

HUNTER'S HUNTING.

What Pretty Blue Eyes Saw and Heard.

Hunter's, S. C., Aug. 5, 1895. Quite a number of our young folks attended the picnic near Caboun's Mill, Saturday...

FARM AND GARDEN.

OBSERVATIONS AND EXPERIENCES IN LIFE ON THE FARM.

The Various Clovers and Their Several Requirements—A Sketch of the Crimson Clover About Which Differing Opinions Were Expressed Last Season.

Alfalfa, otherwise known as Lucerne, requires a rich, deep soil, and in such will produce several crops every season.



CRIMSON CLOVER.

Alfalfa resembles in growth, duration, etc., the red clover. It thrives well in cold, wet and stiff soils.

Kidney vetch, or sand clover, is a deep rooted, herbaceous, hardy perennial plant, valuable for dry sands and inferior soils.

Red clover is a perennial but of very few years' duration. It is nutritious and valuable in moist locations.

There is an immense quantity of fruit this year. This community is blessed with prayer meeting every Saturday night, and Sabbath School every Sabbath morning at Beulah...

Twelve on Dresses. "It's going to be a beautiful party, mother. There are to be twelve girls, and each one is to have a fairy lamp at her plate."

"O mother, just she would feel queer. I offered to lend her a dress (I knew you would let me), but she wouldn't take it."

"I like her all the better for that," said the mother. "But, Mildred, did you offer to wear your old dress too? Maybe that would make her willing to go."

"O mother, I don't want to do that!" "Very well," said Mrs. Smith kindly. "I won't say any more about it."

"You won't mind having us in old dresses, will you, Mary?" asked Mildred in a joyous tone. "We're going to carry big bunches of flowers out of my garden, and that will make us look fine, you know."

"Mind, indeed?" cried Mary. "I just believe—" She stopped short off, and kissing the two little girls, hurried away with out finishing her sentence.

But when the twelve fairy lamps were lighted, Mildred and Belle found out what bright idea had struck Mary, for all twelve little girls wore old dresses and carried bunches of flowers.

"Now, I'm never going to mind about my old dresses again," said Belle as she kissed the others good-bye. "You may all wear the newest sort of dresses after this, and when I put on my old white I will feel happy to think how sweet you all were to me about it. I'll just love the old things."

The following specimen of curious punctuation are given by the Printer's Register, or Brooklyn: "A man was felled by a railroad car running in at Boston, supposed to be dead."

"A man writes: 'We have decided to erect a school house large enough to accommodate five hundred scholars, five stories high.' A geography has this: 'Albany has one hundred houses and four hundred inhabitants, all standing with their gable ends to the street.'"

"On a certain steamer this notice was printed: 'Hereafter the tickets shall be twenty five cents. Children half price. To be had at the office.' A newspaper describing the doings of the convention at Cleveland, said: 'The procession was very fine, and nearly two miles long, as was also the prayer of Dr. Perry, the chaplain.'"

"S. S. Classmate. Prayer is a closing of the eyes on things seen, and opening them on things unseen. It is penitence vocal, faith making its profession, and love kindling into a flame. It is a heart brought to the altar, a flower opening to the benignant eye of heaven. It is a putting off of the shoes at Horeb. It is a walk to Emmaus. It is to be present in the upper chamber, to sit quietly by the Saviour's side, lean the head on his bosom, and feel the beating of Immanuel's heart."

Do to day's duty, fight to-day's temptation, and do not weaken and distract you by looking forward to things which cannot see, and count not understand if you saw them. —Charles Kinsley.

The Old Testament contains thirty-nine books, 929 chapters, 23,214 verses 593, 493 words and 2,728,000 letters.

About Geographical Names.

We have become so accustomed to calling the proper names in our geographical over our tongues as glibly as we do our own, that few of us ever stop to think how much of history, political, natural, and religious is wrapped up in a few syllables.

How many towns do you know that end in "burg," or "borough?" Take for the first one Edinburgh, for instance; how came it by that name instead of Stumptown or Hardscrabble?

Let us take "burgh" out of the name first. "Burgh" means in England and Scotland a corporate town. All the English towns that end in "berry" or "burrow," "burr," "burr," etc., have that ending from "burgh," in the German it means a castle or fortified town. So much for our "burgh." Then, in Edinburgh, it means the castle or town of whom or what? Here "Edin" is only "Edin" shortened, and Edinburgh, the town of Edin.

Taking this one as a model, the study becomes easy and interesting. Augsburg is in the town of Augustus. Wurzberg is the town of herbs, or Herb-town. Aalborg is the town of eels, or Eel-town. Canterbury is the town or city of Kent. If you want to know what Marborough means, dig into the soil and turn up the marl.

So far we are getting on famously; but suppose you take next the town of Schwarzenberg; if the front part of this name means black, then must the town be Blacktown? No; for here comes an exception. The "berg" towns are named from a German word which means mountain, instead of town or castle, and so Schwarzenberg is "Black Mountain town" and not Blacktown. How many others can you think of ending with "berg?"

Newberg, New Mountain town; Adelsberg, Noble's hill.

There is another word that has got into a great many of our names of places, which, when you have found it out, really constitutes a part of the ecclesiastical history of the world. Take the name Dunkirk, for instance; there is a Scotch word "dun," which means a hill or a fort on a hill.

"Kirch" or "kirk" is church. Dunkirk, then, becomes a church on a hill. Kirby is another name thus derived. "By" is another Scotch word for town, and "kirk" is an abbreviation of "kirk;" hence Kirby becomes Churchtown. Any name in which you can find the syllable "kir" is likely to point out the location of an ancient church.—Selected.

Kindness at Home. What does kindness do at home? It makes the mother's lullaby sweeter than the song of the lark, the care-laden brow of the father and the man of business less severe in their expression, and the children joyous without being riotous. Abroad, it assists the fallen, encourages the virtuous, and looks with charity on the unfortunate.

Potato Experiments. Of 122 varieties and seedlings of the potato tested the past season at the Wisconsin station, the following ten were most productive, yielding in the order named: Seedling from C. E. Angell, Rose Beauty, Monarch, Duplex, Late Beauty of Hebron, Mullaly, Alexander's Prolific, Seneca Red Jacket, White Beauty of Hebron and Wisconsin Beauty. Placed in the order of their table quality, these varieties would rank as follows: Alexander's Prolific, White Beauty of Hebron, Late Beauty of Hebron, Duplex, Monarch, Wisconsin Beauty, Seneca Red Jacket, Rose Beauty, Mullaly, seedling from C. E. Angell. Both with cuttings and whole tubers, the largest merchantable yield came from the heaviest seedling, though the increase of merchantable yield was by no means in proportion to the increase of seed. The proportion of small potatoes increased with the increase of seed. The smaller whole potatoes give inferior results to the smaller cuttings. Two single eyes in a hill yielded decidedly more than one, without a corresponding increase in small potatoes. No loss in yield followed planting in hills as compared with drills. The results were clearly opposed to cutting off the "seed end" of the potato before planting. No advantage followed sprinkling the cuttings with land plaster before planting.

An Ingenious Contrivance. A Wisconsin farmer, A. K. M. Pomeroy by name, sent to The Farm Journal not long ago the drawing, here reproduced, of a reel for use in building or moving barb or plain wire fence. It takes two to operate it—one to guide and one to

turn the reel. The cut is so plain it needs little explanation. The uprights are braced by iron rods, and a peg put through one of the standards prevents both the wheel and the reel from revolving.

Mr. Pomeroy facetiously remarks: "If you do not want it yourself you can lend it to the neighbors. Mine goes all around the neighborhood."

Oats Worthy of Trial. Of the large number of varieties of oats tried at the Illinois agricultural experiment station, the so-called "rust proof" red or dun colored varieties from Texas gave the largest yield in 1890, but the smallest yield in 1889. Among the white varieties the Early Dakota and Pringle's Progress gave the largest yields. Of the black varieties Black Russian and New Dakota Gray stood first, with Black Highlander next in order.

A Word About Timothy Seed. From careful germination tests made by Professor Goff, of the Wisconsin station, it has been found that the hulled grains of timothy seed neither germinate so well nor retain their vitality so long as those not hulled; also that timothy seed, when properly stored, is fairly reliable up to five years old.

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Election Notice.



The State of South Carolina, COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD at the several voting precincts in Abbeville County on the

Third Tuesday in August (20th) for the purpose of electing SIX DELEGATES TO THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

The election to be held in accordance with an Act calling the Constitutional Convention passed by the General Assembly in 1894.

The Board of Managers should meet and organize by electing one of their number chairman and some suitable person as clerk.

Every male citizen of the United States and of this State of the age of twenty-one years not laboring under the disabilities named in the Constitution of this State, and duly qualified to vote under the existing laws of the State, and duly registered as now required by law, or who having been entitled to register as a voter at the time of the general registration of electors in our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, or at any time subsequent thereto, failed to register at such time as required by law, or who has become a citizen of this State and who shall register as hereinafter provided in such cases, shall be entitled to vote for delegates to said Convention.

The polls shall be open at eight o'clock in the forenoon and closed at four o'clock in the afternoon and kept open continuously without intermission or adjournment, and the managers shall administer to each person offering to vote an oath that he is qualified to vote at this election according to the constitution and laws of this State, and that he has not voted at this election.

At each precinct a space or enclosure such as the managers shall deem proper and sufficient shall be raised off or otherwise provided with an opening for the entrance of the voter at one end or side and an opening at the other for his exit, as a polling place. But one voter shall be allowed to enter any polling place at one time, and no one except the managers shall be allowed to speak to the voter while in the polling place casting his vote.

Any neglect or refusal to perform the duties imposed upon managers is punishable by fine of not more than one thousand dollars or imprisonment for not more than one year.

In case of the failure of any of the managers to attend, any one or more managers are authorized to appoint other persons to fill and complete the Board of Managers.

The following is a list of the respective polling places and managers at the respective polling places, to-wit:

ABBEVILLE. J. L. McMillan, J. S. Cochrane, Jno. L. Hill.

MT. CARMEL. W. L. Miller, R. A. Crawford, S. C. Riley.

BRADLEY. A. J. Pounds, G. P. Hughes, Jno. Young.

TRÖY. F. A. Cook, R. A. Crawford, R. R. Puckett.

M'CORMICK. Thos. A. Box, J. F. Edwards, Jess Jennings.

CLATWORTHY'S X ROADS. Alf. Lyon, Jno. Brown, Jim Crawford.

HODGES. J. D. Pace, C. W. Rainwater, W. R. Mundy.

COKEBURY. G. B. Riley, S. C. Merriman, E. C. Connor.

GREENWOOD. P. D. Klugh, J. W. Fife, J. M. Majors.

NINETY-SIX. T. C. Thomas, W. T. Hill, A. W. Hill.

DONALDS. L. A. Shannon, Jno. Austin, E. S. Waldrop.

DUE WEST. M. S. Ashley, Jno. Magill, A. R. Ellis.

ANTREVILLE. J. H. Power, Lamar Clinkscales, S. B. Knox.

LOWNESVILLE. J. G. Thomas, C. L. Drennan, T. B. Clinkscales.

MAGNOLIA. Robert Hester, R. O. Bell, Jno. Sprouss.

LONG CANE. D. C. Calvert, D. P. Hannah, W. E. Morrison.

WILLINGTON. S. F. Bradley, S. S. McBride, J. H. Hemminger.

The managers should deliver their boxes, books, roll lists, etc., to the commissioners at the Court House at Abbeville the day following the election.

J. E. JONES, Chairman. T. J. ELLIS, W. A. LANIER.

Commissioners of Election for Abbeville county. Abbeville, S. C., July 31, 1895.

When the School Commissioner will be in his Office. I WILL BE IN THE SCHOOL Commissioner's office on Saturdays, except the 1st Saturday in each month, and also on Saturdays and other public days during the present fiscal year, for the purpose of transacting the business of the office. W. T. MILLFORD, School Commissioner, A. C. Jan. 25, 1895.

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Township Commissioners will see that this notice is strictly complied with. Any road reported to this office after the date named will receive prompt attention.

JNO LYON, Supervisor. J. L. McMILLAN, Secretary. July 24, 1895.

Port Royal and Western Carolina R. R. Augusta and Asheville Short Line. J. B. CLEVELAND, Receiver. Schedule in Effect June 22, 1895. Eastern Time.

Lv Augusta..... 9 40 am 8 00 pm Ar Greenwood..... 12 10 pm 12 30 am Ar Greenville..... 2 00 pm Ar Laurens..... 3 15 pm Ar Anderson..... 4 05 pm Ar Spartanburg..... 5 15 pm Ar Seneca..... 6 45 pm Ar Hebronville..... 7 15 pm Ar Abbeville..... 8 00 am Ar Hendersonville..... 9 03 am Ar Saluda..... 10 01 am Ar Spartanburg..... 11 45 am Ar Greenville..... 1 15 pm Ar Laurens..... 2 30 pm Ar Anderson..... 3 20 pm Ar Greenwood..... 4 35 pm Ar Augusta..... 5 05 pm 5 30 am

Lv Greenwood..... 12 45 am 2 31 pm Ar Elberton..... 2 04 pm 4 01 pm Ar Laurens..... 3 19 pm 5 16 pm Ar Atlanta..... 4 09 pm 6 30 pm

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11 48pm 3 03pm Lv Athens Ar 3 08pm 3 40am 12 37am 4 01pm Ar Elberton Lv 2 01pm 2 31am 2 29am 4 27pm Ar Laurens Lv 1 51pm 1 21am 1 42am 4 58pm Ar Wata Lv 1 51pm 1 21am 1 55am 4 49pm Ar Shops Lv 1 16pm 1 30am 1 52pm 4 55pm Ar Abbeville Lv 1 16pm 1 30am 2 15am 5 05pm Ar Cana Lv 1 00pm 1 10am 1 55am 4 49pm Ar Salak Lv 12 56pm 1 26am 2 41am 5 24pm Ar Greenwood Lv 12 48pm 1 28am 2 43am 5 17pm 2 49am 5 36pm Ar Lora Lv 12 34pm 1 24pm 3 30am 6 08pm Ar Clinton Lv 12 30pm 1 20pm 3 26am 6 04pm Ar Monroe Lv 9 33am 9 00pm 10 25am 9 45pm Ar Charlotte Lv 5 50pm 7 50pm 7 48am 9 48pm Ar Wadesboro Lv 8 57am 8 11pm 8 30am 10 30pm Ar Hamlet Lv 7 54am 7 10pm 12 43pm 7 50am Ar Wilmington Lv 7 30pm 3 45pm 9 40am 11 21pm Ar So. Piss Lv 7 10am 6 27pm 10 30am 12 05am Ar Sanford Lv 6 28am 5 31pm 11 52am 1 25am Ar Clinton Lv 5 17am 4 22pm 11 42pm 2 38am Ar Henderson Lv 4 10am 1 52pm 3 12pm 4 05am Ar Weldon Lv 2 45am 11 54am 5 50pm 7 30am Ar Norfolk Lv 9 00pm 5 17am 5 51pm 6 00am Ar Petersburg Lv 12 55pm 9 56am 4 23pm 6 40am Ar Richmond Lv 12 28pm 9 6am 11 10pm 10 45am Ar Washington Lv 8 40pm 4 30am 12 45pm 10 05pm Ar Baltimore Lv 7 51pm 4 24am 3 45am 2 20pm Ar Philadelphia Lv 5 17am 1 17pm 6 53am 4 05pm Ar New York Lv 5 20pm 9 00pm

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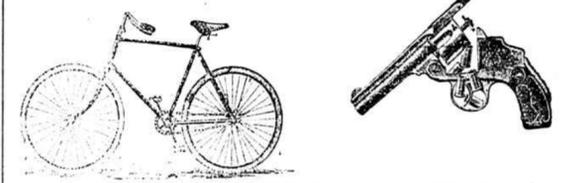
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