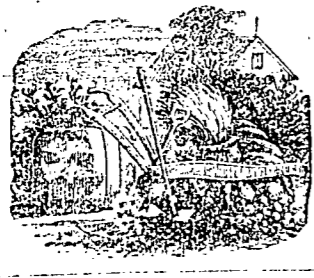


Agricultural.



The Earth that We Walk On.

It may surprise some readers to learn that all the earths—clay, flint, chalk, &c. are nothing more than the rust of metals; at at one time, during the age of this world, they were all shining, brilliant metals.

Geologists speak of the earth as being hundreds of thousands of years old. All their philosophy is based on mechanical science: the formation of strata, the heaving of mountains, the burying of wrecks, have been attributed to some great convulsion—that is some shaking together of the earth's crust.

By this process of reasoning, we come to the conclusion that the world is one mass or globe of mixed metals, of which the mere crust has become rusted, or of earthly form; the outer rind, as it were, preventing any rapid combination taking place with the metallic surface, five or six miles below the face of the dry land.

The use of Leaves.

The office and utility of leaves are becoming better understood by cultivators than formerly; yet we find a good many still adhering to the old belief that the sun's rays directly shining on forming fruit, are what perfect it independently of other influence.

On this subject, theory and practice have been invariably found in perfect accordance with each other. The principles of physiology teach us that the sap of a tree, when it passes in at the roots, remains nearly unchanged in its upward progress through stem and branches, until it reaches the leaves, where, being spread out in those thin organs, to light and air, it undergoes a complete change, and thus becomes suited to the formation of new wood and new fruit.

The object of pruning should be, therefore, to allow the leaves to grow to full size without being injured from crowding.

Cattle, for fresh beef, should never exceed three years. They should, by a course of feeding, be brought to maturity at that age. A steer at three years is as much more valuable to the farmer than one of the same weight five years old, as the two year's keeping,

and the interest of his money.—Ohio Farmer.

To FATTEN FOWLS.—The best food for fattening fowls is potatoes mixed with meal. Boil the potatoes and mash them fine while they are hot and mix the meal with them just before it is presented.

Education.

MAYETTVILLE FEMALE SEMINARY.—This institution will open the first Monday of March, in a new and commodious building erected for that purpose, under the direction and supervision of Rev. J. Kennedy and Samuel Thomson.

TERMS.—SUMMER SESSION. For board, washing, fuel and light, per session of 4 months, \$40 00. Tuition in Senior class per session, 8 00.

WILMWOOD ACADEMY.—The best school of this well known institution will open the first Wednesday in May. It is located at Shade Gap, eighteen miles from the Mount Union station on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

WHITE HALL ACADEMY, three miles west of Harborsburg. The ninth Session of this popular and flourishing institution will commence on Monday, the 7th of May next, under the most favorable auspices.

PLAINFIELD CLASSICAL ACADEMY, near Carlisle, Pa. The 14th Session will commence on THURSDAY, May 1st, 1855. Number of Students limited, and constant efforts used for their moral and intellectual improvement.

Advertisement for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, Commercial College.

THE WONDER OF THE AGE!—For the cure of Scurvy, Chills, Chills, Common Sores, Chapped or Cracked Hands, Burns or Scalds, Cuts of the Face, Pains, Inflammation of the Breast, Bites of Insects, Sore Lips, Phlegm, in the Throat and Breeding out and Sores on Children, and all diseases of the Skin.

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Carlisle Herald.

Business Cards.

DR. S. B. KIEFFER Office in North Hanover street two doors from Weiss & Campbell's store. Office hours, more particularly from 7 to 9 o'clock, A. M., and from 5 to 7 o'clock, P. M.

CARD.—DOCTOR S. P. ZEIGLER—recently from Lancaster city, offers his professional services to the citizens of Carlisle and vicinity in all its various branches.

DR. C. E. BLUMENTHAL, HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN. Office and residence on Lenthers street, one door east of the German Reformed Church.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that I have, this day, associated with me in the practice of my profession, Wm. M. Penrose and Thos. M. Middle, Esqrs.

C. P. HUMRICH, Attorney at Law. Office in Rowden's Room, All business entrusted to him will be promptly attended to.

WILLIAM C. RHEEM, Attorney at Law. Office in Rowden's Room, Carlisle, Pa. All business entrusted to him will be promptly attended to.

A. N. GREEN, Attorney at Law, has been settled in Mechanicsburg for the practice of his profession.

G. B. COLE Attorney at Law, will attend promptly to all business entrusted to him, in the rooms formerly occupied by William Irvine Esq., North Hanover street, Carlisle.

DR. GEO. W. NEIDICH—DENTIST—Dentist's offices are established in Carlisle, Pa., for the purpose of fitting artificial teeth.

GEO. Z. BRETZ, DENTIST.—Respectfully informs his professional associates in the public mind that he has removed from a single tooth, to an entire set, on the latest and most approved principles.

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SCRIVENER AND CONVEYANCER.—A. L. SPONSLER late Register of Cumberland county, will carefully attend to the transaction of all such business as may be entrusted to him, such as the writing of Deeds, Mortgages, Contracts, &c.

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Miscellaneous.

STEAM SAW MILL, near Pappertown, Cumberland county.—HASKELL & SEYMOUR continue to supply the country with all kinds of lumber at the shortest notice, in accordance with the orders of their customers.

GAS FITTING AND PLUMBING.—The undersigned would inform the citizens of Carlisle that he has made arrangements to do all kinds of gas fitting and plumbing at short notice, and on reasonable terms.

TINNING, SPROUTING, &c.—He is also prepared to furnish, or make to order, every article of TIN WARE used by housekeepers and others.

EROM CALIFORNIA.—C. VON HEULEN respectfully informs the citizens of Carlisle and vicinity, that he has just returned from California, and is prepared to furnish all kinds of work connected with his business.

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Philadelphia.

WATCHES, JEWELRY, SILVERWARE AND FANCY GOODS.—A fine assortment of the best quality, for sale at the lowest prices, at WM. F. HUBBARD'S, No. 184 South Second Street, between the Grand Canal and Pine Streets.

IMPROVED SUITER SHOES.—The undersigned has the honor to announce that he has received a consignment of the most fashionable and comfortable SUITER SHOES, made in England, and is prepared to furnish them at short notice, and on reasonable terms.

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