

ADVERTISING RATES. Per square of 8 lines 3 times... \$1.50

Railway Ties.

The supply of railway ties is becoming a matter of increasing cost to the railways as the forests are cleared.

These ties are made of Mora wood, and come from British Guiana. It is claimed for them that they will last 50 years.

Spreads Like Wildfire.

When things are "the best" they become "the best selling." Abraham Hare, a leading druggist of Belleville, O., writes:

The chair which President McKinley occupied at the sessions of the cabinet has become the property of Secretary Cortelyou.

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Notes From the Pennsylvania Experiment Station.

The Periodical Cicado or Seventeen Year Locust in 1902.

In the Report of the Pennsylvania State College, 1889, page 182, an account was given of the nature and distribution of this common and interesting insect.

It is not meant that the Cicada will appear over the whole of this large area, but that they may be expected wherever the conditions heretofore have been favorable for their breeding and development.

Hence it would be wise for those in the counties named, who contemplate setting out trees this fall or next spring, to find out whether they are on or near "locust ground"

If it seems best to take the risk it would be well not to prune the trees closely on setting, but to postpone it until after the egg-laying of the Cicadas, which takes place during June.

Nine-tenths of all the destruction caused by insects comes from not "taking time by the forelock." People wait until a horde of destructive insects suddenly appear, and then comes the pathetic inquiry, "What are they, and how can I destroy them or prevent their attacks?"

Here is a case which is of as regular recurrence as the seasons, and preparation can be made to meet it as one would prepare for spring plowing or for winter's snow.

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The teacher was telling the class that the tongue is the organ of speech, and that without it a man could not talk.

A Questionable Experiment.

It is stated that a Brooklyn physician has inoculated a young woman with tuberculous tissue from a diseased cow to test the question whether human beings can contract consumption from animals.

Physicians are as a rule hostile to such experiments. In an instance reported by the American Human Association a surgeon in the Paris Academy of Medicine operated upon a woman for cancer.

There is no parallel between this alleged inoculation with consumption and the case of the two young doctors in Havana who lost their lives by experimenting with yellow fever germs upon themselves.

Astounding Discovery.

From Coopersville, Mich., comes word of a wonderful discovery of a pleasant tasting liquid that when used before retiring by any one troubled with a bad cough always ensures a good night's rest.

A Peace-Promoting Gun.

A new dynamite gun mounted at Fisher's Island has just withstood a series of exhaustive tests. It developed satisfactory accuracy at all ranges.

Defensive warfare has been growing steadily easier and offensive warfare steadily more difficult. This last contribution to the gratifying tendency of latter-day military development may prove a powerful promoter of the business of the International Court of Arbitration that now only twirls its thumbs at The Hague.

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A Physician Testifies.

"I have taken Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and have never used anything in my life that did me the good that did," says County Physician Geo. W. Scroggs of Hall County, Ga.

Uses For Salt.

Just as a matter of curiosity I have recently been trying to find out to how many uses I put common table salt, says a writer in the Southern Farm Magazine.

When china is stained from tea or any other cause a little wet salt rubbed on will make it white again.

A little salt stirred into white-wash makes it stick better.

Used as a toothpowder salt whitens the teeth and hardens the gums.

A teaspoonful of salt in a glass of hot water will relieve a sore throat if used as a gargle.

Put half a cup of salt in a bucket to wash your butter in, and it will draw out all the buttermilk and save you much trouble.

Bright colored cotton goods keep their color much longer if always washed in salt water.

Two teaspoons of salt in a glass of tepid water is an emetic always convenient, and will relieve the stomach of poisons before other remedies can be administered.

A salt bath is one of the best of all tonics for a weak constitution.

Dry salt applied to a fever blister will generally drive it away.

Flatirons rubbed with salt are smooth and clean. It is a good plan to keep a little box of it on the ironing table and rub the iron in it every time you take it off the stove.

Silks and ribbons washed in slightly salt water will be very much nicer than otherwise.

It is said that small doses of salt will relieve hemorrhages of lungs or stomach if promptly used.

Salt mixed with lemon juice will remove mildew. Rub it on the place and put it in the sun.

Eggs packed in salt will remain fresh.

When we think of all these uses, and then remember how tasteless and insipid our food would be without salt, we are forced to the conclusion that it is one of our greatest blessings.

The Children's Friend.

You'll have a cold this winter. Maybe you have one now. Your children will suffer too. For coughs, croup, bronchitis, grip and other winter complaints One Minute Cough Cure never fails.

Sammy—Papa, can you tell me what runs and stands still at the same time? Papa—Why, nothing, my son; that is an impossibility.

Tommy asked his mother if men go to heaven, and when she answered "yes" he thoughtfully said: "Well, I've seen a good many pictures of angels, but I've never seen a man among them; they're all women."

A McKinley memorial postal card is to be issued by the post-office department. The stamp will be a portrait of President McKinley, with the date of his death and birth, his name and "series of 1901" printed around the design.

Your Column.

To show our appreciation of the way in which the Fulton County News is being adopted into the homes of the people of this county, we have set apart this column for the FREE use of our subscribers for advertising purposes, subject to the following conditions:

1. It is free only to those who are paid-up subscribers.

WANTED.—The News office wants a load of coal.

FOR SALE.—Six nice calves and a milch cow that will be fresh in about a month.

THOMAS McCLURE, Near Hustontown.

WANTED.—A man with a small family to occupy tenant house, and work by the year. None but sober, industrious men need apply.

C. J. BREWER, McConnellsburg.

Church Directory.

PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. W. A. West D. D., Pastor. Sabbath school, 9:15. Preaching service—each alternate Sunday morning counting from Aug. 12th, at 10:30, and every Sunday evening at 7:30.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN—Rev. A. G. Wolf, Pastor. Sunday school 9:15 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30.

REFORMED—Rev. C. M. Smith, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30.

The Mysterious Voice.

It was a warm summer night and the hour was midnight. The scene was Madison Square Park, New York. The policemen on the four sides of the rectangle were getting dull with sleepiness.

"Help! Help! Murder! Murder!"

The cry appeared to come from within the square. And simultaneously the two policemen nearest at hand rushed into the park, the leather thongs on their night sticks in place for striking.

"They're killing me! Help! Help!" spurred them on.

"Well, where is it?" asked one. "Give it up. I thought 'twas here," was the reply.

Slowly and warily the policemen made their way to a bench a little to the south of the centre, which seemed to be the spot whence the voice came.

The mystery was solved. It was somebody's parrot, escaped from its cage, which had played this joke on two of New York's cleverest policemen.

The editor of an exchange remarks that he always feels sorry for a girl who clings to a fellow who will spend a dollar for ice cream and chocolates and three for a Sunday buggy ride for her on a six dollar a week salary.

J. K. JOHNSTON'S Announcement of Fall and Winter Goods

Bargains for Men

Advertisement for J. K. Johnston's clothing store featuring various men's and children's apparel with prices and descriptions.

J. K. Johnston, McConnellsburg, Pa.

PHILIP F. BLACK, Manufacturer of

Sash, Doors, Newel Posts, Hand Rails, Stairs, Banisters, Turned Porch Columns, Posts, &c.

McConnellsburg, Pa.

Doors 2 : 8 x 6 : 8 ; 2 : 6 x 6 : 6 ; 1 and three-eighth inches in thickness. Sash 11 x 20; 12 x 24; 12 x 28; 12 x 30; 12 x 32; 12 x 34; 12 x 36—inch and a quarter thick—always on hand.

Chinese Proverbs.

Dig a well before you are thirsty. The ripest fruit will not fall in to your mouth. Great wealth means destiny. Moderate wealth means industry.

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Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat. This preparation contains all of the digestants and digests all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and never fails to cure.