

Farmer's Column.

The following is the conclusion of a glowing and eloquent address delivered before the California State Agricultural Society by the Rev. T. Star King.

Rejoice all of you that are called to the dignity and trusts and delights of the farmer or the horticulturist. Rejoice that you belong to a class through whom God is finishing his creation, and who, in enlarging the Divine bounty, are adding to the beauty of the world.

California is stretched out by the Almighty as a vast canvas, such as no tribe of men ever received, for the genius and fidelity of colonist to fill with beauty. One of our citizens has recently indulged an artist's dream of what the State may look like a hundred years hence.

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SOWING FLOWER SEEDS.

In order to be successful in raising flowers from seed, it will be necessary to bear in mind that the smaller the seed the less deeply should it be covered with earth.

Small seeds, as petunia, portulaca, &c., sow about one eighth of an inch in depth; those of larger size, as mignonette, sweet alysum, &c., about one quarter of an inch in depth.

PREPARE FOR THE BIRDS.—If you wish to secure the assistance of the nicest little garden help in the world, put up plenty of bird boxes.

It is a very good way to fix the bird box upon the top of a stout post, so that it will stand about eight feet high when the post is set in the ground, and teach the children and fools not to disturb the feathered folks in their cottage homes.

DIGGING ABOUT FRUIT TREES.—Rivers says: The ground over which the roots of garden trees are generally cultivated is dug once or twice a year, so that every surface fibre is destroyed and the larger roots driven downwards; they consequently imbibe crude watery sap, which leads to much apparent luxuriance in the trees.

Toads are among the best friends the gardener has; for they live almost exclusively on the most destructive kinds of vermin.

Wise and Otherwise.

TAKEN DOWN BEAUTIFULLY.

While an exciting discussion was taking place in front of Hitchcock's Saloon, in regard to Tyler's letter, one of our prominent citizens stepped up and proposed to settle the controversy by submitting the subject matter to a vote of the crowd.

JOHN PHINIX'S CURIOSITY.—The incorrigible wag, Lieut. Derby, alias "John Phinix," while attending a theatre in San Francisco, while he saw a person with whom he wished to speak, a few seats in front of him; in order to attract his attention, he requested a gentleman in front to reach over and punch him with his umbrella.

PRINTERS' TALK.—Every profession has its technical terms, and of course the printers have a "smattering," which is only intelligible to the craft.

Oh, nothing, only I had a curiosity to see if you'd do it? "Yes, sir." "Well, what for?"

Gosh'amity, it's a gal. I was gwine to call that baby A. Lumpkin, but dat's all up wid me now," said Pompey.

In an omnibus, the other day, a little girl, not more than seven years of age, asked an old gentleman "if he would be her father."

Voltaire related to Mr. Sherlock an anecdote of Swift. Lady Cart, the wife of Lord Lieutenant, said to Swift: "The air of Ireland is very excellent and healthy."

A Doctor went to bleed a dandy, who languidly exclaimed, "O, Doctor, you're a good butcher." To which the Doctor replied, "Oh, yes, I am used to sticking calves."

A beautiful woman is like a great truth or a great happiness, and has no more right to cover herself with a green veil, or any other similar abomination, than the sun has to wear green spectacles.

If there is a heaven on earth, it is on a soft couch by your own fireside, with your wife on one side, a smiling baby on the other, a clear conscience, and a knowledge that you are out of debt, and don't fear the tailor, sheriff, or the devil.

A Lady, some time back, on a visit to the British Museum, asked the person in attendance if they had a skull of Oliver Cromwell; being answered in the negative, she said, "Dear me that's very strange;—they have one at Oxford."

HOUSE TO HOUSE VISITATION.—No one does it so regularly, so effectually, so perseveringly, so punctually as the tax-collector. The fellow seems to have quite a call for the business.

Never own that your wife is right; do it once, and on the conceit of it, she will be wrong the rest of her life.

A man conscious that he deserves hanging is apt to wear his cravat loose—probably from a thought of suffocation.

Bach, the York comedian, was asked how he came to turn his coat twice. He replied, "That one good turn deserved another."

If we grasp quicksilver, it slips through the fingers; and this is apt to be the case with most silver.

Why is a washerwoman the most cruel person in existence? Because she daily wrings men's bosoms.

RUNNING STILL!

THE OLD ESTABLISHMENT of the subscriber, is still in running order, through all the reverses and panics of former days, since 1833, without being wound up, at which place you can find a good assortment of

DYES, DRUG & MEDICINES, as can be found in the county, warranted genuine and pure.

Boots, Shoes, Harness and Leather, as good as the best, and as cheap as the cheapest, and all the WORK WARRANTED.

TO THE LADIES. rest from your toil, and buy a SEWING MACHINE. The subscriber has also succeeded in obtaining one of the best, and most reliable Sewing Machines, for the money, now in market, viz: Davis's \$45 Shuttle, and the \$30 Franklin Machine, equal in capacity to Wheeler & Wilson's \$75, or Grover & Baker's \$45 machine, and making the same stitch, which is one third saving in buying here than at any other agency in Northern Pennsylvania.

Every Business Man do your Printing! IT WILL PAY! LOWE'S PATENT PORTABLE PRINTING PRESS.

Particular attention is called to SPRING'S RHEUMATIC ELIXIR, and very effective Liniment, for all Rheumatic pains, Headache, Diphtheria, &c. for sale in Montgomery by Dr. Becker & Co. and Henry Love, on Russell Hill by Dr. Stemples; at Fort Kent by Mr. Garey; at Meadown by Henry Stansbury. A trial of the medicine, will in all cases, prove satisfactory. Try it, and be convinced.

BRICK! 50,000 Brick for sale. Thankful for past favors, the subscriber is determined, by strict attention to business, to merit still further patronage.

NEW GROCERY AND Provision STORE!

The Subscriber has opened a Grocery and Provision Store in the Store Room, formerly occupied by Thos. Osterhout, in the borough of Tunkhannock, and intends to keep on hand a good assortment of such articles as are usually sold in such an establishment.

Tea, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Syrup, Kerosene, Candles, Tobacco, Snuff, Saleratus, Sal Soda, Ginger, Pepper, Allspice, Cinnamon, Nutmegs, Cloves, Raisins, Cream of Tartar,

Pork, White Fish, Mackerel, Trout, Nails, Glass, Wheat Flour, Buckwheat Flour, Corn Meal, Butter, Cheese, Eggs, Apples, Vinegar, Starch, Pen-Holders, Pencils, Ink, Paper, Envelopes,

Pocket Books, Money Purses, Spool Thread, Linen Thread, Sewing Silk, Buttons, Thimbles, Pins, Needles, Shawl Pins, Watch Guards, Buck Skin, Cotton, Silk, and Lisle thread Gloves,

Cotton and Woolen Socks and Hose, Suspenders, Spectacles, Tobacco Boxes, Coarse, Fine, Dress and Circle Combs, Hair Brushes, Shaving Boxes, Soaps, &c., &c.,

Also, a general assortment of custom made Boots and Shoes of the very best quality warranted also salt by the barrel. Wanted in exchange for goods and for which the highest market price will be paid Grain of all kinds, Buckwheat Flour, Butter, Eggs, Beans, Hens, Lard, Tallow, Pottery, Paper Bags, Dried Peaches, Beans, Onions, &c.

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DEL. LACK. & WESTERN RAILROAD.

CHANGE OF TIME. On and after Monday, November 25th 1861, Trains will run as follows:

Table with columns for Train Name, Destination, and Time. Includes Great Express Passenger Trains, Express Passenger Trains, and Moving North.

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These Trains connect at Great Bend with the Night Express Trains both East and West on the New York and Erie, and at Scranton with Trains on the Lackawanna and Bloomsburg Railroads, for Pittston, Kingston and Wilkes-Barre; and the Train moving South connects at Junction with Trains for Bethlehem, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

For Pittston, Kingston and Wilkes-Barre, take L. & E. R. cars at Scranton. For Jersey, Archbald and Carbondale, take Omnibus at Scranton.

Table with columns for Train Name, Destination, and Time. Includes Accommodation Train and Moving North.

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MRS. WOOD'S CELEBRATED STIMULATING ONGENT, FOR WHISKERS AND HAIR. THE STIMULATING ONGENT AND INVIGORATOR will restore hair to the bald head, give new life and restore to original color gray hair, and to dispose of them at just so small an advance upon cost as it is possible for any man to do with safety to himself—being willing to share in these "hard times" the profits with his customers. Any one wishing to purchase any of the following articles, will do well to call on the subscriber before purchasing elsewhere.

WHISKERS OR A MUSTACHE! in from three to six weeks. This article is the only one of the kind used by the French, and in London and Paris it is in universal use.

TO NERVOUS SUFFERERS OF BOTH SEXES. A REVEREND GENTLEMAN HAVING BEEN recently to health in a few days, after undergoing all the usual routine and irregular modes of treatment without success, considers it his sacred duty to communicate to his afflicted fellow creatures the means of cure.

WANTED.—A RESPECTABLE PERSON OF EITHER SEX in every neighborhood to sell J. R. STAFFORD'S OLYVE TABLET, and also J. R. STAFFORD'S IRON AND SULPHUR POWDERS. Olyve tablet is a thin transparent fluid; it is the best remedy known for diseases of the Throat, Lungs, or Catarrh. Also for Diphtheria, Croup, Whooping Cough, &c. My Iron and Sulphur Powders strengthen the system, aid the digestion, and purify the blood. I have a 16 page pamphlet containing full explanations, and over 200 testimonials from well known prominent persons which I will send to any free by mail.

Dissolution of Co-Partnership. THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between L. HARDING and O. L. HALLSTEAD, under the style and firm of L. HARDING & CO., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

GOOD STOCK OF GOODS AND LOW PRICES. The highest market price will be paid for all kinds of produce in exchange for goods. Money will not be refused. Our motto is: "SMALL PROFITS AND QUICK RETURNS."

Great Bend, Scranton, New-York, and PHILADELPHIA. Returning, leaves Factoryville on the arrival of the New York, Philadelphia and Accommodation Train from Great Bend, arriving in Tunkhannock at 7 o'clock, p. m.

Persons wishing to be called for at their residences will be accommodated by leaving their names at the hotel of the proprietor. Horses and Carriages in readiness to forward passenger at all times.

Lowell's Commercial College.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y. An Institution to Qualify Young Men for Business.

D. W. LOWELL, Principal, Professor of the Science of Accounts, Practical Accountant, Author of Lowell's Treatise upon Book-Keeping, Diagrams illustrating the same, &c.

LECTURERS. Hon. DANIEL S. DICKINSON, LL. D. Lecturer on Commercial Law and Political Economy.

Students can enter at any time; no vacation. Graduates are presented with an elegantly engraved Diploma. Usual time required to complete full commercial course, from 8 to 12 weeks.

Is the Best and Cheapest and Most Beautiful of all Sewing Machines. This Machine will sew anything, from the running of a tuck in Tulle to the making of an overcoat—anything from Pilot or Beaver Cloth, down to the softest Tissue or Gossamer Tissue, and is ever ready to do its work to perfection.

NEW CABINET CHAIR MANUFACTORY! The subscriber has just opened a new Furniture Cabinet and Chair Manufactory in Tunkhannock, next door to C. M. Koch's grocery store—where are kept on hand and manufactured to order:

Tables of all sizes, patterns, and styles. CHAIRS, Case-seat, Flag-bottom, and common. BUREAUS of all styles, sizes, and prices. BEDSTEADS, Cottage and common.

REPAIRING of all kinds done in a neat, substantial and workmanlike manner. N. B.—Old case-seat chairs, new-seated and repaired.

Traveling Public! TO accommodate persons wishing to go by public conveyance from this place to any section, or return, the undersigned continues to run a

Daily Line OF STAGES, to and from Factoryville Depot, leaving his hotel at 6 o'clock, a. m., arriving at Factoryville in time for Trains to

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Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

THE WORLD'S GREAT REMEDY. SCROFULA AND SCROFULOUS DISEASES. From Emery Edge, a well-known merchant of Lowell, Mass., who writes: "I have sold large quantities of your Sarsaparilla, but never yet one bottle which failed of the effect."

From Rev. Robt. Stratton, Bristol, England. "I only do my duty to you and the public. I add my testimony to that you publish of the medicinal virtues of your Sarsaparilla. My daughter, aged ten, had an afflicting humor in her eyes, ears, and hair for years, which were unable to cure until we tried your Sarsaparilla. She has been well for some months."

From Mrs. Jane E. Rice, a well-known and much-esteemed lady of Dennisville, Cape May Co., N. J. "My daughter has suffered for a year past with a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome. Nothing afforded any relief until we tried your Sarsaparilla, which soon completely cured her."

From Charles P. Gage, Esq., of the widely-known Lowell papers in Nashua, N. H. "I have for several years a very troublesome humoral eruption in my face, which grew to such an extent it disfigured my features and became an insupportable affliction. I tried almost everything a man could do to get rid of it, but in vain. It was not until I took your Sarsaparilla that I was cured. I immediately made my face worse, as you told me to do, but in a few days it was better. I began to form under the blotches, and the new skin upon my face is as smooth as any body's, and I am now well as usual. I enjoy perfect health, and without a doubt owe it to your Sarsaparilla."

From Hon. Henry Monroe, M. P. P. of Newcastle, C. "I have used your Sarsaparilla for several years, and it has cured me of a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome. I have used your Sarsaparilla for several years, and it has cured me of a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome. I have used your Sarsaparilla for several years, and it has cured me of a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome."

From Harvey Sieker, Esq., the able editor of the Tunkhannock Democrat, Pennsylvania. "I have used your Sarsaparilla for several years, and it has cured me of a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome. I have used your Sarsaparilla for several years, and it has cured me of a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome."

From A. J. French, M. D., an eminent physician of Lawrence, Mass., who is a prominent member of the Legislature of Massachusetts. "I have used your Sarsaparilla for several years, and it has cured me of a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome. I have used your Sarsaparilla for several years, and it has cured me of a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome."

From Mr. Chas. N. Van Lier, of New Brunswick, N. J. "I had dreadful ulcers on my legs, caused by the abuse of mercury, which were very painful, and were not cured until I used your Sarsaparilla. I have used your Sarsaparilla for several years, and it has cured me of a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome."

From the well-known and widely-celebrated Dr. John Morrill, of Cincinnati. "I have used your Sarsaparilla for several years, and it has cured me of a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome. I have used your Sarsaparilla for several years, and it has cured me of a scrofulous eruption, which was very troublesome."

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