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July 17

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BOOTS AND SHOES,

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July 20

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ALL WOOL PLAIN BLACK BUNTINGS, at 15c.

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July 22

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Fine Georgia Watermelons

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FINE CANVASSED HAMS,

CABBAGE,

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SOME BEAUTIFUL PATTERNS OF

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To be very clean.

We offer at a great reduction our stock of

Silk & Lisle Thread Gloves & Silk Mitts.

A FEW ROLLS OF

CANE MATTING

Very low, to clear out stock.

T. L. Seigle & Co.

July 17

If you feel dull, drowsy, debilitated, have frequent headaches, mouth tastes badly, poor appetite, and tongue coated, you are suffering from torpid liver, or "biliousness," and nothing will cure you so speedily and permanently as to take

Simmons' Liver Regulator

Nothing is so unpleasant, nothing so common, as bad breath, and in nearly every case it comes from the stomach, and can be so easily corrected if you will take Simmons' Liver Regulator. Do not neglect so sure a remedy for this repulsive disorder. It will also improve your appetite, complexion and general health.

CONSTIPATION

Should not be regarded as a trifling ailment—its frequent demands, constant interference with the regularity of the bowels, and any defecation, is a source of serious danger. It is quite as necessary to remove impure accumulations from the bowels as it is to eat or sleep, and no health can be expected where a costive habit of body prevails.

SICK HEADACHE

This distressing affliction occurs most frequently, the disturbance of the stomach, arising from the imperfectly digested contents, causes a severe pain in the head, accompanied with disagreeable nausea, and this constitutes what is popularly known as sick headache.

CAUTION. Buy no powders or prepared SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR unless in our engraved wrapper with trade mark, stamp and signature unbroken. None other is genuine.

Manufactured only by J. H. SEIGLE & CO., Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by all druggists.

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For the cure of Nervous and other Diseases.

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General Debility, Loss of Nerve Force or Vigor, or any disease resulting from the Nervous System, or to any one afflicted with Rheumatism, Neuritis, Neuralgia, Headache, Lame Back, and other Diseases of the vital organs. Also, who are troubled with Dropsy, Catarrh, or other ailments.

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The Most Fragrant and Luscious of all Perfumes.

PARKER'S GINGER TONIC

If you are weary with Consumption, Dyspepsia, or any weakness, you will find Parker's Ginger Tonic the greatest Blood Purifier and the most healthful and strengthening tonic ever known.

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Bedford Alum & Iron Springs,

BRIGHT, PURE, COOL, luscious and peaceful.

Established 30 years. Endorsed by the profession and thousands of cures. More largely and widely used than any springs in the South. Water pure, soft, and of superior quality. Can be used for medicinal purposes, and is a cure for all the ills of the system, but never intoxicating. Five gallons of water in every canteen of salt, or mass.

Board—\$25 per month; \$10 per week; \$2 per day.

Carriages meet visitors at Forest or Lawton, upon advice of arrival. Each station four miles from springs, over good road.

A. M. HAYES, Pres't

OBSERVATIONS.

The bathing dresses worn by the little boys are very simple. They consist of a stone blouse on the heel.

'Crammstedt peritonitis' seems to be the trouble at Albany. A terribly sore spot somewhere, that can't be healed.

Emma Abbott has invented a new kiss. If she desires to dispose of the old lot at cost, she can get something to her advantage at this office out of business hours.—San Francisco Wasp.

People read the news from Albany, and then sit and wonder at lightning flashes of power in knocking coal-sheds into kindling wood.

A look of obstruction and a wart on the chin was the costume worn by a Flute squaw at a recent fandang.—Detroit Free Press.

Wau Koon, recently of the celestial empire, now conducting a laundry at Columbus, has started an canoe out of the front window before it ceased to walk.

Let us chip together and buy the Sandwich Islands—volcanoes, earthquakes and all—for \$500000.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

He lathered at the festival.

A goblet in his fist; A wash-wash he did brimmed; The merriment he did leered; Quoth he: 'I wish that I could get For summer wear as thin as this Consumptive lemonade.'—Yonkers Gazette.

'You make me think' John Williams said, dropping upon a sofa beside a pretty girl last Sunday evening, 'if I had a million dollars I should like to buy a house on the water front, and to let it be a step in the hall, and unless you can stop out of the front window before I cease speaking, you'll have a little wild time with him, my own, for he loves you lot.' His descent was rapid.

It is to be hoped that Bookwalter will learn the Postorian grip. It is well known that Charles Shakes has with the honor of secretary of the State with a two dollar bill in his hand.—Atlanta Constitution.

Our mother tongue: A French gentleman, who supposed he had mastered the English language, was sadly puzzled one day when a friend looked at him and said: 'How do you do?' 'Do you?' 'I mean how do you and yourself?' 'Sair, I never loses myself.' 'But how do you feel?' 'Smooth; you just feel me.'—Courier-Journal.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

About \$100,000 subscription to the capital stock of the King Cotton Mill at Augusta has been secured in New York City.

Gould and Huntington say that the railway construction of 1881 is not near so great as that to come in 1882. The South will be most prominently developed in this respect.

The temperance apostle Murphy has procured 2,225 signers to the pledge in and around Franklin, Venango county, Pa. He has, however, ruined the beer business in that quarter.

The experiment of sending carrier pigeons from European steamers while crossing the sea has been tried with partial success. It was only the freak of a party of brokers, but it may lead to important results.

There is a parrot at Fourth avenue and Seventh street that addresses rapid passers-by in this matter: 'Hold on to your feet; keep cool; where are you going? Go slow, go slow!' When the pedestrian on his return walks slowly he hears something like this: 'Ding better, ding better, you Ha, ha! Good boy, good boy! Quite right, go slow!'

A Missouri woman got up before daylight last Sunday morning, put out a big washing, hoed the potatoes, killed and dressed three chickens for dinner, beat a neighbor's woman out of a dollar on a bet to the weight of one of the fowls, licked her husband for interfering, picked a gallon of gooseberries, and washed and dressed seven children for Sunday school. This may be classed as high-proof enterprise.

Colorado people say of General Palmer that he does not discover a pass in the mountains by turning his nose towards the Sierras. 'If General Palmer had been about when Noah stranded on Mount Ararat,' exclaims a Denver paper, 'he would have had a narrow-gauge track laid to the front door of the Ark in three days and would have taken the whole managerie to the plains below at a special rate.'

James W. Garfield has been discovered a defaulter in his accounts to the amount of from \$30,000 to \$40,000. He says, 'defalcation is a pretty harsh name for it,' and 'the railroad men don't call it that.' His accounts are involved, 'but the company'—the New Central and Hudson River—'will not lose a cent by Jimmy Garfield.' He is a relative of James A. Garfield, now of Washington, as he says, by way of Adam—not otherwise, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Sample new England incident: 'Two of the men overtook Mrs. Sullivan on a short distance from the house, and threw her to the ground, and, while one held her feet, the other pulled her clothes up over her head, and she lay on her back, and kicked her until she was half unconscious, when they left her groaning on the ground.'

Street Mashers Egged by Ladies, Omaha Bee.

A couple of street mashers met with their just deserts on Saturday last. Two highly respectable young ladies were walking down Capital avenue shortly after twilight unattended. They had not proceeded far when they noted a couple of young men following them. Both of the young fellows were gotten up in a reckless fashion, with immaculate shirts, and lavender pataalons. Both, no doubt, considered themselves the observed of all observers. Soon after the young ladies discovered the real state of the case they quickly dropped into a grocery store and each purchased a couple of eggs. The walk was resumed, the mashers following and ogling until Masonic Hall was reached. At that point the two fellows stepped up to the ladies, and, with many profound bows, asked them if they wanted to take a promenade. Both ladies at once straightened up, and, without a word, each selected a new with well-directed aim. Each of the mashers got a mouth full, besides which the lavender trousers, the pride of their hearts, were bespattered beyond all hopes of repair. The affair happened to be witnessed by only a few people, but the dignified young men retreated in vast disorder to repair the wreck to their stunning attire.

STEARLING A REPUTATION.

Would you trust one dishonest enough to steal the reputation of another, to make for you anything, especially your physic, not knowing of what it may be compounded? How to tell the genuine Simmons' Liver Regulator. Look for the clean white wrapper having a large red Z in the center and the signature of J. H. Seigle & Co. in the side. All others are injurious and worthless imitations. Don't tamper with them, however pleasant recommended. Health and life are the price of a counterfeit.

BECAUSE it adds to personal beauty by restoring color and lustre to the hair, and is beneficial to the scalp, is why Parker's Hair Balm is such a popular dressing.

Serviceable Teeth.

The babaroussa, a species of wild hog, has its upper canine teeth modified in a most singular way to serve as a protection to the eyes, as the animal forces its way thro' the dense undergrowth of the tropical forests; they rise almost vertically thro' the upper lip, and frequently curve backward so much as to pierce the skull. The beaver with his sharp, chisel-faced front teeth, will cut down and carry off trees as big as a man's thigh, gnawing the wood all round, but cutting it higher on one side so as to leave a ledge, the direction of which will fall. In one place on the banks of the Missouri, the timber was completely penetrated for a distance of three acres, and in great part removed, although the trees were very numerous and of considerable size. So hard is the enamel of the beaver's tooth that when fixed in a wooden handle it makes a very respectable chisel, and, according to Sir John Richardson, it is used by the Northern Indians to cut bone, and to shape their horn-tipped spears, etc. The incisor teeth of the agouti, another of the rodents, are used in the same way by the Brazilian Indians to cut the blow tubes with which they bring down small birds and monkeys. What the little beaver does for building materials, the gigantic megatherium appears to have done for food. This huge extinct sloth seems to have had a peculiarly pleasing task to uproot and tear down large forest trees for the purpose of feeding on the branches. The common small sets forth to ravage our gardens and plantations, and it is so voracious that the whole palate contains about twenty-one thousand teeth, while a full-grown slug has over twenty-six thousand of these silicious spikes. The weevil has a pair of bone-like tongue, contained in a proboscis, with which it bores holes in the shells of the molluscs which form its food. The tongue has strong sawlike teeth on the edges, with rows of finer ones beneath. In some molluscs the tongue resembles a tessellated pavement, with a tooth in the center of each lozenge-shaped compartment.

The King of Siam and the Washington Monument.

A correspondent of the Boston Herald gives this account of it:

The stone expected from the king of Siam to be placed in the Washington monument has arrived. The letter accompanying the stone states that it was excavated by his majesty's orders from the royal quarries in the Korat hills, distant about one hundred miles from the city of Bangkok. His majesty, during his youth, conceived a peculiar fondness for America and her institutions, derived in great part from the instructions of our missionaries there, and assumed the title 'George Washington.' For many years prior to his elevation to the throne he was familiarly addressed as 'Prince George Washington.' The king left it optional with his agents to have the inscription on the stone engraved in English or Siamese. As it was found difficult to correctly engrave the Siamese characters, the English were adopted. The original of the inscription in the Siamese language is, however, inclosed on a slip of paper. The full name and title of the royal donor is 'His Majesty Krom Phia Ratcha Wang Borwang Satan Mongkong, Second King of Siam.' The stone is small, being about six inches by twelve, and is of a yellowish brown color. The inscription says: 'Presented to the Washington Monument Association by his majesty the Second King of Siam.'

Transportation of Fresh Fruits.

San Francisco Alta.

A great deal of fruit is being shipped East from Sacramento. The amount is much larger than at this time last year. Among the shipments has been a car load of assorted fruit, put up in the Dietz packing, a recently patented process. The Salsan Regulator says the preservative agent is carbonized wheat bran, and that by its fresh fruit is preserved from decay, so that it can be shipped East by slow freight and sold as the demand is made for it, without being compelled to sacrifice it for fear of loss. The car load shipped goes to Philadelphia. It contains grapes, plums, peaches, apricots, etc., and goes by fast freight, though whether it is to plan to ship by slow freight, as it will reduce the charges over one-half, or from \$1,100 to \$500 a car load to New York. If fruit can be packed in this easy and inexpensive manner, and preserved in a healthy and shipped anywhere, the business will develop wonderfully. 'Fresh peaches at Christmas and grapes at midwinter' are very alluring, and Mr. Dietz says that they may be had by simply packing them in wheat bran reduced to charcoal.

Mining in Caldwell County.

Lenoir Topic.

The development of the mining interests of Caldwell, to which we referred some time since, is still being pushed forward, and there are now prospecting parties now at work in the gold mining section of the county and each one of them seems so far to have met with nothing but signs of success. An English company is sinking shafts at Pax Hill, one from Philadelphia has been at work on a new mine near Barber's church, and some New Yorkers are now investigating the Baker gold mine. These mines are all situated in a part of the county which has always furnished gold for the washing and there is no doubt but that systematic, scientific mining will make this one of Caldwell's chief resources. A slight index of the extent of the mining interest is now carried, is furnished by the amount of 'dust' bought by one firm in Lenoir who have on hand a little vial full of gold dust, worth \$300, and collected within the last month or two.

REGULATE THE SECRETIONS.

In our endeavors to preserve health it is of the utmost importance that we keep the secretory system in perfect condition. The well known remedy of kidney and bladder, the kidney, liver and bowels, is a most valuable and reliable medicine. It is purely vegetable and is not only safe, but it is also a most effective in both dry and liquid form, and sold by druggists everywhere.—Reading Eagle.

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Remove biliousness, dyspepsia, and impart new tone and vigor to the system by using Liebig's Food and Beef Tonic. Beware of worthless imitations.

'I ORDERED Liebig's Amalgamated Extract of Food for the use of an old invalid, but it attended with great suffering and which had retarded a variety of constitutional and local treatment. I am happy to say it effected a perfect cure in a fortnight.'

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Be aware of counterfeit and cheap worthless imitations. The only reliable and safe medicine, Rheumatism, neuralgia, and other pains, sold in this city and all other cities.

VERY WEAK MEN.

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Plenty of Cotton! Plenty of Music!

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Write to me for a little reading matter and be happy. Order from this house and save H. M'SMITH, Charlotte, N. C.

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—AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S SUITS AT COST.—

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Closing Out All Summer Goods!

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