

SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON.

CHARLES TOWN, JEFFERSON COUNTY, W. VA.

TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 7, 1900.

Geo. W. Haines, Editor and Proprietor.

Democrat Ticket.

Election, Tuesday, November 6, 1900.

For President, WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN, of Nebraska.

For Vice President, ADLAI E. STEVENSON, of Illinois.

For Governor, JOHN H. HOLT, of Cabell.

For Auditor, JAMES H. MILLER, of Summers.

For Sup't. Free Schools, ROBERT A. ARMSTRONG, of Monongalia.

For Attorney General, GEORGE M. COOPER, of Taylor.

For Treasurer, J. GARLAND HUBST, of Jefferson.

For Judge Supreme Court Appeals, JOHN W. ENGLISH, of Mason.

For Judge Circuit Court, WILLIAM G. HENNETT, of Lewis.

For Recorder, JOHN W. DAVIDSON, of Harrison.

For Recorder at Large, E. M. GILKESON, of Wood.

For the Senate, WILLIAM CAMPBELL, of Jefferson.

For House of Delegates, R. W. MCKIBBEN, of Boone.

For Sheriff, J. DAVIS BILLYMER, of Boone.

For Prosecuting Attorney, JAMES M. COOPER, of Harrison.

For Assessor First District, D. O. DONNELLY, of Harrison.

For Assessor Second District, J. W. GARDNER, of Harrison.

For County Commissioner, KALESTOWN DISTRICT, DANIEL HEFFELBUWER, of Boone.

For Co. Commissioner, HARPER'S FERRY DISTRICT, J. BOWEN MOORE, of Boone.

For County Surveyor, JAMES K. HENDRICKS, of Boone.

North Carolina went Democratic last Friday by 7,000 majority.

"The Shenandoah Valley" is an interesting and beautifully illustrated pamphlet issued by the N & W Railway, for a copy of which we return thanks to General Passenger Agent W. B. Beville.

Mr. Harry E. Swan, of Gen. Wood's headquarters, has our thanks for several late copies of the Havana Post, a sprightly Cuban daily. With the exception of several advertisements the paper is printed in English.

The Clarksburg Telegram, the leading Republican paper in the central part of the State, repudiates the nomination of Brannon in a long and strong editorial in which it virtually declares in favor of Judge Bennett.

Attention is called to the meeting of the Bryan and Stevenson Democratic Club at the Court House next Friday night. Business matters of importance will come up, and all Democrats are requested to be present.

A dispatch from General MacArthur, Saturday, says that First Lieut. Alstaefer, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, with escort of fifteen men, was attacked August 1 by Philipinos, and the entire party either killed, wounded or captured. Mr. Arthur Bates, of this vicinity, is reported among the captured.

Col. Clarence L. Smith, senior editor of the Fairmont Index, makes a positive announcement in the name of Hon. O. S. McKinney, junior editor of that paper, will not be before the Democratic Congressional Convention for nomination, the people of Marion county desiring his return to the State Legislature.

Policemen Morris and Mook have been giving several gangs of gamblers some pretty lively times recently. The police jurisdiction of the town covers an area including all territory within a mile of the corporate limits, and the officers propose to make it hot for those found violating the law in this regard about the Charles street bridge, up and down Ewitt's run and elsewhere.

The last patient has been discharged from "Camp Washington," and the smallpox, as far as Charles Town is concerned, we think is now a thing entirely of the past. The favorable condition at so early a date, without more serious results, is especially due to Mayor Washington, the Board of Health and our corporate authorities, backed by our County Court, to all of whom much credit is due.

At the meeting of the Town Council last night, Corporation Attorney J. F. Engle gave an able and elaborate opinion showing conclusively that the Council had the undoubted power to make a levy sufficient to cover the extraordinary expenses incurred by the late smallpox visitation as well as the regular expenses for the current year; whereas the levy for 1900 was laid at 80 cents on each \$100 of real or personal property, with capitation tax at \$2.

A few days ago we asked our friend Sing Kee, the genial Chinese landyman in Charles Town, who had what the "Boxers" were, when he replied: "Like-a-South, like-a-New-Ticket, turn-em-out." We do not infer from this that our "New Ticket" friends in Jefferson are anything like the "Boxers," but the reply was evidently the best illustration our celestial townsman could give of those whom he wished to show in his own country were in opposition to the party in power.

In conversation several days ago with Col. R. P. Chew, of the State Board of Equalization, that gentleman called our attention to the fact that of all the immense products of coal and oil in West Virginia, the amount of revenue to the State from this source is almost absolutely nothing. These articles are taxed as personal property, and only such little amounts as happen to be on hand on the 1st of April of each year are taxed. The output in these products in West Virginia is immense, and that on hand one day, which may be made a very reduced quantity if so desired, is but a small proportion of what is annually developed of the latent wealth of the State. And which should in all justice bear its proportionate burden of taxation, along with the property of the farmer, the merchant and the manufacturer. A permanent State Board of Equalization might, to great benefit if charged with the duty of looking after and recommending laws to meet the requirements of such cases.

Outrageous Act in Charles Town.

Little Willie Smith Assaulted and Robbed in the Telegraph and Telephone Office.

A daring and outrageous act was committed in the Western Union Telegraph and Winchester Telephone office in this place on Thursday night last. The office is in the north end of the Law Library Building, just in rear of the court-house, and within a block of the business center of the town. Mr. J. W. Kyle, the chief operator, had left the office in charge of little Willie Smith, a bright little lad of about fourteen years of age, and Willie says that at a quarter of ten, when he had just taken a letter at the table, a sack of cloth was thrown over his face, and a piece of telephone cord hooked around his neck, and at about the same time he felt a stinging blow back of the head. This was all he knew until ten minutes after then, when he recovered consciousness sufficient to telephone for Wm. Neil, who immediately came and summoned others to his relief. His pocket-book was found in the rear room, where the robber or robbers had found ingress and egress, minus seven dollars and some cents which had been stolen therefrom.

Salvation Army in Charles Town.

A large corps of the Salvation Army is to enter Charles Town to-day for the purpose of beginning a series of meetings here. The corps consists of Adjutant J. Kemp and a dozen others, including three ladies—Miss Terrell and three Jones sisters. They will pitch a tent on the north side of the B. & O. R. R., and hold their meetings there. A clipping from the Piedmont Herald sent us says: "Those who have read of the work of the Salvation Army in the slums of our great cities and know of the good they have accomplished, not only in a religious sense, but in procuring work for the unemployed and in various other ways, will not be surprised at the gentlemanly appearance and musical talent displayed by the band now in our midst, under the command of Adjutant Kemp. That gentleman conducted services in the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning and in St. John's M. E. church, South, at night, a very large congregation being in attendance. Monday night the entire band, 13 in number, assisted in the entertainment given for the benefit of the India famine fund. On Tuesday they pitched a large tent in the Orchard, where they have been holding services every night since, which have been well attended."

It is said that Mr. Horace C. Osbourn, of this place, will get from 60,000 to 70,000 bushels of peaches from his orchards on the mountain near Harper's Ferry, and that Mr. N. S. J. Strider's orchard at Uvilla will yield about 1,500 bushels.

There will be an excursion over the B. & O. R. R. to Island Park Wednesday, August 8, under the auspices of the Friendship Fire Co., of Winchester. Train will pass Charles Town, going at 8:45 a. m. Returning ticket will be good only on special train leaving Harper's Ferry at 6:30 p. m. same day. Round trip fare from Summit Point, 45 cts.; Charles Town, 25 cts.; Hallsiton, 20 cts.

White working on the additional track now being laid by the B. & O. Railroad between Shenandoah Junction and Engle's in this county, William Handright, of Kearneysville, was struck by engine 472, a yard engine at Shenandoah Junction, which came up on the opposite track, striking him in the back, hurling him to the air and landing him between the tracks. His collar bone was broken and his face badly cut and other parts of his body bruised.

The London Times of Wednesday prints a dispatch from Dr. G. E. Morrison, its Pekin correspondent, dated July 21, in which he enumerates fifty-one foreigners killed by the Chinese there, and says: "The wounded number 138, including Captain Halliday, severely; the American surgeon, Dr. Lippitt, severely, and Captain Meyers, all of whom are doing well." Dr. Lippitt, as is known, is a son of Dr. C. E. Lippitt, of Clarke, and a nephew of Dr. W. F. Lippitt, of this place, and there has been much concern about his welfare here.

Our good friend W. H. Martin, of Waynesville, Ill., who, it grieves us to say, still remains politically unconvinced from the error of his ways—in renewing his subscription to the SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON writes:

"This finds myself and family in the best of health; also we are having the best of crops so far this year in this country. Oats are making so to 70 bushels to the acre, wheat 20 to 25, hay crop fair, good crop of berries and fair crop of apples, with labor for all who want to work, at good wages. Hoping that you are getting ready to get in the Republican band wagon at once, I am Yours respectfully, 'W. H. MARTIN.'"

"Conditions in West Virginia," says Hon. John T. McGraw, "are vastly improved over those of four years ago, and the indications point strongly to Democratic victory. In 1896 such Democratic leaders as ex-Senator Camden and ex-Governor Fleming supported Palmer and Buckner, and aside from their personal efforts the moral influence of their refusal to support the regular Democratic nominees had a powerful weight throughout the State. This year these leaders are for the ticket and the party is united and harmonious. The only method by which the Republicans can carry the State is by the importation of negroes, and every precaution will be taken to prevent this being done."

Two young ladies of Washington City—Miss Mary Powell and Fannie Ball—summer visitors at Harper's Ferry, on Friday evening last hired a fine pair of horses and new turnout of Mr. E. S. Cummings and drove to Charles Town. Being turning to Harper's Ferry they drove over the bluff adjacent to the Hill-Top House, when by some means the horses became frightened, the young ladies were thrown or jumped from the buggy, and were slightly injured, and the horses became detached from the vehicle and went over the cliff and were killed. The horses were valued by Mr. Cummings at \$500, and we understand he will enter suit for the recovery of that amount, claiming that the accident was the result of the horses being struck by a whip in the hands of one of the ladies.

In Favor of Cruzer W. Smith.

At a special term of the Jefferson Circuit Court held here by Judge E. Boyd Faulkner last Tuesday, the most important case decided was that of Mr. D. C. Lee, of Clarksburg, W. Va., against Cruzer W. Smith, a prominent oil operator of this place. The case grows out of a controversy over mineral rights in a certain tract of land in Harrison county which was purchased by Smith of Lee several years ago. Mr. Lee first brought suit in 1895 in the Circuit Court of Harrison county, alleging that when he sold the tract of land to Mr. Smith he did not know the value of the minerals lying under the surface, but that he thought that Smith was familiar with them and purchased the land chiefly on that account. The case was decided against Lee in the Harrison County Circuit Court. Since that decision several oil wells have been sunk on the land by the Standard Oil Company, which are now producing thousands of barrels of oil, and Mr. Lee, feeling aggrieved at the small consideration for which he sold the land, instituted suit in February in this court, alleging substantially the same grounds for recovery as in the other case. The defendant filed a plea of judgment and exhibited with it the record in the Harrison county case. Judge Faulkner sustained the plea and dismissed the plaintiff's bill. Mr. Lee announced that he would take the case to the Supreme Court of the United States, and was given a suspending order for 60 days upon giving bond. The suit involves a large amount, as the supply of oil underlying the land increases with every well sunk and Mr. Lee contends that he should have a share of the profits. Mr. Smith is becoming rapidly rich.

Church Items.

Rev. Dr. C. N. Campbell preached at Hallsiton Sunday afternoon.

Rev. L. R. Milbourne will preach at Hallsiton next Sunday afternoon.

Rev. L. R. Milbourne will preach at Kabetown Thursday night, Aug. 10.

Rev. Dr. Wm M. Dame, of Baltimore, preached in Zion Episcopal Church Sunday morning.

Services in St. James' Catholic Church, Charles Town, on the 4th Sunday of each month, at 10:30 a. m.

Rev. J. Manning Dunaway, of Southwestern Virginia, will preach at the Leetown Baptist Church on Sunday, August 12, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Rev. F. A. Strother will fill his regular appointments next Sunday—Oakland at 10:30 a. m.; Leetown at 3:30 p. m.; and Middletown at 8 p. m.

There was one baptism at the Baptist Church last Sunday morning. An interesting Young People's service was held at night. Regular services next Sunday.

Everything will be in readiness for the camp meeting at Wheatland by next Sunday, and Rev. J. H. Watkins will preach there that night. The camp meeting begins August 17.

The District Conference for Winchester District, M. E. Church South, will be held at Summit Point, beginning August 14 and continuing three days. Opening sermon at 11 a. m.

The Second Quarterly Meeting for Jefferson Circuit, M. E. Church South, will be held at Middletown, Aug. 25-26; Shepherdstown, (Marvin Chapel), Sept. 2-3; Shenandoah Junction, (Manning's), Sept. 9; Charles Town, Sept. 9-10.

The Methodist Sunday school of Uvilla will hold their annual picnic August 11. The school in session extended a unanimous invitation to the Lutheran Sunday school at Uvilla and the Bethesda and Bakerton Sunday schools to join them.

Dr. W. W. Smith, Chancellor of the Republic-Mason system of Colleges and Academies, will speak at the M. E. Church South in this place on Sunday morning next, at 11 a. m., and at Bethany at 8 p. m. He will also speak at Bakerton Saturday evening, at 8 p. m. Public cordially invited.

A woods meeting for Jefferson Circuit, M. E. Church South, will be held in Mr. Higginbotham's woods, at Wheatland, beginning Friday, August 17. Opening sermon at 8 p. m., and meeting continuing ten days. Accommodations for men and beast upon application. Board provided by the day at \$1 per day.

The Epworth League Mass Meeting will be held in Mr. J. B. Watson's grove at Middletown last Sunday was favored with fine weather, and the exercises—including addresses, recitations and music—were highly interesting throughout. The attendance on Sunday was especially large. Messrs T. M. Baker and G. M. Slifer, of this place, added with their cornets to the effectiveness of the sweet choir music.

Quite a Camp Meeting.

The meeting at Wheatland, Aug. 17-27, bids fair to become quite a camp meeting. Up to the present eight tent sites have been taken and a good many other persons are talking of tenting. The grounds, which are admirably adapted for such purposes, have been partially prepared. The stand, seats, etc., have been put up, and there will be an awning 35x50 feet to protect the congregation. Any persons desiring to tent or take board on the ground should write at once to the pastor, Rev. F. A. Strother, Summit Point, W. Va. We regret to say that while the N. & W. R. will sell excursion tickets to the meeting from Luray and intermediate stations to the camp ground, it will not sell them from points north of the camp ground; but the cost from Charles Town up is a mere trifle.

Editor Clifford, in his colored organ, the Pioneer Press, says:

"On the front page of this issue we publish an opinion of 'The Colored Race' by a correspondent of the SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON, of Charles Town. It abounds in kind words in reference to our race, and verifies what we have always said; i. e., that Jefferson county is kinder to Negroes than any other county in West Virginia. One of our said county have done everything they could to stamp out the small pox, and make easy the suffering of the victims, and for efficacy of service, they are now in the hospital, showing that their efforts were meriting. Mayor Washington, and Dr. Billings, of the Shore Hospital, and the citizens of Jefferson county, should be honored and revered for their services in this regard. It is not only every Negro in Charles Town, but by those of West Virginia. Many things were done to make the Negroes feel safe, and the most magnanimous one was the closing of all the white churches because the Negro churches had to be closed."

They Have Dug Him Up.

The sensational story from Charles Town to a Winchester paper suggesting that Mr. Henry Otty was buried beneath Mr. Joseph W. Faulkner's straw stack on Col. G. W. Z. Black's place was a bubble that burst a bubble. Colonel Black knew nothing about it Thursday, and furthermore Mr. Otty's moving about as usual minus a straw stack for a headgear—unless the straw that he sometimes wears be called a "straw stack." The above is from the esteemed SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON at Charles Town, and the Winchester paper referred to was the Evening Star. Mysteries are mysteries until they are cleared up. As the publication was made Mr. Otty was missing and the fact that he has subsequently turned up is no ground for branding an article as sensational. The further fact that Colonel Black didn't know what was going on upon one of his farms is a mere indication that that gentleman makes only a superficial overseer and should watch his interest closer. In digging Mr. Otty out from under that straw stack The Star welcomes him back to life and can say to him that he owes his life to the SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON, as he was to all intents and purposes dead so far as this newspaper was concerned.

There was something pathetic in the thought that Mr. Otty, overcome by the hot weather, had crawled into a straw stack and as he lay down to rest had been covered up by the straw from the patent self-stacker. It was a majestic and awe-inspiring reflection to think of the colossal and unique monument erected over Mr. Otty's last resting place and that he would be safe from the prying eyes of the world, at least until spring when Colonel Black would take what was left of the high straw-rick to scatter over his fields. But by the premature raking out of the straw rick of poor Mr. Otty before his time was ripe, the SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON has spoiled a pretty story, an enchanting romance and an important mystery. Mr. Otty is with us once again, but the romance editor of The Star has been fired.—Winchester Star.

\$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to hear that there is at least one drugged disease that science has been able to cure in all stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the joint action of the disease, and building up the system, and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for free literature. Address: Dr. J. C. Watson, Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are best.

Liquid granite, best floor finish made, both in point of appearance and durability of finish. C. N. COLEMAN.

Joseph Carlo Zombro, son of Wm. P. and Maggie Zombro. Born Oct. 4, 1890. Died Aug. 2, 1900.

The little crib is empty now. A father's love, a mother's joy, In death's cold arms do lie.

Go in His wisdom hath revealed The need His love and mercy felt, But while the body slumbers here, Thy spirit is safe in Heaven.

By father and mother.

PROPOSAL TO MARRIED LADIES.

Please announce that we are sending, postpaid and free of charge, an elegant sterling silver-plated sugar set, such as we sell regularly at 40c each to every married lady in the United States who writes for it. There is nothing to pay. The gift is absolute. Each lady will send her own name only, as this is too valuable a gift to send to persons who do not ask for it. We give choice of any of our 40c designs, and will send illustrations from which selection may be made. Our object is to advertise Quaker Valley silverware. We believe that the most effective way of doing this is to get samples into the homes of the people. Ladies, please write to-day. State that it is your first request for one of our souvenir silver-plated sets. Quaker Valley, Mfg. Co., Morgan and Harrison Sts., Chicago, July 17-01.

Excursions to Atlantic City.

Cape May, Sea Isle City and Ocean City, N. J., Ocean City, Md., and Rehoboth Beach, Del. AT VERY LOW RATES. Thursday, June 28, July 12 and 26 August 9 and 23.

The Baltimore and Ohio R. R. have arranged a series of Popular Season Excursions to be run on Thursdays, June 28, July 12 and 26, August 9 and 23, to Atlantic City, Cape May, Sea Isle City, Ocean City, N. J., Galesville, Md., and Rehoboth Beach, Del. Tickets will be good sixteen (16) days, including date of sale.

Stop-overs will be allowed on the return trip to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington on tickets sold to New Jersey resorts, and at Baltimore and Washington on tickets sold to Ocean City, Md., and Rehoboth Beach, Del.

For tickets, time of trains, sleeping and parlor car accommodations, call on or address nearest Ticket Agent Baltimore & Ohio R. R. for full information.

Items of Interest.

King Victor Emmanuel III has succeeded King Humbert on the Italian throne.

W. M. O. Dawson has been re-elected chairman of the Republican State Central Committee.

Hon. Wm. A. MacCorkle is a Democratic candidate for the legislature in Kanawha county.

The allied troops began the advance Wednesday from Tientsin to Peking, and the Japanese met a reverse.

Munaf-el-Din, Shah of Persia, narrowly escaped assassination while riding in the streets of Paris, Thursday.

Earl Henshaw, a young man of Berkeley county, was drowned in the Potomac, near Falling Waters, last Wednesday.

Died at "Oakland," near Shepherdstown, on Monday, July 30, Mrs. Martha J. Foll, aged 72 years, 6 months and 7 days.

After having been ill but three days, little Mary Matilda, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Haines, died this morning at the home of her parents, 204 South Main street. The remains will be taken to Luray tomorrow, where the funeral service will take place. The little one was three months of age and was taken ill last Tuesday morning. Spinal meningitis rapidly developed and death ensued at 7:45 o'clock this morning. [Winchester Star, Aug. 3.]

Summer Colds

are noted for hanging on. They weaken your throat and lungs, and lead to serious trouble.

Don't trifle with them. Take Scott's Emulsion at once. It soothes, heals, and cures.

50c and \$1. All druggists.

Mr. Joseph B. Feagans and Miss Ella Whittington, of Frederick Co. were married at the Baptist parsonage Thursday, the 4th inst., by Rev. L. R. Milbourne.

Dr. J. H. Bishop will present the Bryan and Stevenson Club of Charles Town with a lithograph picture of the national candidate, handsomely framed.

Married, at the Watson House in this place, on Wednesday, August 1, 1900, by Rev. H. H. Kennedy, Mr. James Ernest Fowler to Miss Annie E. Horner—both of Castleman's Ferry, Va.

We are requested to announce the "greatest game of the season" between Col. J. H. Henshaw and the "Cyclones" of Charles Town and the Front Royal club—to come off here on Thursday next, at 2:30 p. m.

Mr. D. D. Doyle, of Huntington, W. Va., has favored us with a sample photo button of our next Governor, Hon. John H. Holt.

We wish to secure agents for his sale, and will be glad to hear from parties desiring to handle them.

Baltimore & Ohio R. Y. Bulletin.

SPECIAL RATES TO VAH'S POINTS. ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Very Low Rates for special excursions June 28, July 12 and 26, the first of each of these dates.

CHICAGO, ILL.—G. A. R. National Encampment, Aug. 27-Sept. 1. One fare for the round trip. Tickets good going Aug. 25 to 27, good to return until Aug. 31, inclusive. Full information furnished by ticket agent.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of letters remaining in the Postoffice at Charles Town, Jefferson county, W. Va., on Saturday last:

Ray, M. P. Compton, Ben R. Dutton, J. B. Fied, Wm. Gilbert, Miss Martha M. Auger, Miss Josephine Hansford, Miss Neva M. Hallett, Rev. D. S. Hammond (3), Edward Johnson, David L. E. Street, Ed. S. Shanton, David Thompson, Thos. Townsend, Rev. Basil Tyler, John Weber, B. T. Weeks.

The above letters, if not called for within fifteen days, will be sent to the dead letter office. Persons calling for them will please say that they are advertised.

L. D. GETTELDANER, B. M.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of

Uncle Sam's Foot Baths. The Hot Springs of Arkansas are owned by the U. S. Government and have an endorsement of a cure of rheumatism, malaria, nervous troubles, chronic and functional ailments and a score more of human ills. The climate of Hot Springs is cool & delightful in summer, owing to its elevation among the Ozark Mountains, and is the best time for treatment. Write for literature for all classes. Write Bureau of Information, Hot Springs, for illustrated book giving full information.

For renewed excursion tickets and particulars of the trip, see local agent or address W. A. Park, Gen'l. Pass. Agt., Souths. A. Ry., Washington, D. C.

CUSTOM GARMENT MAKING.

I wish to inform my friends and the public generally that I have moved in the new room now being fitted up for me in the Hagley building (a few doors from Racket store) about April 1st. I anticipate a very large spring trade, and will use my best efforts to raise and maintain the standard of custom garment making to the highest level possible, in order to counteract the many spurious imitations of legitimate tailoring that have been foisted upon the public. As to my new samples for the coming season, it is hardly necessary for me to dwell on them. All I can say is that I used the very best ability and matured experience in selecting a complete assortment of styles and qualities. I promise you also in the future, as in the past, the same courteous and liberal treatment, and last, but not least, a perfect fit. Yours &c., C. E. RINKINER.

McELREE'S Wine of Cardui

It brings health to the womanly organism, and health there means well-poised nerves, calmness, strength, it restores womanly vigor and power. It tones up the nerves which suffer from disease and disease has altered. It is the most perfect remedy ever devised to restore weak women to perfect health, and to make them attractive and happy. \$1.00 at all druggists.

For advice in cases requiring special directions, address, giving symptoms, to The Ladies' Advice Department, The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

W. A. STANLEY, Camden, N. C., says: "I used Wine of Cardui at home for falling of the womb and it entirely cured her."

MAX T. DORE, Hagley's Corner, has in stock one of the finest lines of shoes in this section, and is selling them for 50c to 75c per pair. Ladies' shoes from \$1 up to \$8, and men's and boys shoes from \$1 up to \$4.50.

From Highland Hill.

Mrs. Birdie V. Cartmell, who has been quite sick, is convalescing.

Mr. Ches S. Roberts, of Pittsburg, Pa., will spend his vacation with his aunt, Mrs. Cartmell, the latter part of this month.

An appropriate and interesting sermon was delivered at Beulah Sunday afternoon, by Rev. J. H. Watkins.

Mr. Geo W. Colbert has a turkey gobbler that can jump six or seven feet straight up and grab crab apples from a tree.

Another remarkable thing—he has a guinea and a turkey hen continually in company with each other. They roost together and roam together, and the guinea feeds the turkey and the turkey feeds the guinea. Mr. Colbert says he never heard of anything of that kind during his lifetime of farming.

Order of Publication.

The State of West Virginia, Jefferson county, to-wit:

At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Jefferson county, the first Monday in August, 1900.

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, Plaintiff, vs. ROBERT CARTER, W. A. Creamer, E. H. Davenport, C. S. Gadsden, T. C. Hartman, M. Johnson, Thomas A. Locke, W. W. Moore, Ernest Weinmer, C. B. Eise, Defendants.

OBJECT OF SUIT.

The object of this suit is to sell under decree of Court the real estate owned by the defendants and returned delinquent for no. 10—payable 1/2 of taxes for years 1898 and 1899 and 1/2 of taxes purchased by the State of West Virginia.

The number of tracts sought to be sold in this proceeding in which non-residents are interested, as owners are as follows:

Lots on the sub-division of the Charles Town Mining, Manufacturing and Improvement Company in and near Charles Town, as shown by the plat of said sub-division on record in the Clerk's Office of the County Court, First Robert O. Carter, Lot 3 in Block 12, 33 feet by 125 feet.

Warren Creamer, Lot 84 in Block 2, 20 feet by 125 feet.

E. H. Davenport, Lot 6 in Block 1, 6 feet by 125 feet, and 10 feet by 125 feet on one side and 150 feet on the other side.

C. S. Gadsden, Lot 13 in Block 10, 30 feet by 125 feet; Lot 14 in Block 10, 25 feet by 125 feet; Lot 15, Block 16, 35 feet by 125 feet; Lot 16, Block 16, 35 feet by 125 feet; Lot 17, Block 16, 35 feet by 125 feet; Lot 18, Block 16, 35 feet by 125 feet; Lot 19, Block 16, 35 feet by 125 feet; Lot 20, Block 16, 35 feet by 125 feet; Lot 21, Block 16, 35 feet by 125 feet; Lot 22, Block 16, 35 feet by 125 feet; Lot 23, Block 16, 35 feet by 125 feet; Lot 24, Block 16, 35 feet by 125 feet; Lot 25, Block 16, 35 feet by 125 feet; Lot 26, Block 16, 35 feet by 125 feet; Lot 27