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OUR COINS.

Government Loses Money Preparing Gold Currency.

A strange thing about our coinage system is that the Government loses money in coining gold but makes a big profit in coining pennies.

MILLIONS OF PENNIES.

What becomes of the millions of pennies coined each year by the Government is an unsolved problem. To supply the demand the mint at Philadelphia must keep on turning out new pennies at an average rate of 4,000,000 per month.

THE NEW YORK CENT.

In 1776 was coined a New York cent. The obverse bears a bust supposed to have been intended for General Washington in the costume of the Continental Army.

THE VERMONT CENTS.

The Vermont cents were coined for four successive years. One variety has on the obverse an eye with rays extending from it which are divided by thirteen stars.

CONNECTICUT COINAGE.

The Connecticut cents bear date 1785, 1786 and 1787. The obverse has a head with the words "Auctori Connec." on the reverse a figure of Liberty holding a staff in one hand and an olive branch in the other.

on one side the motto "Unanimity is the Strength of Society" encircling a hand holding a scroll on which is inscribed "Our Cause is Just." Reverse, fifteen stars in the form of a triangle; on the stars are indented the initials of the several States, Kentucky heading the column.

MASSACHUSETTS.

In 1787 the Commonwealth of Massachusetts ordered from its mint a copper coin having on one side an Indian, with his bow and arrow, near his forehead a star, and around the coin the word "Commonwealth;" on the other side the American eagle, holding in his right talon an olive branch, in the left a bunch of arrows, on its breast a shield on which is inscribed the word "Cent," and around the edge of the coin "Massachusetts, 1787."

HIS SIGHT THREATENED.

"While picnicking last month My 11-year-old boy was poisoned by some weed or plant," says W. H. Dibble, of Sioux City, Ia. "He rubbed the poison off his hands into his eyes and for a while we were afraid he would lose his sight. Finally a neighbor recommended DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The first application helped him and in a few days he was as well as ever."

THE RUSSIAN ROYAL FAMILY'S WEALTH.

The Russian reigning house has, it is said, greater wealth than that of any other royal family in the world. It is said that the minimum revenue the Czar derives from the crown and state domains is estimated at \$1,500,000 a year. More than forty members of the imperial family not in the direct line of succession draw revenues from landed estates, set aside for that purpose by the Emperor Paul I.

Another item of the vast wealth of the imperial family, we are further told, is the quantity of jewelry its members possess. The most famous jewels in all Russia are the crowns worn by the Emperor and Empress. That of the Emperor is studded with diamonds, and the two parts of it are joined by a ruby of splendid size, on which stands a pearl cross. The coronet of the Empress is also a mass of diamonds, set in traceries and clusters round a superb sapphire.—Westminster Gazette.

A PHYSICIAN HEALED.

Dr. Geo. Ewing, a practicing physician of Smith's Grove, Ky., for over thirty years, writes his personal experience with Foley's Kidney Cure: "For years I had been greatly bothered with kidney and bladder trouble and enlarged prostate gland. I used everything known to the profession without relief, until I commenced to use Foley's Kidney Cure. After taking three bottles I was entirely relieved and cured. I prescribe it now daily in my practice and heartily recommend its use to all physicians for such troubles. I have prescribed it in hundreds of cases with perfect success."

Foley's Honey and Tar cures colds, prevents pneumonia.

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:

CAN BEES CURE RHEUMATISM?

Hot Applications Might be Counterirritant.

Humorists, ancient and modern have gleefully recounted the sudden and amazing cures of rheumatism, paralysis and kindred ailments by vigorous application of bee, hornet, wasp and other stings, applied by the insects themselves. Sometimes such cures are affirmed outside of the joke books.

The following story comes from a Chambersburg (Pa.) correspondent:

"William Saitely, an aged resident of Shady Grove, had been a sufferer with rheumatism for a long time, and lost the use of his arms. When in the garden, some men were hiving a swarm of bees and they settled on the old man and stung him sorely. After the swelling from the stings disappeared, the rheumatic pains and stiffness also left, and the old gentleman can now do as much work as before afflicted with the malady."

When asked his opinion of the case, Dr. W. C. Gwin, resident physician at Franklin Square Hospital, said yesterday:

"Although I think the disappearance of the rheumatism was in this case a coincidence, there might be some possibility of truth in the story that a bee sting is an antidote for rheumatism, on the theory that counter-irritants are considered good for the disease."

"There is no doubt that a mad swarm of bees would be a counter-irritant with a vengeance. However, I do not see any possibility of the alleged remedy being adopted by the medical profession. There are few patients, I think, who would care to apply the remedy, however anxious to be cured."

OVER-SENSITIVE CHILDREN.

There are children born into the world in these days of nervous and industrial strain and strife so highly strung, so intensely sensitive, that they shrink from a sharp word as some natures would not recoil from the sting of a whip. A curt reprimand will bring the tears welling to the eyes of such a child and a sob to its throat.

A sensitive plant will die under rough treatment that may be given a hardier plant with impunity. Children are very much like flowers. Some of them require more light, more warmth, more care, more consideration, more direct manifestation of affection than others do.

AN OBSCURING FEATURE.

"Yes, I have a pretty big mouth," said the candid man, "but I have learned to keep it shut. I got my lesson when I was a small boy."

"I was born and brought up on a farm, and I had the habit of going around with my mouth wide open, especially if there was anything unusual going on. One day an uncle, whom I had not seen for years, paid us a visit."

"Hello, uncle!" said I, looking up at him with my mouth opened like a barn door.

"He looked at me for a moment without answering, and then said: 'Close your mouth, sonny, so I can see who you are.'"—Detroit Free Press.

"I had diabetes in its worst form," writes Marion Lee of Dunreath, Ind. "I tried eight physicians without relief. Only three bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure made me a well man."

H. C. Smith & Co's Stock of Store Goods To be closed out Goods Below Cost, And this Is No Fake!

THE Assignees of H. C. Smith & Co. have decided that the stock of General Merchandise now in their hands must go out, and if you are in need of anything now, if there is anything you can use this fall, next winter, or next summer, it will pay you to go and get it while it lasts, as an opportunity like this only comes once in a lifetime.

- LAWNS. 18c kind, 10c; 15c for 10c; 12 1/2c for 6c. DIMITIES. 21 1/2c kind for 10 and 8c; 16c for 10c. VALOID LACE. 16c kind for 6c. SILK GINGHAM. 25c kind for 15c. DUCK. 12 1/2c kind for 10c. PERCALES. Windsor Percale, 36 inches wide, 12 1/2c kind for 10c. SATEENS. 16c kind for 10c; 12 1/2c kind for 8c; 10c kind for 6c. TAPESTRIES. Upholstering tapestries, beautiful patterns, 85c for 70c. SILKATINE. 12 1/2c kind for 10c; 10c for 8c. HATS. Straw hats for men and boys, up-to-date styles, 75c for 40c, 50c for 25c, 40c for 10c, \$1 for 10c. Linen hats, 50c for 25c, crash hats, 50c for 25c. Derby, \$2 for \$1, soft hats, \$1.50 for \$1. SHOES. Shoes for men, women and children, the \$3 kind for \$1, \$3.25 for \$1.25, \$2.25 for \$1. CARPETS. All wool carpets, 75c for 60c, half wool, 65c for 55c, the 30c grade for 22 1/2c. RUGS. \$1 kind for 80c. SHIRTS. \$1 for 40c, 50c at 25c.

All Other Goods will be Sold at a Proportionate price.

It will pay you to make your purchases early. At these prices goods will soon be sold

LOOK PLEASANT, PLEASE.

Photographer C. C. Harlan, of Eaton, O., can do so now, though for years he couldn't, because he suffered untold agony from the worst form of indigestion. All physicians and medicines failed to help him till he tried Electric Bitters, which worked such wonders for him that he declares they are a godsend to sufferers from dyspepsia and stomach troubles.

GLASS AS CURRENCY.

A recent traveler on the Niger, in Africa, writes: "I was anxious to purchase some fruit from a native woman who came down to the ship, and to this end I produced a handful of coppers which I had brought out from England. I first showed her five, then six, seven and eight, but she pushed them all aside in a most unceremonious manner. More by way of a joke than anything else I then produced a 3-penny piece, which she at once accepted, giving me in return just twice as much as I had asked for my eight coppers. I also discovered that she had a great partiality for white glass bottles. I happened to have about half a dozen empty soda water bottles, for which she gave me the same number of eggs. I afterward found that any white glass bottle had this purchasing power all over Nigeria. The natives send them to Bida, where they are melted and made into rings about three or four inches in diameter, to be worn either as armlets or anklets."—Chicago News.

DR. KING'S TRY NEW DISCOVERY FOR THAT COLD. TAKE NO SUBSTITUTE.

Cures Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Pneumonia, Hay Fever, Pleurisy, La Grippe, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Croup and Whooping Cough. NO CURE, NO PAY. Price 50c. and \$1. TRIAL BOTTLES FREE.

THE FULTON COUNTY NEWS Covers the Field. In every part of the County faithful reporters are located that gather the daily happenings.

Then there is the State and National, News, War News, a Department for the Farmer and Mechanic, Latest Fashions for the Ladies. The latest New York, Baltimore, Philadelphia Markets. The Sunday School Lesson, Helps for Christian Endeavorers, and a Good Sermon for everybody.

THE JOB DEPARTMENT IS COMPLETE.

SALE BILLS, POSTERS, LETTER HEADS, ENVELOPES, CARDS, &c.

In fact anything and everything in the best style along that line. Sample copies of the NEWS sent to any of your friends on request.

CUMBERLAND VALLEY

TIME TABLE.—May 29, 1902.

Table with columns: Leave, Arrive, and various station names like Winchester, Martinsburg, Hagerstown, etc.

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SOUTHERN PENN'A R.R. TRAINS.

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H. A. RIDDER, Gen'l Pass Agent. J. F. LLOYD, Jr.

KIDNEY DISEASES are the most fatal of all diseases. FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE is a Guaranteed Remedy or money refunded. Contains remedies recognized by eminent physicians as the best for Kidney and Bladder troubles. PRICE 50c. and \$1.00.

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BARTON HOUSE, EDWIN BUSHONG, PROP., HANCOCK, MD. Under the new management has been refurnished and remodeled. Good sample rooms for transient travelers.

CHURCHES. PRESBYTERIAN.—Rev. W. A. West, D. D., Pastor. Preaching services each alternate Sabbath at 10:30 a. m. and every Sunday evening at 7:00. EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN.—Rev. A. G. Wolf, Pastor. Sunday school 9:15 a. m. Preaching every other Sunday morning at 10:30 and every other Sunday evening at 7:00. REFORMED.—Rev. C. M. Smith, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching on alternate Sabbaths at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:00.

TERMS OF COURT. The first term of the Courts of Fulton county in the year shall commence on the Tuesday following the second Monday of January, at 10 o'clock a. m. The second term commences on the third Monday of March, at 2 o'clock p. m. The third term on the Tuesday next following the second Monday of June, at 10 o'clock a. m. The fourth term on the first Monday of October, at 2 o'clock p. m.

BOROUGH OFFICERS. Justice of the Peace—Thomas P. Sloan, L. H. Wible. Constable—John H. Doyle. Burgess—H. W. Scott. Councilmen—D. P. Fields, Leonard Bohman, Samuel Bender, M. W. Nace, Clerk—William Hull. High Constable—Wm. Baumgardner. School Directors—A. U. Nace, John A. Irwin, Thomas F. Sloan, F. M. Taylor, John Comer, C. B. Stevens.

GENERAL DIRECTORY. President Judge—Hon. S. Mc. Swope. Associate Judges—Lemuel Kirk, David Nelson. Prothonotary, &c.—Frank P. Lynch. District Attorney—George B. Daniels. Treasurer—George B. Mellott. Sheriff—Daniel C. Flock. Deputes—Sheriff. Jury Commissioners—C. H. E. Plummer, Anthony Lynch. Auditors—John S. Harris, W. C. Davis, S. L. Garland. Commissioners—H. K. Malot, A. V. Kelly, John Fisher. Clerk—Frank Mason. County Surveyor—Jonas Lake. County Superintendent—Clem Chesnut. Attorneys—W. Scott Alexander, J. Nelson Spies, Thomas F. Sloan, F. McN. Johnston, M. R. Shaffer, Geo. B. Daniels, John P. Spies, S. W. Kirk.

SOCIETIES. Odd Fellows—McConnellsburg Lodge No. 744 meets every Friday evening in the Comer Building in McConnellsburg. Fort Litleton Lodge No. 484 meets every Saturday evening in the Cromer building at Fort Litleton. Wells Valley Lodge No. 697 meets every Saturday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall at Wells Tannery. Harrisonville Lodge No. 704 meets every Saturday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall at Harrisonville. Waterfall Lodge No. 773 meets every Saturday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall at Waterfall Mills. Warfordsburg Lodge No. 601 meets in Warfordsburg every Saturday evening. King Post G. A. R. No. 365 meets in McConnellsburg in Odd Fellows' Hall the first Saturday in every month at 1 p. m. Royal Arcanum, Tuscarora Council, No. 121, meets on alternate Monday evenings in P. O. S. of A. Hall in McConnellsburg. Washington Camp No. 497, P. O. S. A. of New Grenada, meets every Saturday evening in P. O. S. of A. Hall. Washington Camp, No. 554, P. O. S. of A., Hustontown, meets every Saturday evening in P. O. S. of A. Hall. John Q. Taylor Post G. A. R., No. 589, meets every Saturday, on or just preceding full moon in Lashley hall, at 2 p. m., at Buck Valley. Woman's Relief Corps, No. 16, meets at same date and place at 4 p. m. Gen. D. B. McFibbin Post No. 402, G. A. S., meets the second and fourth Saturdays in each month at Pleasant Ridge.