

CLERICAL PRIZE FIGHTS.

Charity and Children.

The papers told us recently of a debating match between a Methodist and a Baptist preacher that was to have occurred at Salisbury, and that was prevented by the timely interference of Brethren Motley and Turrentine, the pastors of the Baptist and Methodist churches of that town. These brethren deserve the thanks of the whole State for stopping this performance, and we hope the prize fighters will meet the same reception wherever they happen to appear. If they want to maul each other let them go to Reno, where they belong. The time has passed for people who profess to be Christians to be assuming the roll of pugilists and throwing mud on each other like wild politicians. We do not believe the truth has ever been advanced by these debates between two conceited would-be leaders, and we do not believe it ever will be. Here we are surrounded by all sorts of evil influences. Our civic life is threatened this day. An assault is to be made on the prohibition law; the Sabbath is desecrated as never before; gambling and blind tugging are rife among us, and the spectacle of two "reverend" polemics foaming at the mouth and abusing each other, while the devil and his agents gleefully applaud, is to say the least rather ridiculous. The loudest sermon any man can preach, anyhow, is not what he says but what he does. If these pious pugilists would live the gospel they proclaim in such lurid language, they would accomplish more good than by clutching at each other's throats. The preacher who struts around with a chip on his shoulder is often a little slow about paying his debts. A minute of a life like John Pullen's is worth a month of a big mouthed religious stump speaker. "When I was in prison you visited me," goes forty thousand times further with the world than "pulverizing" some poor little preacher who was not born with sense enough for two men.

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By Better Methods of Sowing Wheat and Oats—It is to be broken, it should be done early—Don't sow until a Good Seed Bed Has Been Made—Simple Methods of Seeding Mean Poor Crops.

Dr. Tait Butler in Progressive Farmer. In our last article we discussed the breaking of the land for oats and wheat, but perhaps too much attention can not be given to the importance of a finely pulverized, compact seed bed. Our falls are generally dry, and while this applies more especially to the Gulf States, it is also a factor to be considered in the Southeastern States. For this reason the preparation of the seed bed for fall sowed crops becomes an especially important matter and one requiring the exercise of more care and judgment than is usually given to it.

If the land can be broken and well pulverized early in the fall, say a month or more before seeding time, and then harrowed after each rain, sufficient moisture will be stored, an average year, to insure the seed germinating and coming up to a good stand. The thorough pulverizing of the soil compacts it sufficiently to put it in condition to absorb all moisture that is likely to fall and the harrowing keeps the surface broken so as to prevent large loss of this moisture by evaporation. The presence of large quantities of weeds, grass, or other vegetable matter on the land is frequent cause of failure to prepare the seed bed in such manner as to retain the necessary moisture. If the growth of vegetable matter be large, it will in dry weather cause the soil to remain loose and open, even though it be turned under thoroughly. Disking before breaking, or mowing the growth and then disking, will put it in much better condition for being sown with the soil; but if this can not be done, as is not done, then it should be completely turned under and the land thoroughly disked and harrowed after the breaking, in order to compact or settle the soil.

On every farm there should be a roller and for no purpose will it be found more valuable than for compacting the land on which wheat and oats are sowed. It may be used before or after sowing the grain, but preferably before. If used after seeding a light harrowing should be given immediately after the rolling to prevent the great loss of moisture which will take place from the smooth surface produced by the roller.

TIME TO SEED AND QUANTITY TO USE.

The best time for seeding is so variable in different years and in different parts of our territory that no definite advice can be given that will suit all, but a few general suggestions may be made. While too early seeding of wheat in those sections infested with the Hessian fly will render it more subject to the ravages of this pest and such early seeding of both wheat and oats as to cause too large a growth before cool weather comes is objectionable; still, we have noticed that oats and wheat sowed sufficiently early to obtain a fair growth and become thoroughly rooted give much better results than when sowed so late that cold weather comes on before sufficient growth has been made to enable the plants to become well established. Throughout the greater part of our territory probably from October 15 to November 15, for wheat, preferably by November 1, and from October 15 to November 1, for oats, are about the best periods for sowing these crops.

The quantity of seed depends somewhat on the variety or size of the grain, and the fertility of the land; but the best yields of wheat are probably made from around 1 1/2 bushels of seed per acre—1 bushel to 1 1/4 bushels is about right. For oats heavier seeding is required, but the quantity used by good oat growers varies considerably. Some use as much as 3 and even 4 bushels per acre, but from 2 bushels to 2 1/2 bushels per acre should be ample. When sowed broadcast by hand a little more seed should probably be used than when put in with a grain drill.

IT PAYS TO USE A GRAIN DRILL.

With the increasing acreage which is being put into wheat and oats and the prospect for still larger acreages being sowed every year, we advise that farmers plan for the buying of grain drills for putting in the oats, wheat and other small seeds. Better yields are obtained by seeding with drill than from hand sowing. The cost is too great for one farmer who only puts in a few acres, but a drill will do the work of a half dozen or more such farmers, and there is no better than spanking.

Speaking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Shepherd, Box W, Notre Dame, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

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From Sickness to "Excellent Health"

So says Mrs. Chas. Lyon, Peoria, Ill.: "I found in your Foley Kidney Pills a prompt and speedy cure for backache and kidney trouble which bothered me for many months. I am now enjoying excellent health which I owe to Foley Kidney Pills." See Parsons Drug Co.

reason why they should not combine in the purchase of such implements.

Of course, any farmer having 25 or more acres to sow to oats, wheat or rye, etc., can afford to own a drill, but smaller farmers would find it more economical to combine for the purchase of such implements that are only used for a few days in the year. We are rather partial to the disk drills with attachments for compressing the soil on the seed, but any of the several hundred grain drills on the market will do satisfactory work. No manufacturer will put his money into the manufacturing of implements until he has demonstrated they will do good work, and if any farmer buys one and does not get satisfactory results the fault is much more likely to be his lack of knowledge of how to manage it than any defect in the implement. In the Southeastern States where oats winter kill more than in the Gulf States, the open furrow method of sowing is becoming more popular. Our travels, even in this latter section, however, convinced us that the open furrow method of sowing oats should be adopted throughout the entire South.

As many, or more, oats will be produced when winter killing does not occur, but more or less winter killing occurs everywhere during all seasons, and in such cases the open furrow method of seeding is unquestionably superior.

THE OPEN-FURROW METHOD.

The objections to the open furrow method are the absence of an implement that will enable the man with two or more horses to sow his crop rapidly and economically, and the rough condition in which the ground is left. The latter objection is largely removed by running a smoothing harrow over the land in the spring. The seed being deposited in the bottom of a comparatively deep furrow and only lightly covered come up well, are protected by the sides of the furrow from frost and the falling in of the soil from the furrow prevents the spewing which so often ruins the stand of oats when sowed on the level.

Three Killed by Bolt Which Struck Madison County Church.

Asheville Dispatch, 22rd. A special today from Hot Springs says: During an electrical storm about noon Sunday on the Meadow fork of Spring creek in Madison county, some fourteen miles from Hot Springs, three men were instantly killed and several others seriously injured by a stroke of lightning which, striking the steeple of Baldwin's chapel, badly shattered the church building and threw the other occupants into a panic. The dead are:

Jay Baldwin, 50 years of age. Homer Yates, 22 years of age. Joe Cogdill, 18 years of age.

Those seriously injured are Thomas Baldwin, B. L. Askew and Houston Raney. Raney was perhaps the most seriously injured of the three and may not recover.

Following services at the Methodist chapel about twenty-five people remained in the church to shelter from the approaching thunder and rainstorm. Some of them were standing in the door watching the approaching storm when the fatal bolt, striking the steeple of the chapel, instantaneously brought death to the three men and shocked all the others in the church. All three of the dead men were prominent in the Spring creek section, Baldwin and Yates being married, and each is survived by a widow and a family.

The tragic death of these persons has cast a gloom over the entire community. The body of Joe Cogdill was interred yesterday, while the funeral of Mr. Baldwin and Mr. Yates was held today. While all of the bodies were badly burned by the lightning, that of Yates was charred to the greatest extent.

Women Played the Carnival Man But He Caught Up With Her.

Newton News. Tuesday night a woman whose name is unknown handed one of the "barkers" at a carnival show a \$10 Confederate bill, and he, busy barking and handing out tickets and change, readily took the ancient currency and passed back the proper change in up-to-date money. In a few minutes, however, he dodged into the tent and with anxiously-inquiring eyes began a survey of the people therein. Presently he located the object of his search and told her: "Here, I can't take this bill; it's no good." She looked at him stonily for a bit, and then began to unwind her handkerchief, from which she took the required amount and handed it to the showman. When he left she laid her face on her sleeve and shook with laughter.

HAPPY RESULTS

Have Made Many Wadesboro Residents Enthusiastic. No wonder scores of Wadesboro citizens grow enthusiastic. It is enough to make anyone happy to find relief after years of suffering. Public statements like the following are but truthful representations of the daily work done in Wadesboro by Doan's Kidney Pills.

H. D. Plankton, of Wadesboro, N. C., says: "I suffered severely for several months from pains across the small of my back and through my hips. I was so lame and sore at times that I could not turn over in bed and I was unable to put on my clothing without assistance. I did not know how to find relief until a friend advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I procured a box and had not finished the contents before the pain left. I am glad to say that I have had no return attack. I cannot praise Doan's Kidney Pills too highly."

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PREACHER BOLD THIEF.

Prominent Expounder of Gospel Steals Watches and Chains.

Toledo, Ohio, Aug. 22.—Rev. A. Hauberich, pastor of the Evangelical Church at Millonsburg, Ohio, and one of the most prominent ministers in the State is lodged in the Millonsburg county jail awaiting the St. Louis police on a charge of theft preferred by a former classmate.

Hauberich is a last June graduate of one of the seminaries of his church in St. Louis.

He was educated primarily in German schools for the Catholic priesthood, but he later applied for a charge in the Evangelical Church, and this was given him.

At the experimental station in one of the study rooms of the institution in which desks with lockers were provided, it was the custom of the young theologians to leave their articles of value therein and, due to their confidence in one another, forebore to turn the keys.

One day 17 of them mourned the loss of as many watches and chains. A fellow-student came to visit the pastor, saw and admired his watch, took the numbers of the works and case, and identified the watch as belonging to one of the 17 losers. A warrant from St. Louis was sent to Sheriff John W. Ferrock, who, with Rev. Mr. Overbeck, of Woodfield, and Rev. Mr. Krause, of Lewisville, drove to the parson's residence and brought him to jail.

An examination of his satchel disclosed a number of watches, chains and fobs, ladies' fobs, cut buttons and scarfpins. Hauberich waived extradition, confessed he had done the job and said the stolen watches had been pawned in St. Louis, Chicago and Wheeling.

Notice to Anson Veterans.

Headquarters Anson Camp No. 846, U. C. V.'s, August 19th, 1910.

Veterans: General order No. 42 from Division Headquarters, just received states that the reunion of the N. C. Division of the U. C. V.'s will be held at Norfolk, Va. on the 6th, 7th and 8th days of September. Free entertainment will be provided for all veterans who are unable to provide for themselves.

All veterans of Anson Camp will please signify promptly as possible their intention of going to Capt. Little, A. J. of the Camp.

Your commander assures the veterans that they will have a good time all round, for we are to be the guests of Virginians who never fail to entertain royally. We have all experienced the hospitality of old Va. in times past and trust you will turn out promptly in good numbers and show thereby your appreciation.

Railroads have promised reduced rates which can be ascertained by applying to their local agents.

The North Carolina Board of Trade and Business Men's Association have extended a cordial invitation, have promised a hearty welcome and a good time. The election of general officers will take place at this reunion, and we are all interested.

Your Division general, your Brigadier general and your camp commander will be gratified by a large attendance. This means you, every one of you.

W. A. SMITH, Commander. J. M. LITTLE, Adj't.

An Expensive One.

A little daughter of a clergyman stubbed her toe and said "Darn!" "I'll give you 10 cents," said her father. "If you'll never say that word again." A few days afterward she came to him and said: "Papa, I've got a word worth half a dollar!"—Everybody's Magazine.

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A SACRED MISSION.

Baltimore Evening Sun.

A pilgrimage of 800 miles through the wilds of Africa for the purpose of erecting a cross on the grave of her lover, slain by savages, is to be undertaken by the daughter of the Under Secretary for Scotland, Sir Reginald Macleod.

No white woman has ever made the proposed journey. The way is beset with dangers and hardships. Miss Macleod's friends have tried to dissuade her on the ground that her life will be placed in jeopardy. To these entreaties she has turned a deaf ear. They have told her the pilgrimage was foolish and sentimental, but still the young woman is determined to go.

From the standpoint of the man who boasts of his hard common sense, the last argument is true. But he is a sorry dog who does not recognize the sacredness of a mission of this kind and respond to the thrill of it. The world would be a sadder place than it is were it not for such occasional instances of romantic love and loyalty. And, further than this, Miss Macleod is carrying love and romance into a country which knows neither, which has heard of neither. When she places her white cross on the grave of the dead soldier the natives will wonder. Later they may begin dimly to understand. Generations hence, as the motive becomes more clear to them, as the tale is told and retold about semi-savage campfires, who can say what softening effect it will have on these tribes struggling for the light? The marble cross will not have been erected in vain.

Laurinburg, Friday, September 2. Rockingham Post.

The friends and promoters of the Wilmington-to-Charlotte Highway will please meet at Laurinburg on Friday, September 2nd, 1910, at the court house at 10 o'clock a. m. Please be there in "large quantities." This fine project must go through. We must be quick about it. Don't let it drag.

We want a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting. We want every county along the route represented. We want to find out local conditions in each county; and if bad, go to work to make them good. We want representatives from each county to be there, with facts and figures, with diagrams and suggestions. We want to organize and get to work.

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Horrible Story of Suicide From Catawba County.

Newton Dispatch, 23rd, to Charlotte News. The circumstances attending the suicide of Chas. Edwards, in this county, already noted in these columns, make the affair one of the most horrible events of the kind. The man had been dead three or four days and the body was swollen, perfectly black and petrified. His family of a wife and three children had been away since Wednesday, visiting Mrs. Edwards' father, Mr. Noah McGee, near Newton. On Sunday she returned home and made the gruesome find. Edwards had crawled up a ladder into the attic and, tying a rope to a rafter, slipped a noose around his neck and literally strangled himself to death without lifting his body from the floor. His hands and knees rested on the floor and the body was tilted forward.

Dr. Fred Long examined the reeking corpse for evidence of foul play and found none. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict to the effect that the man came to his death at his own hand. He was 54 years old. The cause of the suicide is supposed to have been worry over some trouble he had with a neighbor.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Doan's Catarrh Cure.

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Improved winter Exomer is the name of the new grain, and it has been grown and prepared with an eye to its adaptation for fattening stock in a land where corn could not be grown. Mixed with alfalfa, which can also be grown in the intermountain country, it makes a stock fattener that will revolutionize the raising of cattle in the foothills of Nebraska and Wyoming. Instead of sending what are called "feeders" into the rich pasture and corn country to be fattened before being sent to market, the animals can be shipped direct to market, thus saving the extra cost of transportation and feeding the farmer.

Professor Buffum states that the new grain contains 70 per cent. of corn ingredients and otherwise is somewhat like wheat. Intense cold harms it not at all and a crop of from 80 to 125 bushels can be grown under irrigation and good crops by dry farming methods.

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