "how is your blood?" With pure streams of life-giving fluid coursing through our veins, bounding through our hearts and plunging through our lungs, our constitution grows stronger, our intellectual faculties more acute and grander, and men, women and children happier, healthier and more lovely.

The unprecipitated demand, the unparalleled curative powers, and the unmistakable proof from those of unimpeachable character and integrity, point with an unerring finger to B. B. B.—Botanic Blood Balm—as for the best, the cheapest, the quickest and the grandest and most powerful blood remedy ever before known to mortal man, in the relief and positive cure of Scrofula, Rheumatism, Skin diseases, all taints of blood poisoning, cancer, catarrh, etc.

B. B. B. is only about three years old—a baby in age, a giant in power—but no remedy in America can make or ever has made such a wonderful showing in its magical powers in curing and entirely eradicating the above complaints, and gigantic letters from all points where introduced are pouring in upon us, speaking in its loudest praise. Some say they receive more benefit from one bottle of B. B. B. than they have from twenty, thirty and fifty and even one hundred bottles of the best of those branches of common forest trees. We hold the wood in black and white, and we also hold the fort.

All who desire full information about the cause and cure of Blood Poisons, Scrofula and Scrofulous Swellings, Ulcers, Sores, Rheumatism, Kidney complaints, Copy our 32-page Illustrated Book of Wonders, filled with the most wonderful and startling proof ever before known.

Address: J. H. Zeilin & Co., Philadelphia, Pa., Sole Proprietors. Price, \$1.00.

## An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. I have had a neuralgia of my leg for eight years. My doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used, instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters, and my leg is now sound and well.

Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Arica Salve at 25c. per box by J. S. J. endleton.

## Most Excellent.

J. J. Atkins, Chief of Police, Knoxville, Tenn., writes: "My family and I are benefited by your most excellent remedy, Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption; having found it to be all that you claim for it, desire to testify to its virtue. My friends to whom I have recommended it, praise it at every opportunity.

Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colic, Bronchitis, Asthma, Croup and every affection of Throat, Chest and Lungs.

Trial Bottles free at J. W. C. PENDLETON'S Drug Store. Large Size.

## Trespass Notice!

All persons are hereby warned not to fish in the waters on my land situated on Staley's Creek, three miles east of Marion. I have made arrangements to place some new varieties of fish in the streams on my land and will ask the grand jury to indict any person who trespasses upon me.

G. D. H. KILLINGER.

## Led Astray.

"FERNANDIANA, Nassau Co., Fla., March 29th, 1887.)

"I have used Dr. Simmons' Liver Regulator and always found it to do what is claimed for it. The last bottle and two packages did me no good and were worse than nothing. I see it is not put up by J. H. Zeilin & Co., and not genuine, and a waste of money to buy it. I would be glad to get the pure and genuine. Send me from honest hands (with red Z and Zeilin & Co.'s signature on Wrapper). The fictitious stuff sold will injure some one badly.

"Your O.B.T. Serv't."  
M. ed 24 BENJ. T. RICH.

M. Francis, of Washington, D. C. has discovered a sure cure for headache. It will cure any case in thirty minutes. The ingredients may be had at any drug store, and at a small cost. Mr. Francis will send the receipt and full direction by mail to any one for one dollar. Any of our readers that suffer with headache should write to him and get the receipt.

## Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Pever Sores, Fetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Dr. J. W. C. PENDLETON.

## SPORTSMEN, ATTENTION!

S. O. FISHER,  
Gun-maker,  
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1030 Main Street, Lynchburg.

men's riding whips and dog whips. Hunting belts, coats, cartridge vests, legging, cartridge bags, and bags. No. 12 Civil and rival shells 50c per 100. Cheap No. 12 shells, 45c per 100.

25 LBS. BAGS SHOT \$1.50 PER BAG.

EVERYTHING AT BOTTOM PRICES.

Send two-cent stamp for Illustrated catalogue of guns and sporting tackle goods. I send no catalogue without sps. being sent.

JOHN H. TYLER & CO.,  
JEWELERS,  
Have removed to their New Store, No. 807  
MAIN ST., PAGE'S BLOCK.

Call on them and see the finest of  
WATCHES,  
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In the City repairing at the manner.

SPECTACLES and  
EYE GLASSES a specialty.

MOTHER'S  
FRIEND  
MAKES  
CHILD-BIRTH  
EASY!  
SHORTENS LABOR,  
LESSENS THE PAIN  
ATTENDING IT,  
DIMINISHES THE  
DANGER TO LIFE OF  
MOTHER AND CHILD.

Should be used a few months before confinement. Send for book "To Mothers," mailed free. BRADFIELD'S REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

FARM FOR RENT.  
I have a valuable farm of about 90 acres, two miles north of town, which I will rent on good terms for a period of five years. It is well adapted to the raising of vegetables, etc.; has a large and well selected orchard on it. Have about 20 acres in wheat and from 30 to 40 acres for corn and oats. Apply to the undersigned for further particulars.

Respectfully,  
THOS. J. WYCAL.

WM. C. PENDLETON, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

THE Republicans of Wythe county held a convention on yesterday for the purpose of nominating candidates for county offices.

THE Senate and House of Delegates have passed a joint resolution for the appointment of a Committee consisting of three members of the Senate and five of the House to meet in Commission from the Council of Bondholders to ascertain what amount of Virginia's bonds are controlled by said Council.

HON. JNO. S. BARBOUR says he is opposed to having the campaign in Va. next fall made a personal contest between him and Gen. Mahone.

Interviewed, and has declared in favor of the adoption of the Constitutional amendment proposed by Judge Rhea, which will compel the bondholders to fund in Riddleberger bill or else have the principle repudiated.

THE Atlanta Constitution boldly proclaims that the shifting position of the Democratic party on the tariff question, and its pledges made the people of Virginia and North Carolina on the internal revenue, will cause great trouble to the party. We should think so.

Inflammable Breath.

There is a brief reference in a recent number of Science to a remarkable case in which the breath of an individual, or rather the eruptions from his stomach, took fire when brought in contact with a lighted match.

The telephone has been successfully used along barbed wire fences in California.

The Indian population of Canada numbers 124,748. There are 5,595 pupils in the Indian schools.

Don Pedro, Emperor of Brazil, has been elected an associate member of the Liverpool Astronomical Society.

Hamilton, Bermuda, has not had a season to equal the present in prosperity since the British flag was first unfurled there.

The Real Estate Boom.

The late advance in real estate is something marvelous. The success of Dr. Hart's Blood and Liver Pills is still more remarkable.

One of the mysteries of the sea is the disappearance of the Japanese man of war, and Umei Kan. She and her crew of 200 men have totally disappeared with out leaving a trace.

Prospecting for gold is being prosecuted on a large scale in Western North Carolina. The Boynton mine, near Hendersonville, is expected to yield \$250 to the town.

A freight train on the Norfolk & Western railroad met with an accident near Zuni station shortly after 12 o'clock Friday morning, by which eleven cars were derailed and most of them badly wrecked.

Briton Roberts and two other white men whose names we have not learned, attempted on last Thursday night, in McCaull's Gap, to rob a colored man who lives at Saltville, named Edmond Daniel.

W. C. Seaver, will keep at his warerooms adjoining the Opera House, a full and complete stock of goods in his line.

John White, colored, while hunting near the University of Virginia, accidentally shot and killed himself Friday.

South Rena district, Warren county, has voted against license to sell liquor. The vote stood: For license, 186; against, 191.

A petition numerously signed has been sent to the Legislature now in session asking for a revision of the

A colored woman named Chany Spinner, said to be 120 years old, died at Big Spring last week, leaving many generations of descendants.

Sparks from a Midland train Thursday fired the stock yard of Daniel Coker, in Fauquier, destroying it, and also several hundred bushels of wheat, a threshing machine, etc.

What True Merit Will Do.

The unprecedented sale of Boschee's German Syrup within a few years, has astonished the world. It is without doubt the safest and best remedy ever discovered for the speedy and effectual cure of Coughs, Colds and the severest Lung troubles.

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March, April, May.

Are the months in which to purify the blood, as the system is now most susceptible to benefit from medicine. Hence now is the time to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, a medicine peculiarly adapted for the purpose, possessing peculiar curative powers.

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THE STEAMER SCOTIA.

The Wrecking Vessels, Relieving Her of Her Human Freight.

BLUE POINT, L. I., March 26.—When day dawned the beached steamer Scotia, was lying comfortably with her bow in the sand. She had a night in a thousand.

With 725 passengers still on board and a crew of 45 men, it would have been impossible to save half of them with the facilities at hand.

At 6 o'clock this morning two additional barges of the Merritt Coast Wrecking Company, arrived on the scene. They are in tow of the steamer Rescue.

The revenue cutter Grant lay near the stranded vessel all night, and continually shot rockets to show that she was near to render assistance if necessary.

The passengers who were not taken off by the life savers yesterday passed a miserable night, the majority refreshing to leave the deck; the sailors and officers had no sleep and were completely exhausted.

At 10 o'clock this morning the vessel was reported leaking at the rate of an inch a hour, but the steam pumps were in constant operation.

Shortly after 10 o'clock the wrecking vessels succeeded in getting some of the perishable cargo into one of the barges, and in tow of a steamboat it was taken into Fire Island inlet.

As yet none of the passengers have been transferred to the barges, the sea being too choppy to permit it.

Work of transferring them by means of the Breeshees buoy was resumed this morning and many have been brought ashore. Those in charge of the wrecking vessels refuse to take any chances in the matter of getting the passengers off by which life may be lost or injuries sustained.

The greatest excitement prevails in this vicinity this morning. The shore is crowded with people, the majority of whom have evidently come New York and other points to meet their friends; many others have come through curiosity.

Sparks from a Midland train Thursday fired the stock yard of Daniel Coker, in Fauquier, destroying it, and also several hundred bushels of wheat, a threshing machine, etc.

I have been using the Champion Wagon, sold by Cole & Britton, as a farm wagon, and can say, if it proves to be strong enough, that it is THE wagon. Its superiority is very great.

Rheumatism and Neuralgia Cured in Two Days. The Indiana Chemical Co. have discovered a compound which acts with truly marvelous rapidity in the cure of Rheumatism and Neuralgia.

On receipt of 30 cents, in two cent stamps, we will send to any address the prescription for this wonderful compound, which can be filled by your home druggist at small cost.

THE INDIANA CHEMICAL CO., Crawfordsville, Ind.

Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria. are spread by contagion, by the transfer of living matter from the skin, the membranous lining of the mouth, nose and throat, and from the intestines and urinary organs.

THE PEOPLE'S VERDICT: "The one-price system a grand success!"

THE ONE PRICE CLOTHIER, TAILOR, AND GENTS' FURNISHER, LYNCHBURG, VIRGINIA.

We the undersigned have thoroughly tested the Champion Wagon, sold by Cole & Britton, and have no hesitancy in saying, it is the best wagon we have ever hitched to.

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Announcements.

FOR TREASURER. FELLOW-CITIZENS OF SMYTH CO.:

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer and respectfully solicit your support.

FELLOW-CITIZENS OF SMYTH COUNTY: I announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer.

To the CITIZENS OF SMYTH COUNTY: I hereby respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Smyth County.

To the CITIZENS OF SMYTH COUNTY: I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Treasurer of Smyth County.

To MY FELLOW-CITIZENS OF SMYTH COUNTY: I embrace this opportunity of returning to you my grateful acknowledgments.

FELLOW-CITIZENS OF SMYTH COUNTY: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Circuit and County Courts of Smyth County.

To the VOTERS OF SMYTH COUNTY: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the position of Commissioner of Revenue for the 3rd (Rich Valley) District of Smyth county.

FELLOW-CITIZENS OF SMYTH COUNTY: After thanking you for your past support, I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election for Commissioner of the Revenue.

FELLOW-CITIZENS OF SMYTH COUNTY: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the position of Commissioner of Revenue for the 1st (Marion) District of Smyth County.

To the VOTERS OF SMYTH COUNTY: After returning my sincere thanks for your repeated support and kindness, I wish to announce myself a candidate for re-election to the position of Commissioner of Revenue for the 1st (Marion) District of Smyth County.

To the VOTERS OF SMYTH COUNTY: I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the position of Commissioner of Revenue for the 2nd (Rich Valley District) If elected will try to do my duty.

To the VOTERS OF SMYTH COUNTY: I wish to inform you that I am a candidate for re-election for the place of Constable for the upper end of Marion District.

To the VOTERS OF SMYTH COUNTY: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Attorney for the Commonwealth for Smyth County.

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