

MOUNTAIN APPLES.

Western North Carolina the Finest Growers in the World.

More attention is now paid than ever before by North Carolina people to the fruit industry, they are awakening to the full realization of the value of the fruit districts and are buying orchard lands and planting them, while people from other sections are coming into the State to engage in the industry. It is probably true that nowhere in the world can cheaper good orchard lands, lands which will pay the highest profit to the grower of high grade fruit, be found than in the fine fruit regions of North Carolina. There are at present two or three well defined districts where the fruit is being grown to the greatest advantage and, in all these districts it is possible to secure well located and well adapted lands for apples at from \$10 to \$25 an acre.

The Brushy mountains, in fact this whole mountain section embraces one of the finest of the Appalachian apple districts and grows large crops of the finest of apples. The winesap, the Jonathan, Grimes, Newton Pippin, Hoover Dula Beauty, and other varieties are grown. An orchard man at Taylorsville has estimated that a 20-acre orchard of 400 trees may be planted and brought to the bearing age for \$775, including the cost of the land at \$15 an acre. Some very large yields are reported from this district and it is known that some orchards have reached the century limit.—Southern Field.

Shall Women Vote?

If they did, millions would vote Dr. King's New Life Pills the true remedy for women. For banishing dull, fagged feelings, backache or headache, constipation, dispelling colds, imparting appetite and tuning up the system, they're unequalled. Easy, safe, sure, 25c at Hood Bros.

SLEEPLESS FOR 15 MONTHS.

Woman, at the Age of 100, Welcomes What Was Long Denied Her.

Boston, Nov. 5.—"Now I shall sleep," were the last words of Mrs. Mary Turcotte, who died to-day at the age of 100 years and 21 days, after having been without restful sleep for more than fifteen months.

Five years ago her son Charles disappeared. She waited day after day for his return. She refused to lay her head on a pillow, sitting day and night in a willow rocker, watching for him, sleeping only a few minutes at a time.

Last July the missing son was found in Lynn. He had believed that his mother was dead, and on hearing that she still lived and was mourning for him he came back. He put his mother in her bed. She had already begun to complain of sleeplessness. Now it was chronic. Her case puzzled and defied the doctors.

The old, old story, told times without number, and repeated over and over again for the last 36 years, but it is always a welcome story to those in search of health—There is nothing in the world that cures coughs and colds as quickly as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Sold by Hood Bros.

About \$40,000 persons are employed in or at coal mines in the United Kingdom.

Free Remedy Helps Children

Many a mother has learned of a way of avoiding sickness in her family, especially among the children, by the use of a free sample bottle of the famous laxative, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. This offer of the doctor's to send a free sample bottle has been responded to by thousands of women in all parts of America.

This Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a truly wonderful laxative and especially adapted to the needs of babies and children because it is pleasant to taste and no child will refuse it. Then, it is mild and never gripes. It is all that a child's remedy should be, though it is a good laxative for the whole family because it is effective at all ages. It is simply not dynamic like salts, pills and powerful cathartics, which should not be given to children anyway.

Nine times out of ten when a child complains and you don't know exactly what is the matter with it, it needs a laxative—its bowels are constipated. Syrup Pepsin will correct the trouble, tone up the child and soon it will be well again—over night wonderful results have been secured with Syrup Pepsin.

You can buy it of any druggist at fifty cents or a dollar a bottle, the latter being the family size, but you are invited to make a test of it first at the doctor's expense. Send him your address today and he will send you a free sample bottle direct to your home. Then when satisfied buy it of your favorite druggist.

Dr. Caldwell does not feel that the purchase of his remedy ends his obligation. He has specialized in stomach, liver and bowel diseases for over forty years and will be pleased to give the reader any advice on the subject free of charge. All are welcome to write him. Whether for the medical advice or the free sample address Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 602 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

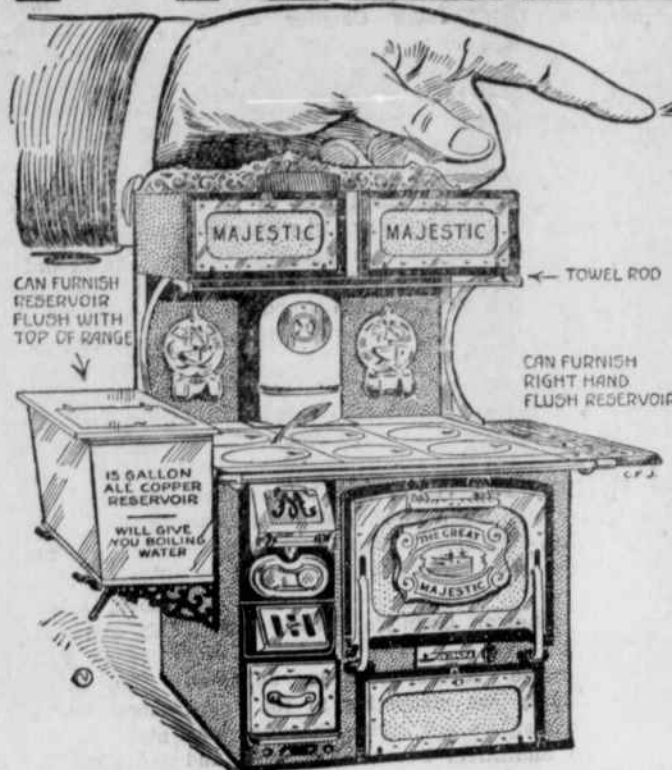
HOOD BROTHERS.

Majestic Range Demonstration

AT OUR STORE, NEXT WEEK, NOVEMBER 21st to 26th.

ONE WEEK

FREE



THE GREAT AND GRAND MAJESTIC RANGE

THE RANGE WITH A REPUTATION MADE IN ALL SIZES AND STYLES.



November 21 to 26

Set of Ware FREE

If you call at our store during our Majestic Demonstration Week and allow us to show you the many advantages and superior qualities of the Great and Majestic Range, and will purchase one at the regular price, we will give you Free the beautiful and useful Souvenir Set of Ware illustrated in this advertisement. This ware is made to match the quality of the Majestic Range, and we know all ladies will see the beauty and utility of this set, especially the first 3 pieces, which are entirely new and cannot be had alone by purchase except at a very high price. The prices of Majestic Ranges are the same, but we give the set free with each Range bought during demonstration week only

SOUVENIR FREE To any person (not children) who will allow the Majestic Man to show them the merits of the Great Majestic Range during demonstration, we will give a beautiful souvenir FREE.

Reasons Why The Great Majestic You Should Buy

- 1st. It has the reputation of being the best range money can buy.
 - 2d. It not only has the reputation but IS the best range made, and we will prove this to you if you will let us.
 - 3d. It is constructed of malleable iron, material you can't beat, and of Charcoal iron, material that resists rust 300 per cent greater than steel, is riveted together air tight. No heat escapes or cold air enters the range, thus uses very little fuel to do perfect work.
 - 4th. The Reservoir alone is worth the price of range over any other reservoir made. It boils 15 gallons of water; is heated like a tea kettle, with pocket against left hand lining, and is movable and sets on a frame, hence cannot wear out. When water gets too hot it can be moved away from fire.
- Majestic Ranges use less fuel; heat more water—and heat it hotter; costs practically nothing for repairs; lasts three times as long; bakes better; easier to keep clean and give better satisfaction than any other range on the market. If you know positively that the above statements are true, wouldn't you buy a Majestic at once?
- Come in during Demonstration Week and We'll Prove It To You.

Smithfield Hardware Co. :- Kitchen Furnishers

In the Big 3-Story Building - SMITHFIELD, N. C. - Opposite Court House

Hog and Hominy.

There is no hope for genuine prosperity in the South, except through living at home and boarding at the same place. We will go forward in some lines of progress and prosperity without raising our bread and meat, but the drain on our money for these necessities will prevent the measure of prosperity which our climate and soil entitle us to expect. The agricultural community that buys its bread and its meat must be condemned to exile from the largest prosperity.

"The day when the South will no longer buy its corn in sight," said Dr. Knapp, a few days ago when the report showed its increase this year of 175,940,000 bushels of corn, half the increase of the entire country. He added: "The South can be independent of the rest of the world for its food, and the South knows that fact. The South is learning to fight the boll weevil, has already learned in some places to conquer it. When the cattle tick is eradicated, and hog cholera put out of the list of usual calamities, the South will have all it wants all the time."—News and Observer.

Itch relieved in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Never fails. Sold by Hood Bros., Druggists.

Ready Relief.

Physician—"Have you any aches or pains this morning?" Patient—"Yes, Doctor; it hurts me to breathe; in fact, the only trouble now seems to be with my breath." Physician—"All right. I'll give you something that will soon stop that."—Good Housekeeping.

London has a large factory devoted exclusively to the manufacture of dolls' clothing.

Consoling.

Poet—"It's three years now since I sent you my poems, and they aren't yet in print." Editor—"My dear sir, have patience. Homer waited three thousand years before his 'Iliad' was printed."—Pele Mele.

CATARRH SUFFERERS.

Good Thing to Know How to Get Instant Relief.

If you now own a Hyomei hard rubber inhaler Hood Bros. wants you to know that they will sell you a bottle of HYOMEI for only 50 cents. Remember this, all who suffer with catarrh—a bottle of HYOMEI (pronounce it High-o-me) is put up in a separate package and sold for 50 cents, to accommodate the vast army of people who already own a Hyomei Inhaler.

Hood Bros. will sell it to you at that price and give you the opportunity to begin at once to rid yourself of vile catarrh and the snuffing, hawking and spitting that go with it.

Many people through years of neglect have let catarrh get a strong hold upon them. Some of these people unreasonably think that one bottle of HYOMEI ought to cure them. They do not stop to think that a diseased condition that is the result of negligence, cannot be overcome in a week.

No matter how chronic your catarrh troubles, HYOMEI is guaranteed by Hood Bros. to cure them if you give it half a chance. Just breathe it, that's all, and its healing, soothing, antiseptic properties will make you feel better in a day.

If you own an inhaler get a 50 cent bottle of HYOMEI at Hood Bros. to-day. If you do not own a Hyomei Inhaler, ask for a complete outfit, which consists of an Inhaler, a bottle of HYOMEI and simple instructions for use. This complete outfit costs \$1.00, but you then have an inhaler that will last a lifetime.

A Parable For Young Men.

Dr. George W. Lay, who was in the office of The Progressive Farmer, recently, spoke a parable which that paper does well to pass along. "The difference," he said, "between \$10 ahead and \$10 behind, is the difference between happiness and misery." What an excellent thought that is for young men to ponder. Many of us have not left footsteps that we could advise the rising generation to follow, for too often have we found ourselves \$10 behind. The young men of the present time, however, have better opportunities than had the young men of the past and they will do well to follow no footsteps blindly, but rather will they profit by scrutinizing them closely and avoid those that show the dragging depressions of debt, however small. Dr. Lay's idea would have lost none of its force if he had put it that the difference of even a penny ahead and a penny behind is the difference between happiness and misery.—Charlotte Chronicle.

Good Reason.

The superintendent of a lunatic asylum was strolling round the grounds a few weeks after his appointment, when one of the inmates came up to him and, touching his hat, exclaimed: "We all like you better than the last one, sir."

"Thank you," said the new official, pleasantly. "And may I ask why?"

"Well, sir," replied the lunatic, "you see, you are more like one of us!"—London Globe.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Ayer & Co.

His Distinguishing Mark.

One day a big city bank received the following message from one of its country correspondents: "Pay twenty-five dollars to John Smith, who will call to-day." The cashier's curiosity became suspicion when a cabman assisted into the bank a drunken "fare" who shouted that he was John Smith and wanted some money. Two clerks pushed, pulled and piloted the boisterous individual into a private room away from the sight and hearing of regular depositors. The cashier wired the country bank:

"Man claiming to be John Smith is here. Highly intoxicated. Shall we await identification?" The answer read: "Identification complete. Pay the money."—Success Magazine.

FALLING HAIR.

Can Easily Be Stopped; Also Dandruff and Itching Scalp.

If Parisian Sage doesn't stop falling hair, itching scalp, and eradicate dandruff in two weeks Hood Bros. stand ready to refund your money without argument or red tape of any kind.

Parisian Sage will put a fascinating radiance into any woman's hair in a few days. Susanne Calahan, of Hotel Royal, Bucyrus, Ohio, on March 25, 1910, wrote: "Mother's hair began to come out very badly and her scalp was so sore it was very hard to do anything for it. Parisian Sage proved a GRAND SUCCESS every way. Her hair stopped coming out, dandruff all disappeared, soreness all left the scalp and her hair is coming in again very nicely." Large bottle 50 cents at Hood Bros.

The Reason.

Teacher—"Can any little girl tell me why our heads are covered with hair?"

Little Girl—"To have something to pin more hair to."—Life.

Why the Town Grew Slowly.

"How much has the population of this town increased during the past ten years?"

"Well, stranger, it ain't increased much, that's a fact; but it ain't the town's fault. This is a mighty good town, and we'd of showed a good, substantial increase if it hadn't been that four of our citizens was lynched and five or six more rode out of town on rails durin' the past few years."—Judge.

GO TO THE RESCUE.

Don't Wait Till It's Too Late—Follow the Example of a Smithfield Citizen.

Rescue the aching back. If it keeps on aching, trouble comes.

Backache is kidney ache. If you neglect the kidneys' warning,

Look out for urinary trouble—diabetes.

This Smithfield citizen will show you how to go to the rescue. Mrs. Fred R. Sasser, Bridge St., Smithfield, N. C., says: "I willingly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, as I used them with the best results. Dull, nagging backaches caused me much suffering and often when I first arose in the morning, I was so lame and sore that I could hardly get about. I was also caused much annoyance by the kidney secretions. Doan's Kidney Pills removed the backache and disposed of the kidney difficulty in a short time."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Last year there were in the United States 38,812 miles of electric street, elevated and interurban railway.