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EXPOSE THE FOOD COUNTERFEITERS.

THE Department of Agriculture has at the Pan-American Exposition an exceedingly interesting display of pure and adulterated food product. Except for one thing it might be said to be extremely valuable. The exhibit serves to awaken the curiosity, distrust and even alarm by showing the public specimens of dyes, impurities and even poisons found in alimentary articles purchased in the open market. But it does not enable any person to avoid such adulterated foods. The labels are removed from the products subjected to analysis, so that no manufacturer's feelings are hurt by the exposure of his dishonesty and no consumer is warned what not to purchase if he would avoid eating deleterious substances.

It is said that putting the labels alongside the results of analysis would give manufacturers of adulterated foods not analyzed for the exhibit an advantage over those whose impure goods were shown to the public in their impurity. It is difficult to sympathize with the plea that some men should be protected in wrongdoing because some others doing the same thing cannot be punished at the same time. On that theory very few criminals would ever be sent to prison. Whatever justification there may be for freeing this exhibition of the scientific work of the Agricultural Department from complications, and avoid-

ing making the Pan-American showcases a pillory for manufacturers who are perchance exhibitors on the same grounds, there is no reason why the department should be tender of food adulterators in general. It is of little use to a man to be told that out of ten samples of canned fruit seven were loaded with salicylic acid. The information may make him miserable, but it will not give him protection or help him to protect himself. Reports show that high priced goods are as likely to be drugged as cheap ones, and the consumer is at the mercy of the manufacturer unless some one comes to his rescue. If the government undertakes to analyze foods for the protection of the public it should spread broadcast with its analyses the names of the makers of the articles examined. The truth is no libel, and if a poison is found in a certain brand of food it is right to say exactly in what it was found so that people can avoid it. Perhaps they might in ignorance turn for a time to foods equally adulterated, but with an active department those, too, would be exposed, and at the same time the government analyses of articles honestly fabricated would direct consumers in the right path, as well as warn them from the wrong.

There ought to be some way to make this knowledge of what to buy and what to leave alone general. Too frequently, just as at Buffalo, those who learn that vitriol is put in some of the canned vegetables which they buy are not told just which of them are so treated, and such information as is embodied in reports as to factories and brands does not circulate widely among those who are the principal consumers of the goods, and no attempt is made to render popular available the fact that a certain brand of peaches contains formaldehyde, as there is to tell people that they are in danger from a counterfeit five dollar bill which happens to be afloat. The money counterfeiter does no more harm than the food counterfeiter. They are both frauds, and the government officials who detect them should advertise them as such so that no innocent person will be wronged. The food adulterator is entitled to no protection. Every brand found not true to its represented character should be ruthlessly exposed. If that course hurts anybody's trade it will be because their trade is dishonest and ought to be hurt.

LITERARY NOTES.

REVIEW OF REVIEWS.

A STUDY of the life and work of Dr. Robert Koch, whose paper at the Tuberculosis Congress in London has provoked so much discussion, is

contributed to the Review of Reviews for September by Dr. Hermann Biggs, the eminent bacteriologist of New York. Dr. Biggs gives a full and authoritative statement of Dr. Koch's relation to modern preventive medicine, controverting much of the ill-informed criticism that has recently appeared in the press and setting forth clearly and succinctly the methods followed by the Koch school of bacteriologists here and broad, together with the results thus far obtained.

LADIES' HOME JOURNAL.

NOT many Americans know that Hiram U. Grant was the eighteenth President of the United States. Yet it is true, for "Ulysses Simpson" was never legally the name of our greatest General. This interesting fact is brought out by Franklin B. Wiley in the Ladies' Home Journal for September in "Famous People as We Do Not Know Them." The story of how it came about was told by a member of Congress—Thomas L. Hamer—who recommended young Grant as a candidate for West Point in 1839. Mr. Hamer had long been a friend of the Grants, but when he came to make out the application papers for Ulysses he could not recall the boy's full name. So, deciding that he was doubtless named for his mother's family, he wrote it "Ulysses Simpson Grant." This was it recorded at West Point, and though the attention of the officials was several times called to the error they did not feel authorized to correct it. This name was gradually adopted, and by it Grant was, and always will be, known. But as for any record of the birth of "Ulysses Simpson Grant," that does not exist.

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W. H. FELIX,

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SHERIFF'S GREAT SACRIFICE SALE



of Clothing and gents' furnishing goods began Thursday, July 11th, and will continue until the whole stock is disposed of. We have bought H. Katz's large stock of Clothing at the Sheriff's Sale at 25c on the dollar and we will sell at your own price, as the stock must be sold regardless of first cost. Don't delay, come at once and get the first bargains.

Here are a few:

- \$ 5.00 Suits at \$2.50, 10.00 Suits at 5.50, \$ 7.50 Suits at \$4.00, 12.00 Suits at 7.00, \$15.00 Suits at \$8.50

We cannot mention many prices as the space is small. Don't forget to come to the Sheriff's Great Sacrifice Sale to get your BARGAINS.

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"My baby was terribly sick with a diarrhoea," says J. H. Doak, of Illinois. "We were unable to do a thing with the doctor's assistance, and as a last resort we tried Hunter's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I am happy to say it gave immediate relief and a complete cure." For sale by the Middleburg Drug Co.

Picnics, Festivals, Etc.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29, the fourth annual re-union of the Schoch family will be held at Row's church near Salem. Trains will stop at Clifford siding on day of picnic and busses will convey passengers from the train to the grove.

SATURDAY, AUG. 31, the Ebenezer U. B. Sunday school will hold their annual picnic 1 1/2 miles south-west of Freeburg. All are invited.

MONDAY, AUG. 26-31, The Granger's picnic at Williams Grove.

SATURDAY, AUG. 31, a union picnic will be held in Ritter's Grove, near Ritter P. O. Festival in the evening.

SATURDAY, AUG. 31, Lawyer's and Samuel's Sunday School will hold their annual picnic at the usual place.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 7th, The four Sunday Schools of Troxville will hold their annual picnic.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 7, the Salem Sunday school will hold a festival and picnic.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 7, the U. B. Sunday School will hold its annual basket picnic in the red bridge grove. Everybody is invited.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 7, Daniel's Union S. S. and Pine church S. S. will hold a union picnic in Aucker's Grove near Gordon's school house. The Fremont band and the Arndt Bros. of Milton will furnish the music. Good speakers will be present.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 13, Co. G's annual bean soup at Selings Grove.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 28th. The annual dean soup of Captain Michael Smith Post No. 355 of McClure will be held in Cold Spring grove.

If you want Pure Whiskey, it will pay you to investigate The Hayner Distilling Co., of Dayton, Ohio, before purchasing elsewhere. They are offering four full quarts for \$3.20, express prepaid. See their ad. which appears elsewhere in this issue.

How Are Your Kidneys? Dr. Hobbs' Sarsaparilla cures all kidney ills. Sample free. Add. Sterling Remedial Co., Chicago or N. Y.

Delinquent Made to Pay.

A law suit that will have much interest for newspaper publishers has just come to an end in northern Indiana. William Duvall was sued by the Warsaw Northern Indianian for arrears of subscription for fifteen years and three months. Duvall ordered the paper in the year 1882 and continued to receive and take the Indianian from the postoffice regularly until December, 1897, when he decided he did not want the paper any longer, and ordered it discontinued but refrained from paying the amount due. During his delinquency twice yearly he received a statement of his account by mail, but his dead-beat proclivities were too much for him to overcome, and when seen a number of times by a traveling agent, told the latter he never expected to pay his delinquency from the fact that he "never ordered the paper." Duvall caught himself while on the witness stand in the circuit court by displaying a receipt for four months subscription, declaring he only ordered the paper for that length of time, yet continuing to take the paper from the postoffice regularly and had value received. The court held that as long as Duvall continued to take the paper from the postoffice he relieved goods of value and was liable for the payment thereof. The suit was originally brought before Justice E. M. Dewese in Clay township, where the defendant resided, and that justice decided the case in favor of Duvall. This decision, for reasons best known to the publishers of the Indianian themselves, was entirely unexpected, and an appeal was promptly taken to the circuit court.

G. L. OWENS, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

OUR SPECIALTY: TYRONE, PA. Collections and Reports. References: First National Bank. Nearby Towns Represented:—Bellwood, Altoona, Hollidaysburg, Huntingdon and Bellefonte. 8-8-17.

THE MIDDLEBURG POST AT ATLANTIC CITY. For the convenience of our readers who may visit Atlantic City this summer, we have arranged to have the latest issues of the Middleburg Post always on file at the Philadelphia Inquirer's Seashore Bureau, on Young's Pier at that popular resort. The Inquirer has, at great expense, fitted up commodious reading and writing rooms on Young's Pier where every attention will be given its guests.

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REDUCED RATES TO CENTRE HALL, PA.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account the Pennsylvania State Grange, Patrons of Husbandry.

Account the Pennsylvania State Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, at Centre Hall, Pa., September 14 to 20, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Centre Hall, Pa., and return, at the rate of one fare for the round trip, from Harrisburg, Johnstown, Tyrone, Grampian, Bellefonte, Renovo, Lock Haven, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre, Sunbury, Mt. Carmel, Millersburg, and intermediate stations, including points on the Altoona, Cambria, and Clearfield and Lewistown Divisions. Tickets will be sold September 14 to 20, inclusive, good to return until September 21, inclusive; no tickets to be sold at a less rate than 25 cents.

Try four full quarts of Hayner's Seven-Year-Old Rye, express prepaid, for \$2.20. For particulars, see announcement of the Hayner Distilling Co., Dayton, Ohio, which appears elsewhere in this issue.

Grip brings weakness, nervous prostration; Dr. Miles' Nervine cures them.

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SALE REGISTER

Notices of sales will be inserted free under this heading when the bills are printed at this office. When the bills are not printed at this office 50 cents will be charged. Persons expecting to have sale should select a date and have it inserted in this column.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 31, Elias Brunner, executor of Samuel Brunner, late of Centre township, will sell a 1 1/2 acre farm on the premises in Centre township.

WINDSOR HOUSE

W. H. BUTLER, Proprietor 418 Market St., Harrisburg, Pa. (Opposite P. R. Depot Entrance) Called for All Trains Rooms, 25 and 50c. Good Meals, 25c \$1.00 to 1.25 per day. \$4.00 to 5.00 per week. Good accommodations. tf.

CENTRAL PENN'A GRANGERS

Will Hold their Encampment and Exhibition at Centre Hall, Sept. 16 to 20.

The twenty-eighth annual encampment and exhibition of the Patrons of Husbandry of Central Pennsylvania will be held Sept. 16 to 20, on Grange Park, Centre Hall, Centre county, on the L. and T. R. R. The exhibition promises many new features this year, and will be a delightful place for camping parties to spend a week, as tents can be secured Saturday 14th ready for occupancy. Exhibitors find this gathering a profitable place to show their wares, the expense being nominal. Excursion rates will be issued to Centre Hall and equipment carried free on all railroads in Central Pennsylvania. Unsold exhibits may be returned by rail free of charge. For further information apply to Leonard Rhone, Chairman, Centre Hall, Pa.

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