

LOCAL DEPARTMENT

Sacramental Meeting. We are requested to give notice that a sacramental meeting will be held at Mt. Zion church on next Saturday and Sunday, by the Lutheran denomination.

Personal. Rev. R. T. Barton, for several years past principal of Blountville Female Institute, is now on a visit to his son-in-law, Mr. H. B. Sprinkle, who resides at this place.

Preaching in Methodist Church. The Rev. Wm. Sturgess, by special request, will preach in the Methodist Church at this place on next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Removal of a Citizen of Marion. Mr. Geo. E. Penn, who has resided at Marion for nearly six years, and followed the practice of law as a profession, has determined to remove to Abingdon, and will leave for that place this week.

How to Preserve Fruits, Vegetables, Meats, &c. We were shown, on last Friday, by Mr. Thos. J. Craft, of Texas, a lot of meats and vegetables, put up by a new process of impregnating with gas.

An Excellent Workman. Mr. Wm. Lewis, who resided in our town for many years previous to the war, is again a resident of Smyth County, and is still sustaining the reputation he won in days gone by of being a first class plasterer and brick-layer.

The Town Council has directed Prof. Eyns to lay the new cemetery off in sections. They will soon be offered for sale.

This has been one of the finest seasons we have ever known. Providence has truly smiled upon us.

D. D. Hull & Co. are now selling their best family flour at \$3.00 per barrel.

There is still an abundance of old wheat, corn and bacon in Smyth County, something that has not been found at this season for several years.

Peaches will soon be ripe, and there is an abundance of this delicious fruit.

There have been more successive sultry days and nights during the past two weeks than there ever known in this section before.

We have been shown a circular addressed to the planters of Virginia, by one of the most reliable Commission houses of Richmond, advising them not to sow or raise Fultz wheat.

The circular recommends Lancaster and German red wheats, and the Maryland Blue Stem and Boughton white wheats.

While prime Lancaster commands \$1.60 per bushel, in Richmond, prime Fultz brings only \$1.45. It will be well for our farmers to pay some attention to this matter, as the cultivation of wheat is becoming more popular and profitable.

The Culpeper News says: The busiest place in Culpeper, as well as the most business looking, is at the work shop of Mr. F. D. Johnson, on the corner of Main and Cameron streets.

Several hundred of the machines are now completed, and in the hands of the painter, Mr. R. C. Burrows, (which is ample assurance that they are to be well finished) and the remainder are being completed at the rate of forty to fifty per day.

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We notice in the manufacture of the Moffett Bell Register that the instruments being consecutively numbered, so that each register will be known to the revenue officers by its number. This arrangement

will incidentally be of as much service to the patrons of the register as to the officers. Instead of saying, "Let us go down to Sam Hill's," he has simply to say "four, ninety-two Hoj?" And his friend can briefly reply, "N! thank you, 'r just been to seventeen-hundred 'n-shix'-five, -but don't care 'F-I-do, either too. 'Rah fr us!"

Notice to Printers. You can get the best dogwood shooting sticks for twenty cents, at this office. Sent by mail, postage paid, to any address, for that price. Send us your orders.

Sacramental Meetings. I will hold sacramental meetings at the following times and places: The 3d Saturday and Sunday in August, at the Blankenbecker's School House. The 3d Saturday and Sunday in August, at DeBoard's School House.

Notice. OFF. CO. SUP'T PUB. SCHOOLS, Marion, Va., July 30th. Ed. PATRIOT-HERALD: Please publish this notice. There will be an educational meeting held at Marion on the 10th and 11th of August.

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Notice. All claims put in my hands for collection shall receive prompt attention. Respectfully, REES D. HALLER, T. S. & Co.

Reduced Fare to the State Convention. We have received from Col. Huger, M. T., A. M. & O. R. R. a table of rates for round trip tickets to the Richmond Convention. The fare from Marion will be \$17.10.

Can't you spare some wheat? A great many who are indebted to us say they cannot raise money. Bring us a few bushels of wheat. We would as soon have it, and will give the market price.

The American Agriculturist. For August has been received. It is an excellent number. Published by ORANGE JUDD COMPANY, New York, at \$1.60 per year, postpaid.

Valuable Property in Bland County For Sale. In another column will be found the advertisement of Robert Wylie, Com'r, offering valuable land and mill property for sale. This is excellent property, and a man who has the means could not make a better investment.

A Meeting in Washington County Breaks up in a Row. A meeting at Wallace's Switch in Washington County, for Goodson Dist., to elect delegates to the State Convention was held on last Saturday, and broke up in a row. No delegates were appointed, and no other meeting will be held, we suppose.

Marion Circuit Appointments. Rev. Geo. D. French, P. C., will preach at the following times and places: 1st Sunday, 10:30 a. m.; Mount Carmel. 2nd " " 3 o'clock, p. m.; Greenwood. 3rd " " 10:30 a. m. and night, Marion. 4th " " Sulphur Spr. 5th " " Mount Airy. 6th " " 3 p. m., Fulton's Chapel. 7th " " 10:30 a. m. and evening, Bye Valley. Friday before 1st Sunday, 10:30 Denton's Chapel. Friday before 2d Sunday 10:30 Newman's School House. Thursday before 3rd Sunday, 10:30 a. m., Mt. Zion.

Rev. J. N. Lotspeich, J. P., will preach as follows: 1st Sunday, 10:30 and night, Sulphur Springs. 2nd " " Fulton's Chapel. 3rd " " 3 p. m., Mt. Airy. 4th " " 10:30 a. m., Mt. Carmel. 5th " " 3 p. m., Greenwood. 6th " " 10:30 a. m., Marion. 7th " " 10:30 a. m., Denton's Chapel. 8th " " 10:30 and night, Mt. Zion.

An Unsuccessful Attempt to Escape, Leg and Arm Broken. Wednesday evening last about 8 miles this side of Martin's Station, in Pulaski county, Newton Miller, a desperate negro who had been arrested in Pulaski for stealing from and stabbing another negro, attempted to escape from Sheriff Carper and his deputy by jumping from the passenger train, while it was said to have been in motion at the rate of 30 miles an hour.

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mentioned prisoners are brought to this place now from Pulaski on account of the insecurity of the jail in that county.—Wytchville Enterprise.

Sad Accident. A 12-year old son of Mr. John Lyons, who is a farmer living 3 miles from Wytchville, climbed a tree in pursuit of a coon Thursday last, and after having ascended about 25 feet he lost his hold and fell to the ground, injuring himself frightfully and perhaps fatally. His skull was cut open, and his hair was caught and closed in the aperture; his wrist was broken, his ankle sprained, and other severe bruises sustained. We hope the little fellow may recover, but it is hardly probable that he will. Dr. S. R. Sayers attends the little sufferer.—Wytchville Enterprise.

Well Said. The Philadelphia Times says: Some of the strikers make a great virtue of protecting the property of the roads. They will do no violence and will permit no one else to attempt any. They only board the train, and run the cars on to a siding, and the engine into the round house. This is the honesty of the highway robber, who stops a gentleman on the road and says: "I won't take your watch or your money, but if you put your hand in your pocket to touch either you are a dead man. You shall not wind up your watch or spend a cent of money. If you starve to death it is none of my business. I shall do you no violence." But if the man should starve to death the jury would fail to make the nice distinction suggested by the highwayman.

Of course not the General. The Washington Nation, in heading the telegram from this city announcing the arrest of Bartholomew Beauregard for defalcation, puts it: "General Beauregard arrested for embezzlement." This is a cruel blunder which the Nation should hasten to correct. In the first place, Bartholomew Beauregard is a negro; secondly, he is a Radical, and lastly, he is, according to rumor, a thief. General G. T. Beauregard is a gentleman and soldier whose fame and character require no indorsement, and who is utterly incapable of a dishonest act.—New Orleans Daily Item.

The Big Lick News says: Mr. P. L. Terry, in twenty days bought and paid cash for 30,000 bushels of wheat and corn, and within thirty days the firms of P. L. Terry and Ferguson & Gambill have bought 20,000 barrels of flour, and other merchants a proportionate amount. For these articles of produce alone, in less than two months, Big Lick merchants have paid out \$50,000. Add to this the large amounts of tobacco sold daily at two warehouses, and some idea may be formed of our business.

Our merchants are still purchasing wheat, and Mr. Terry informs us that he yet wants 60,000 bushels. Ex-Governor Moses, of South Carolina, who has the reputation of having more than the usual number of human infirmities possessed by a single individual, and whose scandalous conduct when chief executive of the State gave him a wide notoriety, has been called upon by the law to answer for malfeasance in office. Whether innocent or guilty the presumption seems to be that he will be convicted and punished. Perhaps, however, like Ex-Governor Bullock and Foster Blodgett, of Georgia, he may have a little tin box containing the names of prominent parties who shared in his plunder, in which case we are not so sure that his punishment will be greater than he can bear.—Washington Star.

Beer in Paris. The popularity of beer has now attained such a pitch that all other summer beverages may be considered unfashionable when compared with it. In the sixteenth century there were two sorts of beer brewed in France—the bier des convents for nuns, and the bier des peres for monks. In the time of Louis XIV. there were seven or eight breweries in Paris, and the corporation was erected into a community in 1776. It was not, however, until the exhibition of 1866 that the new rage for the consumption of beer began. If a comparison be instituted between the various countries of Europe in respect of their partiality for beer, it will appear that in Wurtemberg and Bavaria the consumption is highest of all, attaining in the former country the extraordinary proportion of nearly 200 quarts a year for each individual. In England the average is about 110, in Belgium 44, in Austria about 23, and in France 20 at the most.

R. M. Bishop, of Cincinnati, nominated by the Ohio Democracy as their gubernatorial candidate, in a wealthy wholesale grocer. He has taken very little active part in politics recently, but held the office of Mayor of Cincinnati several years, being elected each time by an overwhelming popular vote. Lately he has given a great deal of his time, energies and means to the construction of the Cincinnati Southern railroad, of which he is a trustee. He is about sixty years of age, and is much respected in the community in which he lives. The idea in nominating him over the head of Ewing and other leading aspirants seems to have been to get a candidate popular enough in Cincinnati to carry the city and Hamilton county.—Washington Star.

The city of Aberdeen, Miss., is out of debt and has \$5,923 in bank. The lumber cut on the Mississippi river during the past winter is estimated at 147,000,000 feet.

California will not be able to send as large a supply of wheat to England as formerly, on account of the partial failure of the crop in that State.

The reduction of the wages of the car conductors and drivers of the Brooklyn city railroad, from \$2.25 to \$2 per day went in force Sunday.

The catch of mackerel on the coast this season has been very light. Up to July 1st the entire amount was only 28,043 barrels. Last year the July catch alone amounted to 81,193 barrels.

The cannery manufacturers in Burlington, N. J., are now doing a thriving business, and at one establishment 300 bushels of peas are canned daily. It is expected before the season is over to put up one hundred thousand cans of peas, 300,000 cans of tomatoes, and a large quantity of corn.

With the exception of Secretary of State Bigelow all the democratic officials of New York, whose terms expire this year, want a renomination.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

WASHINGTON.

THE STRIKE.

Strikers Disregard a Writ of the Federal Court--Trouble Anticipated in New Orleans.

No Improvement in the Present or Future Condition of the Strikers.

FOREIGN DISPATCHES.

FRANCE--Utterances of President McMahon.

THE EASTERN WAR.

Great Military Activity in Constantinople--How Russia Regards England.

Another Naval Engagement--An Old Merchant Ship Attacks a Turkish Monitor.

Peace Rumors again Afloat--The Barbarities of the Present War, &c.

WASHINGTON, July 26.

A great difference of opinion exists here to-night among the militia as to who is the commanding officer of the District militia. Peter F. Bacon, who was commissioned about twenty years ago by the President of the United States as brigadier, claims to be in command by the death of Major-General Roger C. Weightman. W. G. Moore, captain of Company A, Washington Light Infantry, who was commissioned brigadier-general of the District, also claimed to be commander. The question is one that will have to be settled by the War Department, in case the militia should be called into service, when it is thought by those well posted, that Gen. Bacon will be ordered to assume command. In this event it is very probable that a portion of the militia will refuse to do duty.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 26.—The United States Marshal with fifty soldiers, took out a train on the Vincennes and Vandalia road without molestation.

St. LOUIS, July 26.—Among the arrested is Albert Custin, Secretary of the International Society. The strikers of East St. Louis disregarded the writ of the Federal Court to allow trains on the Ohio and Mississippi. The Marshal reported the fact to General Pope, who applied to Washington for authority to use troops. The response was favorable and General Pope ordered General Davis to send troops there. Blufford Wilson has been appointed special United States Marshal to enforce this writ. Seven companies of Illinois State militia have arrived at East St. Louis to take care of roads not under United States protection and it is thought that by Monday there will be no interruption of business.

John Morgan, ex-Head Centre of the Coal Miners' Association for Southern Ill., has been arrested. All trains except the Toledo and Washbas sent out passenger and freight trains to-day. Considerable objections were made, but after the arrest of sixty-five strikers, matters were quieted. Guards were sent on all trains.

All quiet. A number of companies of the Citizens' Guard have disbanded. C. H. Ledor, a negro, who led the lower rabble, was arrested. Twenty-six leaders of the Carondelet riot have been arrested and the jail is full.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 26.—The Cosmopolitan Hotel, a four-story wooden building, was burned, with contents. Loss \$30,000. One body was found in the ruins, and one is missing.

Last night was perhaps the quietest Saturday night ever experienced in San Francisco. The hoodlum element seems thoroughly cowed by the recent exhibitions of the intent and power of the authorities and citizens to crush all riotous demonstrations.

BUFFALO, July 26.—The troubles on the Canada Southern road were settled last night.

FORT WAYNE, July 26.—The strikers drove off the Mayor, and Sheriff's posse, which attempted to break the blockade Saturday.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—The War Department closed last night near midnight, after being constantly open for ten days with a high officer in attendance, usually General Townsend or General Vincent being on duty.

Two collisions are reported yesterday, one near New York from recklessness and one at Columbia, Ohio, from a misplaced switch.

The mail, passenger and milk trains pass over New Jersey roads. It is thought at the War Department that the strike is

virtually over. Only in very rare instances have the strikers improved their present or future condition.

CUMBERLAND, July 26.—The very first freight train, with a military guard, went through to Keyser. The following trains were stopped near Keyser, but the strikers fled into Maryland, when the military, which escorted the first train, returned. It has been orderly here, but the crowd is a very large one and excitement great.

SEDALIA, Mo., July 26.—The strike on the Missouri Kansas and Texas Railroad is terminated.

PITTSBURG, July 26.—The freight blockade at this point is pretty well broken. The strikers on the Pennsylvania Central and Port Wayne Railroads are still out but offer no resistance to the movement of trains. Five trains of stock left over the Pennsylvania road for the East to-day. Two trains of freight came in from the West.

NEW ORLEANS, July 26.—For the past two days, rumors of a strike have prevailed and yesterday the employers were asked to sign papers, guaranteeing them higher wages. Notices were posted of meetings to be held to-day. The authorities are on the alert. Last night the Washington Artillery and Louisiana Field Artillery were under arms. The local military received notice to be in readiness for action and were charged by Governor Nichols, in the event of an apprehensive gathering, to disperse it immediately at any hazard or cost. No blank cartridges will be used.

FOREIGN NEWS. WAR DISPATCHES. LONDON, July 27.—A special from Vienna to the Times says: Peace rumors still circulate. Everybody is convinced of the resolute maintenance of the understanding between the three great Powers. It is felt that the moment for action is approaching.—The barbarities committed by Mohammedans at all points, as well as by Russians and Bulgarians, no longer allow an unconcerned view of the position of the unfortunate Christian population. Austria-Hungary, in particular, is strongly interested. The schemes attributed to England—of occupying, first, Gallipoli, and next, perhaps, Constantinople—do not preclude the belief in an early peace.

ST. PETERSBURGH, July 27.—The Official Messenger publishes the following dispatch: An old merchant ship, the "Vesta," has had an engagement off Kioff Kustenje, lasting over five hours, with a Turkish monitor, which fled, much damaged by Russian shells, one of which burst in her turret. The "Vesta" had her rudder injured and went to Sebastopol for repairs. Two officers and nine sailors were killed, and six officers (among them the commander) and seventeen sailors wounded. One officer has since died.

LONDON, July 27.—A Reuter telegraph from Constantinople says: "The Sick ul Islam has been dismissed. Great military activity prevails; volunteers are everywhere enrolling; recruiting booths have been established in various quarters of Constantinople; parties of volunteers with bands and flags are parading the streets."

ADRIANOPLE, July 27.—Suliman Pasha has been defeated at Karabunar. He lost ten guns. His army is retreating on Adrianople.

LONDON, July 28.—A special from Berlin to the Times says: In consequence of the dispatch of British troops to Malta, a regular campaign has been opened by the entire Russian press against England. Some journals laugh at the insignificant force England can spare for an eastern war; others declare that odious England is fighting Russia even now, seeing that the Egyptian troops have been equipped with English money, while all agree in regarding English antagonism as a matter of indifference, and but to be derided by Russia.

The embarkation, at Portsmouth, for Malta, by the Crocodile, yesterday, elicited a good deal of enthusiasm. It was in marked contrast to the departure of the Euphrates the preceding day, which passed almost unnoticed. A call for three cheers for the Turks, uttered by some one on the wharf, was responded to with great spirit from the departing troopship. Some person took aboard a large number of violent anti-Persian pamphlets and gave them to the Sergeants for distribution among the troops.

FROM FRANCE. PARIS, July 28.—President McMahon has arrived at Bourges, where the Mayor presented an address. The President, in replying, said his sole aim had been the maintenance of peace abroad and constitutional order at home. His intentions and acts had been misrepresented. There had been no violation of the constitution or interference with the liberty of conscience, or jeopardizing of foreign relations. The public good sense, at home and abroad, has estimated these calumnies at their true value. They will not discourage nor prevent me from fulfilling my task with the help of the men who have hitherto been supporters of my policy. I am confident that the nation will respond to my appeal, and will choose representatives who will terminate the conflict which, if persisted in, could only be hurtful to the country's interests and check the pacific development of its greatness. Alluding to foreign affairs, the President said France had done all in her power to localize the war in the East. He said, "Peace is the first policy—French policy."

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—Gen. Hancock states in dispatch received this morning at the War Department: "Have heard from Cumberland and Pittsburg this morning. Everything on the railroad within reach of my communications seems to be quiet and progressing well. A very little time and reflection I think will accomplish the rest."

Gov. Carroll, of Maryland, in a communication to the Secretary of War, says: "The freight trains which were started from Baltimore to Cumberland yesterday proceeded without any interruption to Martinsburg, and have been set in motion again to-day, without disturbance. I begin to feel that the spirit of this disorder is broken, and hope for the speedy restoration of quiet."

SWANSMORE, Pa., July 30.—Early this morning the Strathaven dam, on Big Crum Creek, gave way, causing great damage. John Gree & Co's cotton and woolen mill, at Avondale, Delaware county, flooded and the machinery and stock badly damaged. Ten houses in Avondale were washed out and several persons were washed down the stream, but all were saved by ropes being thrown them. Great damage was done to farm houses, etc., along the creek. Considerable damage was done at other points along the creek.

CHICAGO, July 30.—Scarcely a vestige of the late troubles has been visible to-day. Gen. Sheridan and Crook arrived this morning from St. Paul, and Gen. Pope from St. Louis. The latter will still have the immediate control of the United States troops here and in this vicinity by virtue of his position in the army.

Gen. Crook went West to Omaha, where he will look after some reported Indian troubles in the eastern Territories. The railroad strike has few new features. The engineers on the Vandalls and Indianapolis, and St. Louis lines have struck, and a few other engineers talk discontentedly, but have yet made no signs of striking. The usual Monday passenger business has been done by all the lines except the Vandalla. Few freight cars have been moved in any direction.

BALTIMORE, July 30.—A Baltimore and Ohio official dispatch received at Camden Station furnishes the following of the situation on their road to-day: The strike is virtually over between the Baltimore and Ohio river. Trains are going out from Grafton, Keyser, Cumberland and Martinsburg in large numbers, and without the assistance of the military. We will send out from here to-day thirty trains. We anticipate no further trouble. Numbers of the old men are returning, and more are offering to work than we have use for.

HOBOKEN, N. J., July 30.—Walter Keechline and Edward Sturgess, the two leaders of the striking firemen on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad presented themselves before Superintendent Reasoner yesterday and admitted that the strike was over, and that their efforts had been unsuccessful. The Morris and Essex division and the other divisions are expected to fall into line to-morrow.

PITTSBURG, July 30.—Everything is quiet, and the strike among the railroad employes is, to all appearance, ended. On the Pittsburg division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad the freight trains east and west are now arriving and departing on schedule time.

EVANSVILLE, IND., July 30.—The strikers organized in this city yesterday, and this morning intend to parade the streets. It is feared a general strike in all branches of trade will be inaugurated, and trouble is anticipated.

PHILADELPHIA, July 30.—Advises received here state that the strike on the Texas-Pacific road is ended, and the men have resumed work on the basis of the present reduction.

LONDON, July 30.—A dispatch to the Times from Constantinople via Syria states that a panic prevails at Pra, probably due to the dismissal of the Turk Ul Islam, which is generally attributed to his refusal to hoist the sacred flag. It is generally believed that the Sultan will shortly leave for Brussa unless the Turkish success makes his position more secure. It is feared that he may never return if the Russians occupy Constantinople; hence those who wish the present Government to remain strongly urge that an English force should be sent with a fleet to Gallipoli. Lieut-Gen. Wetmet Oli has telegraphed to Gen. Kloppa, offering him his own conditions.

LONDON, July 30.—The Times' financial article says: The discount market is extremely inactive. Hardly any bills are to be had and money finds employment with great difficulty or not at all. Times are utterly without discount business, and the withdrawals of bullions from the Bank of England excite no notice, although the floating capital available for lending is by no means large. A long continuance of this stagnation must prove the reverse of wholesome in many ways. Weak spots in mercantile credit are covered over and trade is carried on to some extent on a false basis.

Respecting the "disinterested spectator," who always gets shot when the mob is fired into, the Boston Advertiser is reminded of this incident in the Cooper street draft riot in that city. "Served me right!" said a looker on, whose leg was broken by a cannon shot. "I had no business to be there."

Florida.

A throng of sufferers with coughs and colds annually go South to enjoy the celestial mildness of the land of flowers. To them the world is a necessity of that expensive trip is obviated by Oronough's Honey of Tar, which speedily conquers the coughs and colds incident to this rigorous climate. For public speakers it surpasses the Demosthenic regimen of "pebbles and sea shore," clearing the throat until the voice rings with the silver evidence of a bell. Use Oronough's Honey of Tar. Price 50 cts a bottle. For sale at Pendleton's Drug Store. ap267y

SPECIAL NOTICES.

ARRIVAL OF TRAINS.

Table with columns: TRAIN going East, West, NIGHT, and times.

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POSTOFFICE HOURS.

Table with columns: Mail closes going east, west, and times.

Postoffice open from 6 a. m. till 7 p. m., (except Sunday, when it will be open 30 minutes after each mail.) Money orders issued every day (except Sunday) from 7 a. m. till 3 p. m.

All non-residents and communications of a personal character, will be charged for at our regular advertising rates.

Sewing Machines.

If you want to buy a Sewing Machine cheap, call at this office. Money saved money made, you know.

Ask Yourself these Questions.

Are you a despondent sufferer from Sick Headache, Habitual Constiveness, palpitation of the heart? Have you dizziness of the head? Is your nervous system depressed? Does your blood circulate badly? Have you a cough, low spirits, coming up of the food after eating, &c. &c. All of these and much more are the direct results of dyspepsia, indigestion, and indigestion. GRASS' AUGUST FLOWER is now acknowledged by all druggists to be a positive cure. 2,400,000 bottles were given away in the United States through druggists, to the people as a trial. Two doses will satisfy any person of its wonderful quality in curing all forms of indigestion. Sold positively by all first class druggists in U. S. Sample bottle, 10 cts. Regular size, 75 cts. Sold at Dr. J. F. Pendleton's Drug Store.

When used for rheumatism, sore throat, lame back, neuralgia, sprains, bruises, cuts, contracted muscles, stiff joints, corns and burns, on human beings, and sprain, ring bone, galls, cuts, scratches, etc., on animals, COUSIN'S LIGHTNING LINIMENT is unequalled, and its effect simply electrical. As its name suggests, it is quick to relieve, and thousands bear witness to its astounding virtues. Sold at Pendleton's Drug Store. ap261y

Facts for the People.

It is an undeniable fact that no article was ever placed on the market so pure, healthy, and nutritious as the VEGETINE.

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For every complaint for which VEGETINE is recommended, many testimonials of what it has done is furnished to the public at large, and no one should fail to observe that the testimonials are from people right at home, where the VEGETINE is prepared, and as the direct result of its use, there can be no possible doubt about the matter.

BOSTON, Dec. 17, 1872. Dear Sir:—I ask the favor of you to make my case public. In 1861, while on picket duty in the army, I was taken with a severe attack of dyspepsia. Was taken into camp and died with it, and quinine. After this had lasted every day, and was taken to Newbury Hospital, and there treated by the attending physicians. I grew worse and was sent home, remaining in poor health for four months, and was given various remedies, but none did me any good. Finally, I began to feel encouraged, for I could see my health slowly and gradually improving. With renewed hope I continued taking VEGETINE, until it had completely driven dyspepsia out of my body. I could then eat and sleep, and my blood, and restored me to perfect health, which I had not enjoyed before for ten years. Several of my friends, who were in the city of Boston, and who had heard of my case, were very much pleased for the above facts.

VEGETINE has saved my life, and you are all pleased you best, and I beg of you to make it known to all who are suffering from dyspepsia, or any other blood disease. Her arm is a little less trouble and expense than any other medicine I have used, and I would recommend it to all who are suffering from dyspepsia, or any other blood disease, which I wish to have a perfect cure, which VEGETINE, the reliable blood restorer, which restores the system, and gives many other preparations recommended, but on my daughter's case will fully testify that I never saw nor heard of a worse form of dyspepsia.

29 Monument Street, Charleston, Mass. MRS. SARAH M. JONES. April 10, 1870.

The above statement shows a perfect cure of dyspepsia in its worst form, when pronounced incurable of about four years of age, twenty-three years ago. The lady, now twenty-seven years of age, is enjoying perfect health.

Twenty-Seven Years Ago.

Dear Sir:—This is for sale. I have been a sufferer from dyspepsia, for twenty-seven years, and got so low that I was obliged to keep her on a pillow, without moving, and she could not get up, and she was attended by several physicians—the regular attending one being Dr. John Stevens. They all pronounced her case incurable, and she had been sick about a year, when hearing of the great Blood Restorer, VEGETINE, I commenced giving her that, and continued it regularly till she was perfectly cured. During her sickness three pieces of bone were taken from her right arm above the elbow, one of them being very long. Several small pieces were also taken from her left leg. She is now twenty-seven years of age, and is enjoying good health, and has never since been troubled with dyspepsia, or any other blood disease. Her arm is a little less trouble and expense than any other medicine I have used, and I would recommend it to all who are suffering from dyspepsia, or any other blood disease, which I wish to have a perfect cure, which VEGETINE, the reliable blood restorer, which restores the system, and gives many other preparations recommended, but on my daughter's case will fully testify that I never saw nor heard of a worse form of dyspepsia.

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LAMP CHIMNEYS AND ALL KINDS OF LAMP GOODS AT PENDLETON'S DRUG STORE.

A FRESH LOT OF THE NEW PATRIOT AND HERALD.

Correspondence from our agricultural friends is solicited for this column.

In writing articles for the newspaper Correspondents are requested to write with a pen and only on one side of the paper.

FOR THE PATRIOT-HERALD.]

BEES AND BEE HIVES. SEVEN MILE FORD, VA., July 20th, 1877.

I do not know that I should have troubled you again on the bee question, but for the fact that you correspondent from Valley View expresses a desire to have our further experience.

We are still more confirmed than ever in our opinion that the Centennial is a superior hive. Since our last communication we have had the pleasure of examining the Union hive, and of hearing its merits highly praised by one who is trying it, and who seems to be a strong advocate of the Union. Notwithstanding his strong partiality for this hive, he frankly admitted that he believed the Centennial would produce the most honey. Now, if honey be our object in having bees, is not that hive the best and most desirable which produces the greatest quantity of this delicious luxury? We are not a believer in "drone traps," for the reason that when the bees have no further use for their drones, they kill them. We are confident that the bees will store more honey in frames than in boxes. In the system of frames there is a direct communication between the brood chamber and the honey chamber, while in the box arrangement there are only two small holes through which the bees may pass. Bees, we think, like a convenient arrangement, just as we prefer a house conveniently arranged. The Centennial is undoubtedly the most convenient hive for the bee, as well as for man, that we have seen.

A statement of a few facts will show conclusively the superiority of frames over the box arrangement. Early in May we robbed some large, square, old-fashioned hives to the usual depth. Into these we inserted a slotted platform upon the honey, and put in above these a system of frames similar to, though larger than, the Centennial frames. The object of this platform is to prevent the bees from attaching the honey below to the frames. They attach it to the platform. From one of these hives thus arranged we have taken 90 pounds of honey, and the colony has thrown off two very large swarms, from which we have taken 75 pounds of honey. From this single stand, you see, we have two strong hives and 165 pounds of honey. The swarms from this stand were put in Centennial hives. We lost a grand swarm from this hive by going off.

We have sold some honey at 20 cents per pound, and at this price, 165 lbs. at 20 cts would be \$33.00, 3 hives at \$10 each, 30.00. Total, \$63.00.

Cap you, Mr. Editor, Mr. Richardson, or Mr. Starbuck, beat this from a single stand? There is more honey in these hives to be taken when capped. Having taken top much of your space, for which I sincerely apologize, I am, most respectfully, yours, A. F. BONHAM.

SALT FOR POULTRY. A. McLaren, Meadville, Pa., in a letter to the American Agricultural for July, says: "I would like very much to have some of your correspondents give the reason why poultry should be excluded from the great essential, salt. In my early experience, this was the precept laid down by my mother, and it is practiced by nearly everyone to-day. I am a very extensive breeder of nearly all the fine bred varieties of fowls, and have reared this season about five hundred young stock. I find that my stock thrive better, are healthier, and appear better in every way, after their warm feed of meal and bran, every morning, well seasoned with salt, and in cold weather with a little red pepper added. I look upon these two condiments as the ounce of prevention in the case of disease, and would ask your readers to try it and report. If I can afford to experiment, if you call it so, on my valuable stock, and daily see the result, are so favorable, I think it would pay those who raise for market."

HOW TO THROW A HORSE. To throw a horse safely, a strong strap should be passed around the body at the saddle girth. A loop is fixed beneath the belly. One fore foot is lifted and fastened to the loop. In this condition the horse cannot kick. Straps are passed around the hind fetlocks, and a rope fastened to these is passed through the loop. A strap is also passed around the remaining fore foot, and a rope is attached to this. The last rope is drawn up until the horse is on his knees, when the other rope is drawn up, and the horse is gently pushed over upon his side. The ropes are then drawn up quickly and secured, when the horse is powerless.

Do not stupify your baby with Opium or Morphia mixtures, but use Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup, which is always safe and reliable, and never disappoints. 25 cents. -Adv.

TUTT'S PILLS

A Noted Divine says They are worth their weight in gold.

READ WHAT HE SAYS:

Dr. Tutt's Pills: Dear Sir: For ten years I have been a martyr to Dyspepsia, Constipation, and Piles. Last spring your pills were recommended to me; I used them but with little effect. I am now a well man, have good appetite, digestion perfect, regular stools, piles gone, and I have gained forty pounds solid flesh. They are worth their weight in gold. Rev. R. L. SIMPSON, Louisville, Ky.

Dr. Tutt has been engaged in the practice of medicine for years, and for a long time was demonstrator of anatomy in the Medical College of Georgia, hence persons using his Pills have the guarantee that they are prepared on scientific principles, and are free from all quackery.

He has succeeded in combining the digestive organs, heretofore antagonistic qualities of a strengthening, purgative, and astringent.

Their first apparent effect is to cause the food to properly assimilate, and by their tonic action on the digestive organs, regular and healthy evacuations are produced.

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LARGE STOCK, Newly all of which was purchased since the GREAT DECLINE IN PRICE!

HUNDREDS OF BARGAINS.

Handsome striped silks at 75, 80, 90c and 12c at 12c worth \$1.10, \$1.15 and \$1.25.

Good Black Silks from 85c to \$1.00 per yard—all very cheap—but we call particular attention to our Silks at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2 per yard.

Colored Silks in endless variety, from \$1 to \$2 per yard.

Good double-width Black Alpaca at 25c worth 30c, at 30c worth 40c, at 40c worth 45c, at 45c worth 50c, at 50c worth 60c, also finer qualities as cheap in proportion.

Domestic Ginghams at \$1 c per yard worth 12c, at 10 worth 10c.

Wash-poplins at \$4c worth 12c, at 10 worth 12c, at 12c worth 15c, at 15c worth 20c.

Printed Delaines at \$4c worth 10c, at 10c worth 12c, at 12c worth 15c, at 15c worth 20c.

Printed Percales at 12c per yard worth 25c—these are the finest goods manufactured.

Printed cambrics at \$4c per yard worth 12c, Cheviot Shirtings at \$4, 12c, 15, 16c, 20, and 25c per yard—all much below regular prices.

Real Georgia Nanken, 10 yds in a piece, for 75c worth \$1.25.

Black Cachemires, Delaines, Bombazines, Australian Crepe, Henrietta Cloths, and other dress goods for mourning, Satin-Striped Muslins at 16c pr yard worth 25c.

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Victoria Lawns at 12c, 15, 16c, 20 and 25c, worth from 5 to 10c pr yd more.

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Lace-Striped Muslins in great variety at the lowest prices ever known.

Honeycomb Quilts, extra large size, at 85c, worth \$1.25.

Marseilles Quilts, at \$3 and \$5, worth \$5 and \$8.

Linens, crum-cloths, 3x2 1/2 yards, at \$3 worth \$5, and 4x4 yards at \$1.75, worth \$3.

Turkey-red Table Damask at 75c worth \$1, at \$1 worth \$1.25, at \$1.25 worth \$1.75.

Nottingham Laces for curtains at 16c, 20, 25, 30, 35c, up to \$1 per yard, all much lower than ever offered.

Curtain Muslins, 1 1/2 yds wide, at 25, 30 and 35c per yard, worth 35, 40 and 50c.

Cotton Ginghams for children's wear, at 50c some of which is worth \$1 pr yd.

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Bleached Knitting Cotton, superior quality, large balls, all Nos. from 6 to 24, at 55c per pound.

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