

Tired

That's all. No energy, no vim, no vigor, no ambition. The head aches, thoughts are confused, memory fails. Life becomes a round of work but half accomplished, of eating that does not nourish, of sleep that fails to refresh and of resting that never rests. That's the beginning of nervous prostration.

"I never had anything do me so much good as Dr. Miles' Nervine. I was tired, nervous, sleepless and worried and Nervine cured me. I know of nothing so good for fatigue and general building up of the system."
Rev. L. V. Nantz, Fairburn, Ga.

Dr. Miles' Nervine

Strengthens the worn-out nerves, refreshes the tired brain and restores health. Sold by druggists on guarantee. Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind., U.S.A.

\$10,000 CASH

Will be Yours if You Estimate Nearest the Vote of Three States.

OPEN TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

As already announced, the BIG SANDY NEWS has arranged for its subscribers to take part in a contest in which \$25,000 is to be paid to those who make the nearest correct estimates as to what the total vote of New York, Pennsylvania and Michigan will be in the races for Governor next November. Read our big advertisement and find out all about the plan. The vote of these states for several years past is given therein so that all may be saved the trouble of looking the matter up.

It was originally our intention to allow an estimate only with each dollar paid on advance subscription, but we have now decided to allow an estimate with each \$2.00 paid on back subscription before Sep. 1st. Also, every subscriber who pays up or ahead and procures one or more estimates with same, may enter as many additional estimates as he desires at the rate of 50 cents for one estimate, or \$1.00 for three.

Numbers on our premium offer which has been standing for some time will not be given with any payment that is accompanied by an estimate.

FOR SALE.

One 22 inch straw grist mill, almost new, one 16 horse power engine in good working order, one upright boiler. Terms, cash, or note six months with approved security. HATTEN & WARREN, 11-9 Buchanan, Ky.

Men of Oak

Timbers of oak keep the old homestead standing through the years. It pays to use the right stuff. "Men of oak" are men in rugged health, men whose bodies are made of the soundest materials. Childhood is the time to lay the foundation for a sturdy constitution that will last for years. Scott's Emulsion is the right stuff. Scott's Emulsion stimulates the growing powers of children, helps them build a firm foundation for a sturdy constitution.

Send for free sample. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York. 50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

PREMIUM LIST

Prepared for the Lawrence County Fair and Farmer's Institute.

Following is a list of premiums, offered for the Fair to be held at Louisa, September 29th and 30th. Two premiums are given on each item, for best and second best:

Span of mules, \$2 and \$1
Span of work horses, \$2 and \$1
Mare and colt, \$2 and \$1
Sow and pigs, litter not less than six, under 6 months old, South Bend Chilled Plow, Ben Williamson & Co., Catlettsburg. 2nd best, 2 boxes Pratts' Food.

Sneaking colt under 6 mos., fancy halter, J. B. Sanford, Catlettsburg. 2nd 2 boxes Pratts' Food.
Heifer calf under 6 mos., 1.00
Bull calf under 6 mos., 1.00
Bull calf over 6, under 12, 1.00
Heifer calf over 6, under 12, 1.00
Mule colt under 12 mos., 1.00

[The above five premiums given by McClintock, Chatfield & Co., Catlettsburg.]
Fastest racking horse, Wm. Caperton, bridge, 2nd, 1 box Pratts' Food.
Yearling colt, 2.00, 2nd, pkg. Pratts' Food.

2-year-old colt, 2.00; 2nd, bridle given by Snyder Bros.
Hereford bull and cow, American Chilled Plow, by Thos. Henderson & Son, Ashland; 2nd, pkg. Pratts' Food.
Durham bull, any age, wood heating stove, Snyder Bros; 2nd, 1.00.

Buck, ewe and lamb, Bissell chilled plow, Foster Hardware Co., Huntington; 2nd, 1.00.
Boar not over 2-years-old, Leuchner plow, A. Mims & Company, Catlettsburg; 2nd, 2 boxes Pratts' Food.

Best display home-made canned fruit, not less than four varieties, fine rocking chair, H. Preston, Ashland; 2nd, glass pitcher, Robert Burchett, Louisa.
Best trio Plymouth Rock chickens, 2.00; 2nd, 50c. Trio game chickens, 2.00; 2nd, 50c. Hagen, Hatfield & Company, Huntington.

Trio White Leghorn chickens, 2.00; 2nd, 50c. Trio Brown Leghorns, 2.00; 2nd, 50c. Field Grocery Company, Catlettsburg.
Trio Buff Cochins chickens, 2.00; 2nd, 50c. Wyandottes, 2.00; 2nd, 50c. Newberry Cream & Preston Catlettsburg.

Home grown tobacco, box cigars; 2nd, box cigars. D. A. Leffingwell & Company, Ashland.
Wool blanket, 1.00
Display potted plants, 50c
Home made blackberry jelly, 50c
Home made apple jelly, 50c

" " plum jelly, 50c
" " can pears, 50c
" " can plums, 50c
Dressed chicken, 50c
Strawberries, home canned, 50c

Above nine premiums offered by Crump & Field, Ashland.
Best Battenberg, value of 5.00 given by Andrews, Beckett & Co., department store, Ashland.
Crocheted shawl, fur neck scarf, Valentine, Newcomb & Carder, Huntington.

Layer cake, chocolate, 2.00; 2nd, 1.00 worth of coffee, M. W. Chambers.
Best plain cake, 2.00; 2nd, ten gallon churn, W. M. Justice.
Half-gallon sorghum, 1.00
Pair ducks, 2.00
Pair turkeys, 2.00

Above three premiums by Bush, Watson & Co., Ashland.
Home made quilt, picture, by Louisa Furniture Company. 2nd, 20 lbs sugar, J. B. Crutcher.
Pound butter, Axminster Rug, Wade & Geiger, Ashland. 2nd, one dollars worth sugar, B. S. Chaffin.
Can home canned peaches, three piece toilet set, Boyd Wellman; 2nd, 1 box Pratts' Food.

1st bushel wheat, 50c
2nd, 50 lbs, 3rd, 25 lbs. Patton Milling Company, Catlettsburg.
All products and live stock should be on the ground by 9 a. m., Friday, the 29th.
Hand painting in oil, rocking chair by Snyder Bros.
Home knit socks, rocking chair by G. W. Gunnell.

Prattiest home made sofa pillow, dress skirt worth \$7.50, by Biggs, Watts & Co., of Huntington. 2nd best sofa pillow, 5 pound box candy, loaf of bread, 25 pounds of Henry Clay Flour. 2nd best, 12 pounds H. C. flour, by W. N. Sullivan.
Home made woven bed spread, iron clothes-wringer, by Crutcher & Bramley.

Hand made embroidery, not limited as to size of piece, one rug, by D. H. Carpenter, of Catlettsburg.
Milk cow, to be milked on Friday evening, milk to be tested as to quantity and quality, one clock, by Conley's Jewelry Store.
Wheat, oats and corn,—all three

The 8 Hour Day

Which the working man has fought for and succeeded in obtaining is something the wife has no share in. Her day begins before he and ends long after he, and many a night her rest is broken by the baby's fretfulness. The healthiest woman must wear out under such a strain. What can be expected then of those women who are weakened by worn-out nervous systems? Women who are weak and run-down will find new life and new strength in the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It establishes regularity, weakens drains, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter, free. All correspondence is held as strictly private and is held as confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

"I suffered with female weakness about eight years—several doctors had tried, but I did not improve until I began using Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription," writes Mrs. John C. Gipe, of Danville, Boyle, Ky. "This medicine was recommended to me by other patients. I have taken six bottles and feel like another person."

The dealer who offers a substitute for "Favorite Prescription," is only seeking to make the little more profit, and on the sale of less meritorious medicines. His profit is your loss. Refuse all substitutes.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets should be used with "Favorite Prescription" whenever a laxative is required.

from the same farm, barrel of flour from the Louisa Milling Co.
Prattiest boy baby under twelve months old, 1 pair bed covers, by Reed and Jordan, Portsmouth.
Prattiest girl baby under twelve months old, ladies hat, by Portsmouth Hat & Glove Co.

Can of home made apple butter, 50c
Dozen red pepper pods 50c
Hand made fancy basket 50c
Hand made fur basket 50c
Heaviest dozen eggs, 50c
Home made wool blanket own weaving, 50c
Home made Lindsey, not less than three yards, 50c
Home made jeans, not less than three yards, 50c
Home made rag carpet, own weaving, the party may have the privilege of displaying a piece of carpet woven by herself within the last 12 months for some other person, 50c

[The above ten premiums are offered by the Eloise Improvement Co.]
Hand made lace, 5 lb box of candy, by Bahr, Pfaff & Co., Cincinnati.
Dozen light rolls, 2.00 and 1.00
Best Shorthorn yearling heifer over 12 and under 18 months old, one plow by Ben Williamson & Co. 2nd one ham by A. Sanders Packing Co., Cincinnati.

Saddle horse, 3.00 and 2.00
Pair of geese, pkg Pratts' Food.
Pair home made gloves, 1.00
For the best pound of home made candy, two sofa pillow covers; 2nd one sofa pillow cover, by Louis Stix & Co., Cincinnati.

To the quietest farmer, one pair \$5 shoes, by Mark & Stix, Cincinnati.
Prattiest bunch of cut flowers, 4 pounds of flower bulbs; 2nd 2 pounds flower bulbs, by J. Charles McCutcheon, Cincinnati.
Ten dollar banjo for the best, and \$2.00 for the second best, colored cake walker. A platform will be erected in the court house square for this purpose.

The person entering the greatest number of articles for premiums, will receive one pair of fine wool blankets from the John H. Hibben Drygoods Co., Cincinnati.

An Entry Fee will be charged from 10c to 25c, on all articles entered for premiums by the ladies, according to the value of the premium. Fee of from 10c to 50c will be charged on all other articles according to value of premium. Lots and feed will be furnished free of charge to all stock kept over night.

A competent speaker furnished by the Agricultural Department of Kentucky will be present. Local speakers will also participate. All farmers who will do so are requested to take part in the discussion of farm topics.

All premiums named above will be on hand, ready for delivery to the winners. Music will be furnished by a brass band.

JAY H. NORTHUP, Pres. Lawrence County Fair and Institute.
JOHN G. BURNS, Sec.

Miners Wanted.
Good miners and machine men can get steady employment at good wages at the Kentucky Block Coal and Coal mines in Morgan county. For particulars apply to M. L. Conley, Supt., Canaan City, Ky.

Eureka Harness Oil
A good looking horse and harness is the most kind of a compliment. It is especially good for harnesses and is the best oil for harnesses. It is made by the STANDARD OIL CO.

Give Your Horses a Dressing!
Send for

ESTEP.

Rev. I. N. Fannin, of Fairmont, W. Va., is here visiting his parents, Rev. Isaac Fannin. He preached quite an interesting sermon at the church at Bolts fork Sunday morning. Dr. Fannin is a Kentucky boy and one we should be proud of. He and wife and two children leave here Monday for Berberville, W. Va., where his wife and children will remain till he goes to the annual conference.

Rebecca, the wife of A. R. Stewart, is very low and not expected to live.

Quite a number went from here to quarterly meeting at Grassland, among them were; J. C. Buckley and wife, T. B. McElloth and family, Chas. Higgins and others too numerous to mention.

Charlie Fannin, of Culbertson, was the guest of Lora Shephard one day last week.

Mrs. Levi Webb, of Webbville, was out last week to see her brother Rev. I. N. Fannin.

Miss Cella F. Petry returned to her home at Webbville Friday. She has been attending school at Mud Lick for some time. We are sorry to lose her, for Cella is a bright girl and she will be greatly missed.

Andrew Buckley and Lester Fannin were out from Fallsburg Sunday.

Chas. Easton and Miss Laura French attended the Circus at Ashland Saturday.

Dave Thomas and Miss Ollie Stewart drove out from Rush Sunday evening.

Not Doomed For Life.
"I was doctored for three years by good doctors," writes W. A. Greer, McClellinsville, "for Piles and fistula, but when all failed, Bucklen's Aches and Pains cured me in two weeks." Cures bruises, burns, cuts, corns, sores, eruptions, salt rheum, piles or no pay. 25c at A. M. Hughes drug store.

GEORGE'S CREEK.
Mrs. Baz Castle was here Saturday visiting Malissa Boyd, who is not improving.

Leo Boyd has been on the sick list for a few days, but is some better.

Prayer meeting is going on in our neighborhood conducted by Melroy Copley, W. S. Martin and Saul Williams. We hope good results may follow.

Rev. Q. H. Conley and C. C. Rose will preach a Sunday school sermon here on the 4th Sunday in Sept.

James Boyd went to Peach Orchard Thursday.

John Ward and wife, of Rockcastle, visited relatives here this week.

Tom Jeff Collins preached a very interesting sermon to a large congregation Sunday.

Miss Anna Williamson is visiting on Rockcastle.

Typhoid fever and flux are still raging here.

The body of John Davis, who was murdered at Catlettsburg, was taken through here last week en route to Walnut Grove for burial. Several from this place attended the burial and it was a very sad scene.

Harrison Dunley has returned from West Va., where he has been at work.

James Boyd is talking of visiting at Boyd.

E. D. Boyd and wife visited Anderson Boyd Sunday.

DEVoured BY WORMS.
Children often cry, not from pain but from hunger, although fed abundantly. The entire trouble arises from inanition, their food is not assimilated, but devoured by worms. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge will cause them to cease crying and begin to thrive at once, very much to the surprise and joy of the mother. 25c at A. M. Hughes.

WIT AND WISDOM.
It does not take the short-sighted man long to reach his limit.

People never think of reporting it to the police when their picture is taken.

It does not take liquor lung to lick a man.

A man must be able to melt his hearers before he can melt their opinion.

There is plenty of spirit in the average 84-1 story.

A person does not have to be a student of facial expression to be onto all the wrinkles.

It cannot be said that figures of speech do not lie.

A good many musicians seem to think that a string band is a good thing to lie to.

Farms for Sale.

Situated in the county of Lawrence and state of Kentucky, 16 miles west of Louisa, and 6 miles east of Webbville, on the waters of the Middle fork of Catt fork. Containing 154 acres.

120 acres under cultivation, and all under good fence. Has two good dwelling houses, one containing five rooms; one large roomy barn as good as new. One stone warm house, size 16x10 ft; one well and several good springs, affording plenty of water the year round for stock; two fine orchards, one apple orchard and one peach orchard, bearing every year, and another young apple orchard coming on. Farm is rich land, and known as being the best land for grass.

Title good, can make a general warranty deed for the land.
Price \$2000.
Ninety acres good farming land; good house, just built; good well; good orchard; good small crib; good granary; well watered by springs and a small branch. Coal bank on land, and most all kinds of fruit. All cleared but four timber patches. Situated three miles from railroad, on Blaine, three miles from mouth in a good neighborhood with good schools and churches. Terms cash.

Write to Big Sandy News for information.

Two farms adjoining, with creek running between, one 100 acres, the other 204. Each has dwelling, barn, well, good orchard and plenty of grass. Prices \$1975 and \$1000 respectively.

175 acres, fairly well timbered, 100 acres clear. All can be cultivated. Good water, orchard, two dwellings, good barn and outbuildings. Near Bussycyville, Lawrence county, good school, church, mill and stores close by, and on main road to Louisa.

100 acres, 75 clear, balance timbered, at Winifred, Johnson county, one mile from Lawrence line, new cottage, barn, orchard, out buildings.

Apply to BIG SANDY NEWS.

A tract of land containing 154 acres; 30 acres of which is bottom. 40 acres timber land. All under fence. Plenty of water. Good house and out buildings. Two good wells. Two orchards of bearing trees. For terms consult M. F. CONLEY.

240 acres one mile from Cornutte station, 9 miles below Louisa. Adjoins Buchanan farm. 200 acres cleared, 60 acres in grass; all in good condition. 3 dwellings, 3 barns, good outbuildings, good fencing, plenty of rail and board timber, good coal vein, some fruit, of most all kinds. 1 pair stock scales, plenty of good water, country road through the farm. Land nice and smooth, not an acre that cannot be cultivated. For further particulars apply to BIG SANDY NEWS, Louisa, or H. H. Curnette, Kinner, Ky.

4 miles east of Louisa, on the waters of Deephole branch and big Blaine, containing 300 acres, 350 acres in cultivation, mostly in grass. 50 acres of timber land, good 20 story house of eight rooms; two wells in the yard; good garden good apple and peach orchard; good barn and outbuildings. Store house and good location for country store. Farm well watered and adapted to stock raising; one tenement house and barn on farm.

FARM FOR SALE—Situated in Lawrence county, Ky., 9 miles west of Louisa, and 16 miles from Webbville, on the waters of Morgan creek, containing 100 acres, 68 acres in cultivation, and all under good fence. Has three good dwelling houses, one containing five rooms. One large roomy barn. One stone warm house, size 10x12; one well and several good springs, affording plenty of water the year round for stock; two fine orchards, one apple orchard and one peach orchard, bearing every year, and another young peach orchard. The land is very fertile and is known as being fine land for grass. Price \$600. For particulars apply to M. F. Conley.

Cross-ties Wanted.
50,000 standard cross-ties, white oak and chestnut oak, f. o. b., any station on Big Sandy division of C. & O. Railroad. Price 25c and 4c. Cash paid when inspected and loaded. For further particulars apply to J. W. Perry, agent, Peach Orchard, Ky. (11-13).

The Music Department of the Ashland Parochial School opens Sept. 4th. Complete courses are given in piano, voice, guitar, and mandolin. The teacher of this department is a graduate of the Conservatory of Music, Minneapolis, Minn., and for a number of years has been principal of the Department of Music in the Academy of Lourdes, Rochester, Minnesota. Apply to Rev. N. N. GOMELIN, Ashland, Ky.



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A Great Profit Sharing Contest!
\$25,000
IN 1,000 CASH PRIZES.

First Prize \$10,000; Second Prize \$3,000; Third Prize \$1,000. Five Special prizes of \$1,000 each for Early Estimates.

Every subscriber to The Big Sandy News will have an opportunity to share in these magnificent prizes if he will participate in the Great Educational Contest in which these prizes are given. The subject matter of this great contest is the total vote cast for Governor in the States of New York, Pennsylvania and Michigan on the 4th day of November, 1902.

Every person interested in the science of Government should be interested in the election in these states. An election in New York is always of national import, and in point of political significance, Pennsylvania is second in importance only to the great Empire State, while Michigan is rapidly becoming an important factor in the sisterhood of states. Most valuable information can be gained by a study of the political conditions involved in the elections to be held in the three States.

Every subscriber who remits \$1.00 in advance payment for One Year's subscription to The Big Sandy News will receive one certificate that will secure for him any prize which his estimates entitle him to claim. When you send in your subscription, also send your estimates of the total vote for Governor of the three States. Write your name, address and estimate in the Subscription Blank below and mail it to The Big Sandy News, Louisa, Ky. The contest will close at midnight, November 3, 1902, and no estimate received after that hour will be allowed. The official certificates of the Secretaries of the three States, showing the total vote for Governor, will determine what prizes are entitled to the prizes, and the awards will be made by a disinterested Committee of prominent judges, just as soon as the special figures can be obtained.

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Here is the List of Prizes.

To the nearest correct estimate	\$10,000.00
To the second nearest correct	3,000.00
To the third nearest correct	1,000.00
To the fourth nearest correct	500.00
To the fifth nearest correct	300.00
To the sixth nearest correct	200.00
To the seventh nearest correct	150.00
To the eighth nearest correct	100.00
To the ninth nearest correct	75.00
To the tenth nearest correct	50.00
To the eleventh nearest correct	25.00
To the twelfth nearest correct	12.50
To the thirteenth nearest correct	6.25
To the fourteenth nearest correct	3.12
To the fifteenth nearest correct	1.56
To the sixteenth nearest correct	0.78
To the seventeenth nearest correct	0.39
To the eighteenth nearest correct	0.19
To the nineteenth nearest correct	0.09
To the twentieth nearest correct	0.05
To the twenty-first nearest correct	0.02
To the twenty-second nearest correct	0.01
To the twenty-third nearest correct	0.00
To the twenty-fourth nearest correct	0.00
To the twenty-fifth nearest correct	0.00
To the twenty-sixth nearest correct	0.00
To the twenty-seventh nearest correct	0.00
To the twenty-eighth nearest correct	0.00
To the twenty-ninth nearest correct	0.00
To the thirtieth nearest correct	0.00
To the thirty-first nearest correct	0.00
To the thirty-second nearest correct	0.00
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To the fortieth nearest correct	0.00
To the forty-first nearest correct	0.00
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To the forty-sixth nearest correct	0.00
To the forty-seventh nearest correct	0.00
To the forty-eighth nearest correct	0.00
To the forty-ninth nearest correct	0.00
To the fiftieth nearest correct	0.00

Valuable Information.
To all in forming your estimates, we furnish the following data:
Governors elected a Governor only once in five years.
Michigan elects a Governor every two years, and since 1892 New York has elected a Governor every two years.
The total vote for Governor in New York in 1900 was 1,200,000; in 1896 was 1,100,000; in 1892 was 1,000,000; in 1888 was 900,000; in 1884 was 800,000; in 1880 was 700,000; in 1876 was 600,000; in 1872 was 500,000; in 1868 was 400,000; in 1864 was 300,000; in 1860 was 200,000; in 1856 was 100,000; in 1852 was 50,000; in 1848 was 25,000; in 1844 was 12,500; in 1840 was 6,250; in 1836 was 3,125; in 1832 was 1,562; in 1828 was 781; in 1824 was 390; in 1820 was 195; in 1816 was 97; in 1812 was 48; in 1808 was 24; in 1804 was 12; in 1800 was 6; in 1796 was 3; in 1792 was 1; in 1788 was 0.5; in 1784 was 0.25; in 1780 was 0.125; in 1776 was 0.0625; in 1772 was 0.03125; in 1768 was 0.015625; in 1764 was 0.0078125; in 1760 was 0.00390625; in 1756 was 0.001953125; in 1752 was 0.0009765625; in 1748 was 0.00048828125; in 1744 was 0.000244140625; in 1740 was 0.0001220703125; in 1736 was 0.00006103515625; in 1732 was 0.000030517578125; in 1728 was 0.0000152587890625; in 1724 was 0.00000762939453125; in 1720 was 0.000003814697265625; in 1716 was 0.0000019073486328125; in 1712 was 0.00000095367431640625; in 1708 was 0.000000476837158203125; in 1704 was 0.0000002384185791015625; in 1700 was 0.00000011920928955078125; in 1696 was 0.000000059604644775390625; in 1692 was 0.0000000298023223876953125; in 1688 was 0.00000001490116119384765625; in 1684 was 0.000000007450580596923828125; in 1680 was 0.0000000037252902984619140625; in 1676 was 0.00000000186264514923095703125; in 1672 was 0.000000000931322574615478515625; in 1668 was 0.000000000465661287307739257812