

A FEW GOOD WORDS.

It is not generally the desire or wish of the Gazette to intermeddle in the political or business affairs of our sister State of Mississippi, but knowing the gentleman so well, and for so many years, and knowing his capabilities as an active, energetic worker as an office man, we cannot refrain from recommending Mr. Henry B. Gaither, of Natchez, for appointment of him as postmaster of that city by President-elect Wilson, when he assumes the duties of the high office, and comes to make his appointments amongst the Democrats to the varied offices that will be necessary to be filled.

Mr. Gaither is, and has been a true and tried Democrat, and his fitness for the appointment to the office for which he is a candidate is too well known for us to refer to at any great length.

As an office man, he has had much experience in responsible capacities; he is ever active, careful, and obliging in the discharged of all the duties that he has been called upon to perform. For a number of years he was the Tax Assessor and Collector of the city of Natchez, and discharged the exacting, arduous and responsible duties of that office in a most careful, painstaking manner, and appeared to have given full satisfaction to the taxpayers of that city, whose properties he was called upon to assess, and also to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, by whom he was chosen, once, and by the voters who gave him another term.

The Gazette believes it can safely say that the appointment of Mr. Gaither would give general satisfaction, and in him Uncle Sam would have a good, reliable, faithful and painstaking public servant.

As to Free Sugar.

MOLANESVILLE, LA., Feb. 10, 1913.
 Editor Tensas Gazette,
 St. Joseph, La.

DEAR SIR—Having occasion to appreciate the liberal and sound views of your columns, I take the liberty to invade them, and offer a few remarks.

That some of our country newspapers should ever about "free sugar," with no other reasons than that of shouting, is beyond my comprehension, from the fact that free sugar, in the past, has failed to cheapen sugar to the real (retail) consumer.

I have wondered why, every time it became necessary for a delegation of sugar planters to go to Washington to present views why the tariff should not be disturbed, that of the many positive reasons advanced no mention is made of the market that existed during the bounty system. If my memory serves me right, I recall a 1 3/4 cent market for open pan sugar, and above 2 cent for Vacuum Pan yellows. Adding the bounty to this price, sugar brought the planters a fraction over 4 cents. Does that not prove what the planters could expect with free trade sugar? With no bounty and no tariff, the question answers itself, as to what would happen to the planters.

Now back to bounty days. When the planter sold his sugar for 2 cents and received 2 cents from the government, who bought that sugar?—the refiners! Let us turn the files of the market for standard granulated, in those days, and see the quotations. Did the consumer get the benefit of the two cents which were paid the planter?—he did not! The only beneficiary that I can figure out is the big refiner, sometimes nick-named the "Sugar Trust." The masses paid as much for that "breakfast table sugar" as they do now. Sugar is one of the necessities of life that has not contributed to the high cost of living; it has remained within the reach of all, steadily, and has gone up in price accidentally, that is when the supply has been affected by the growing seasons, a condition which overtakes all agricultural products occasionally.

Mr. Milling's presentation of our cause was one of the most able that has ever been presented to the Ways and Means; still I imagine that reference to the price of sugar to the consumer, in the days of free trade and bounty, would have served to prove that sugar sold at retail at a price nearly as at present; that the consumer gained practically nothing; that the buyer of our 2 cent sugar had a "padding" and Uncle Sam paid for the cake.

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RAILROAD NOTES.

The Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain has added another commissioner of Agriculture to its force. Heretofore Mr. L. R. Markham with headquarters at Little Rock, Ark., has been commissioner of agriculture for the system. He will remain commissioner of agriculture for the Iron Mountain Lines and retain his headquarters at Little Rock, but Mr. George K. Andrews has been appointed commissioner of agriculture with supervision over the lines of the Missouri Pacific proper. His headquarters will be in St. Louis.

Mr. Markham is one of the best known experts in the country in his line and was for several years in the employ of the Department of Agriculture of the United States Government.

Mr. Andrews is a man who has made a very thorough study of scientific farming and agriculture for a number of years. His addition to the force of the Missouri Pacific is in keeping with the policy of President B. F. Bush to help improve agricultural conditions along the track's of the company by teaching the tillers of the soil scientific methods of farming and conserving moisture. With one man to devote his entire time to the Missouri Pacific lines and the other confining himself to the territory traversed by the Iron Mountain tracks, President Bush hopes to obtain most excellent results in teaching the farmers how to make their lands more productive and lucrative. The railroad company will, of course, eventually derive its benefit from increased tonnage brought about by the larger crops.

To the Public:

On the solicitation of Dr. E. M. Ranck, I have located here to practice Veterinary Medicine. Am a graduate of the Chicago Veterinary College, and can practice here and in Louisiana.

At the present time my office will be at A. H. Bernstein's Stable on Main Street. Phone No. 881.

E. H. BUIE, M. D. C.
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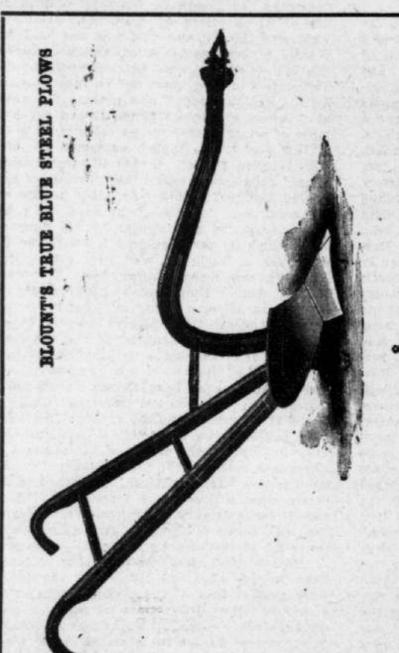
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