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NO. 10.

AUNT ROXY'S TURNOVER.

It was a nice apple turnover, and it stood in Aunt Roxy's pantry window, cooling.

Aunt Roxy herself had just run over to her next-door neighbor's. Teddy had been outdoors playing but came in for a drink of water, and scented the turnover the moment he came into the kitchen.

He was hungry—as boys of his size are apt to be most of the time—and it did smell so nice and spicy it fairly made his mouth water.

He forgot all about being thirsty, and stood sniffing wistfully.

"My marmar would give it to me," he said to himself.

But Aunt Roxy was not "marmar" and had a law as fixed and unchangeable as those of the Medes and Persians—and when Teddy was visiting her he must satisfy his hunger between meals with bread and butter.

"It was good enough for me," she said, "when I was a child, and I think it is for you. Anyway, it is all that you will get when you are under my care. Too much pig and cake is bad for your stomach."

So Teddy sniffed the air and eyed the tempting turnover wistfully.

Aunt Roxy did make beautiful turnovers.

"My marmar would let me have it," repeated Teddy, "and I don't see why Aunt Roxy need mind. Marmar said, when I came 'way, if I wasn't sure about anything, that I must do just what I thought she'd want to have me, and I don't know. There she would want me to go hungry when there was a nice little turnover just the right size for my hunger. Aunt Roxy wouldn't want me to, either, if she knew as much about little boys' stomachs; but, long as she don't know, I should think I might as well do as my mother would say."

It was such a rich, juicy turnover. Teddy went up to it, and put one little hand on it lovingly.

Conscience tried hard to whisper something to him about mamma's wanting her little lad to be always good and true, and never do anything to be ashamed of, but Teddy would not listen to any such counsels.

"You'd better run right away quick," Teddy, pleaded the inward monitor.

"But it's different than as if marmar would let me have it. I'm her boy. I don't b'long to Aunt Roxy," reasoned Ted, with a persistency worthy a better cause.

A few minutes later a little boy crept out of the back door in a guilty sort of fashion, and one pocket bulged out suspiciously.

He went to the farther corner of the orchard and sat down in the shade of a tree to devour his ill-gotten treasure, but somehow it did not taste quite so good to him as he expected, and furthermore, as it disappeared, he began to be troubled in spirit concerning Aunt Roxy.

She would be sure to question him in regard to it. What would she say when she found that he had taken it against her express command? Oh, he could only put it back when he found it!

But however earnestly he might wish that like many an older transgressor, Teddy found it impossible to undo what he had done.

He heard the clock strike twelve, but could not get courage enough to go to dinner, so he sat there under the tree, hungry, tired and—oh, so homesick!

The longer he waited, the harder it seemed to meet his aunt.

"I wish there hadn't been, never any such things as turnovers, and I

want my mother," he said, with a great sob at the last.

It was about night when a dejected-looking little lad crept in the back way and tiptoed up stairs: but all in vain.

"Teddy," called Aunt Roxy, from the sitting-room, "is that you? I want to see you."

It seemed to Ted that his feet were made of lead and that his heart would surely pop out his mouth, it beat so hard and fast.

Now it so happened that Aunt Roxy was coming across the street just as Teddy came out of the house in the morning, and, being a very shrewd sort of a person, she mistreated instantly just what had happened, and as she was also very kind in her views, she was quite indulgent with her young nephew.

There was an ominous brightness in her eyes, and Teddy saw it. It made his heart beat faster yet.

"If mother was only here!" "Did you happen to see anything of a turnover in the pantry window this morning?" she asked.

But there was no tender love nuptial in her tones, as there would have been in "marmar's."

There is no one in the wide world like one's mother. Teddy felt, oh, sure of that, as he stood trembling before his aunt, too terrified to answer her.

"Look at me and answer my question, Teddy."

It seemed to Teddy that his eyes were fairly placed to his copper toes. "Did you see anything of that turnover?" she says or no—quickly! It was an awful minute of hesitation to Teddy. Then he did what he had never done before in his life—told an out-and-out lie.

"No, I didn't," he said.

And then he turned and fairly ran up stairs to his room.

What had he done? "My true little lad," mamma called him. "Keep your lips unstained from falsehood, Teddy, always. I shall love to kiss them so much better," she said to him once. And he had meant so really to keep them clean for her sake.

But now he had told a lie, a dreadful lie, that mamma hated so. Would she ever want to kiss him again? How could he live if she did not?

"I'm going home to my mother," he sobbed.

But how could he? She would be so ashamed and so sorry—that would be hardest of all. What should he do?

"You've been a naughty boy, but if I were in your place, I'd get rid of as much of it as I could, whisper and confess to Aunt Roxy. Maybe mamma won't feel so sad if you do all you can to make it right."

I wonder if you have any idea how hard it seemed to do that! Nothing but the hope that it would save him courage enough to do it.

"He actually lied to me—he a Miller, and the Miller word was always good as a bond!" said Aunt Roxy over and over to herself, in a horrified way.

So wrapp'd in painful thought was she that she did not hear the door open, nor see the trembling little figure creeping up to her side.

"I did see it! Oh, I did see it—do you see it! Oh, Aunt Roxy, do you suppose my mother will kiss me, and trust me again? Can't I ever get the stain off my lips?"

Didn't know just what came over Aunt Roxy just then, but the Lord softened her heart. I think—for, instead of any words of stern condemnation, she stooped down and kiss-

ed poor, broken-hearted Teddy almost tenderly.

"The Lord will take the stain all off, if you ask Him," she said, gently. "Go and ask Him now and pray for help never to do so again. It is a dreadful thing to tell a lie."

"I know it," he sobbed, "and I never, never will again—not for one hundred million turnovers!"

"Perhaps it has been a good lesson, after all," thought Aunt Roxy. And it was, for he never forgot it.

"When Teddy Miller says a thing is so, it is just exactly and precisely so every time—and don't you forget it," Aunt Roxy overheard one of the boys say long after.

"Ah, then, that turnover was not wasted, after all," she said to herself, with a quiet little smile.

Bogges—"I wonder what's the matter with the dog? He came down to the office with his tail tucked in, and when I tried to send him home he howled so I had to give it up."

Mrs. Bogges—"I don't know. I never missed him. By the way, mother says you ought to—"

"As she here this afternoon?"

"Yes."

"No wonder the dog ran away. Tell you that dog's intelligence is almost human, sometimes."

TO BENEFIT THE FARMERS.

Directors of experiment

Station chosen by Gov. Gordon.

The gentlemen who are to be charged with the responsibility of the experiment station have been selected by the governor, and commissions have been issued to them. They form a board of directors of which the commissioner of agriculture is ex-officio president.

The following have been appointed:

First Congressional district—G. M. Ryals, Savannah, Chatham county.

Second district—J. M. Rushing, Boston Thomas county.

Third district—Wright Bailey, Americus, Sumter county.

Fourth district—J. H. Mobley, Hamilton, Harris county.

Fifth district—W. L. Peck, Conyers, Rockdale county.

Sixth district—Eden Taylor, Forsyth Monroe county.

Seventh district—Felix Corput, Cave Springs Floyd county.

Eighth district—James B. Parks Jr., Greensboro, Greene county.

Ninth district—J. N. Twitty, Jefferson, Jackson county.

Tenth district—P. J. Berkman, Augusta, Richmond county.

These ten are under the act, all practical farmers.

The governor also appointed from the faculty of the state college of agriculture Prof. H. C. White, of Athens, Clark county.

The chancellor of the state University is ex-officio a member of the board.

An executive order was also issued requiring the member of the board to meet at the capital on Monday, Feb 4, 1889, for the purpose of organization. When the board assembles the members will draw lots for their respective terms two for one year; two for four years and two for five years. Hereafter annually the governor will appoint two members for a term of five years.

The first duty of the board prescribed by the act will be to address for sixty days; in not less than three newspapers of the state, for bids or inducements from different counties for the establishment of the station.

Jones County Sheriff's Sale.

GEORGIA—Jones County.

Will be sold before the Court House door in Clinton during the legal hours of sale on the first Tuesday in February next at public outcry one 34 horse power steam engine manufactured by A. B. Farguhar & Co. one rubber belt and engine fixtures as the property of H. J. Marshall to satisfy one 500 \$a from Jones Superior Court in favor of John S. Stewart & Son for use of vs R. E. Buttings, Philip Hutchings and H. J. Marshall. Said property found in possession of and pointed out by said H. J. Marshall, Jan. 2nd 1889.

W. W. BARRON, Sheriff Jones Co.

GEORGIA—Jones County.

Will be sold before the Court House at Clinton Ga., during the legal sale hours, on the first Tuesday in February 1889 at public outcry ninety five acres of land more or less in Hammonds Dist. said State of Georgia, bounded by lands of H. B. Ridley, G. W. Waynard and others known as the W. T. Childs place and now in his possession, levied on as the property of said W. T. Childs by virtue of one 81 \$a from Jones Superior Court in favor of W. B. and O. G. Sparks vs W. T. Childs and W. A. Malone. Written notice served on W. T. Childs tenant in possession.

W. W. BARRON, Sheriff Jones Co.

GEORGIA—Jones County.

Will be sold before the Court House at Clinton during the legal hours of sale on the first Tuesday in February next at public outcry four mules to wit: one black mare mule, one black horse mule, one sorrel horse mule and one sorrel mare mule as the property of R. J. Turner to satisfy one 450 \$a in Jones Superior Court in favor of A. H. Stephens vs Thos. J. Miller Principal and S. T. Bragg and R. J. Turner Sureties. Said mules found in the possession of R. J. Turner. This the 3rd day of Jan 1889.

W. W. BARRON, Sheriff Jones County.

EXECUTOR'S SALE.

GEORGIA—Jones County.

Will be sold before the Court House door in the town of Clinton in said county, on the first Tuesday in February next, between the legal hours of sale, the following real estate, belonging to the estate of John S. Walker, late of said county deceased.

Lot No. 363—8th of Ware. Lot No 224—9th of Ware. Lot No 44—14th of Decatur. Lot No. 247—7th of Decatur. Lots No's 172 and 173—1st of Lee. Lots No's 260 and 261—12th of Wilcox. Lot No 39—13th of Habersham. Lot No 90—4th of Carroll. Lot No 61—27th 2nd of Gilmer. Lot No 112—12th 1st of Lumpkin. Lot No 284—7th 1st of Fannin. Lot No 340—14th 4th of Polk. Lot No 148—3rd 2nd of Cherokee and half interest in Lot No 285—12th 4th of Walker. Sold by authority of the last will and testament of said John S. Walker, dec'd, for divisions among the heirs, Terms Cash. Jan. 3rd 1889.

F. J. WALKER, J. H. WALKER, Executors.

Ordinary's Office, Jones Co, Ga.

Nov. 17th 1888.

Whereas, Pleasant H. Bird, Executor of Estate John W. Bird, deceased, applies to me for Dismissal. These are to cite all persons concerned to show cause if any they have to the contrary at this office on or by the first Monday in March next.

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NOTICE.

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Bear in mind that on the 12th of next month we will revise our books and those that have not paid up their subscription for the year ending Nov. 12th 1888 will be discontinued from our list. To those who have come up since our last issue and settled their back subscription and renewed for another year, we return our most hearty thanks, also to our friends for kind words of cheer.

An Arkansas paper contains this notice: All parties hereby notified to take any more pig knotes off my land.

Gov. Ross of Arkansas thinks the best possible use of his commission is to make them mark the public roads. He is dead down on the lessor system and so are we.

Our Sister County, Barb, will put in her claim for the new government experimental station. The commissioners will call a mass meeting of friends at an early date to let them know what the county can afford to offer in the way of land and buildings.

George Vanderbilt, the son of Wm. B. Vanderbilt, is described as a young man who loves seducing. A young man by his name has had ample opportunity during the last few months, of testing the rare quality of seduction furnished by Georgia jail. His seduction at Macon under the name of Charles Dayton will be long remembered.

SIMILARITY OF BEAR STORIES

Maine hunter—I'll tell you 'bout a bear I—

Experienced visitor—I know all about it. The bear had a cub and stuck up, and after using up all your ammunition, you finally dr y your pocket knife and killed the brute.

—Wal, now, if that ain't just the way it happened: who told you—

—No one, but I've heard about one hundred and fifty bear stories since I've been here, and in every blessed case the bear used up all his ammunition, and finally killed the bear with a pocket knife. The mystery to me is why you fellows don't start in with the pocket knife first—Pach.

During the holidays a beautiful young lady visited Marietta, and a couple of young men fell victims to her charms. While there they were all attention, and everything was done to make her stay pleasant. The time came when she must depart. She told her friends that she would spend one day in Atlanta and the next day following she would journey homeward. On that day the Marietta young men were in Atlanta to bid her goodbye. She was on the cars and as the last sad adieu was about to be said, she begged permission to introduce them to her husband, whom she had married in Atlanta the day before. Tableau.

AN ODD-FASHIONED GIRL.

"I've been watching an odd-fashioned girl for quite a long while," says a writer in the Pittsburg Sentinel, "and I want to tell you something about her.

"Her dresses were made in modern style, but, bless you! she was so old-fashioned that she arose in the morning when her mother did, helped set the table neatly and cooked one or two dishes suitably her 'own self'.

"She had 'grains' in her hair, yet she did not think because of that fact that the kitchen was not good enough for her, oh, no! She was so much behind the times that she actually washed the dishes, made her bed, dusted and then began preparations for the pudding for dinner.

"Now, wasn't she absurd, when she, following the accustomed rut, should have been lying on the parlor sofa with the latest novel in her hand and her pug dog beside her?

"When her little brother came in crying because his kite was broken, instead of telling him 'hooray for it,' as it is the fashion to do in some homes, she helped with her own hands to mend it. How could she be in such small business?

"After dinner had been cleared away, she produced a small work-basket and proceeded to mend the family stockings. Dreadful! After her task was completed, she accompanied her mother on a shopping expedition; and although she met many fine looking gentlemen, she did not flirt with any of them, for, don't you know, she was so antiquated she would have been shocked at the idea. As it wasn't elevating to the intellect to be on the watch for some masculine person to fascinate!

"The girl of whom I am telling you was pretty looking, with a bright, fresh glow in her face, brought on by plenty of exercise in the open air and in the kitchen.

"But I can't begin to tell you half the queer girl did. For you know she was so old-fashioned that she did whatever she felt came into her heart to do; and her heart was such an antique affair that only pure, noble thoughts entered it.

"Her home was made bright and sunny by her presence, and yet she was so perfect that she 'died young.' Oh, no! She lives to today a girl who has no secrets from her mother."

MOTHER.

I'll never forget you Mother
Your tender care for me,
I'll never forget those bright smiles
No brighter smiles there be.
I'll never forget that sweet voice
That look so kind so true,
And those plaintive touching words
Johnnie mamma loves you.
I'll never forget those bright eyes
Oh! how they watched with care
Bright blue eyes, Mother's blue eyes
Now free from every tear.
I'll never forget you kneeling
In secret fervent prayer,
While some save God was present
You prayed for loved ones there
I'll never forget those sweet songs
Sweet lullabies they were,
Again me this I'll hear them
Midst the Angelic choir.
I'll never forget the precepts
You taught me when a youth
Fear God, you said to do right
And ever speak the truth.
I'll never forget the morals
You taught me all your life,
Steal not, nor even a pin
Keep out of law and strife.
I'll never forget you taught me
How silly people felt,
You told me a drinkards life
Would lead me on to hell.
I'll never forget those soft hands
That drew me to your side,
Oh! the pain to give you up
Oh! how my soul was tried.
I'll never forget those sweet words
Never the last spoke by thee,
Johnnie you ever stayed
You are precious to me.
I'll never forget my promise
You told me to be good,
To sister and my brothers
I promised you I would.
I'll never forget that soft tone
No father have I for you,
Oh! God shield my little ones
To them be true forever.
I'll never forget 'twas said,
It seemed to crush your heart,
To leave your children orphan
You'd stay but death would part.
I'll never forget the last word
On Jordan's bank you stood,
Holy! Holy! Holy, and
Your spirit went to God.
I'll never forget that sweet face
Angelic pure and bright,
Oh! cruel death sealed your lips
And took you from my sight.
I'll never forget the sad group
That clustered 'round that even,
Your earthly form still 'twas here
Your spirit 'twas in Heaven.
Your spirit 'twas gone Mother
From this vale forever,
Tis gone to the other shore
Cross the silver river.
Your voice it is hushed Mother
Those blue eyes closed forever,
But Mother's safe in Heaven
Forget her, no, never
Borne off by Angels Mother
From sorrows pains and cares,
Far beyond the twinkling stars
In realms unknown to tears,
Me thinks I see you Mother
Beyond the pearly gate
A bright white shining Angel
Your beauty, Oh! how great.
Me thinks I see you Mother
Behold! the golden street,
With brother Linsy and George
And sister Apple—sweet.
Me thinks I see you Mother
With Cousin Joe and Maggie
Uncle John is in the band,
Me thinks I see you Mother
And Cousin Linsy too,
And Cousin Harriett's there
Aunt Bessie is with you.
Me thinks I hear you Mother
Your hosannahs on high,
The sweetest strains of music
Echoing from the sky.
Me thinks I hear you Mother
Midst the Angelic choir,
One gentle sweet soft voice
Mother calling me there.
I'm coming we'll meet Mother
That voice forget—never,
I'll come, we'll meet in Heaven
Never to part, never.
Yes, meet you again Mother
In the city of gold,
We'll join in the hosannahs
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ADDRESS LETTERS

TO THE EDITOR

OF THE

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MACON, GA.

DEAR SIR,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst.

relative to the publication of an advertisement in your issue of the 12th inst.

and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
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TOWN AND COUNTRY.

Mrs. E. G. HARDMAN, Local Editor

Gray is still booming.
Mr. Moses Wilson was in town a few days ago.

Miss Callie Nivins has returned from a pleasant visit to Bradleys.

Miss Maude Penn, of Monticello, has charge of the Telegraph office at this place.

Mr. William Bryant is now occupying the house recently vacated by Mr. Wiley Jones.

Miss Ella Elliot has returned home from a delightful visit to her aunt Mrs. R. J. Turner.

Miss Essie Stewart of Putnam county, is making an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. J. W. Jones.

Misses Sallie Woolfolk and Irene Stewart, of the Ridge, are visiting Mrs. Randolph Chiles this week.

It is supposed that the Woolfolk case will be taken up sometime next week, it appearing the last on the Macon docket.

Miss Ophelia Christian who has been on a visit to friends at Bradleys returned to her home in Clinton Tuesday.

Mr. Homer Hardwick, agent for Scott & Co's guano house, of Atlanta, was in town this week in the interest of the above firm.

Is it possible our good citizens are going to let the school question die out? Why not begin, at once, and erect a building for that purpose?

Mr. Turner Stewart, of Camilla, is still clerking for Jones & Co. Mr. Stewart is a deserving young man and we wish him much success.

Misses Annie and Mattie B. Penn, who have been spending several days with relatives near Gray, returned on Tuesday to their homes in Monticello.

We are glad to say that our little town is now open to the world. T. W. U. Telegraph Company has placed an office here and you can send messages far and near. Hurrah for the C. & M. and Supt. McEvoy.

From our Macon Exchanges we see that the Store of John Ellis & Co is doing a "roaring" business, and while we are not, as a general thing loud in our eulges and business praise the energy and business tact of the firm. We have all ways found it perfectly reliable in every respect. And would recommend to the good Jones Co., housewives and Mothers to give a thorough inspection to their varied stock. They will be pleased and must purchase.

DIED.

Miss Sue Ross, the much loved sister of Capt. R. T. Ross died quite unexpectedly, at his home in Clinton at 7:15 P. M. Tuesday morning. She was attacked with a chill last Thursday, and though confined to her bed, was not thought to be in a precarious condition until a few hours before death ensued. She passed away, just as she had all ways lived—calmly and sweetly. For the past few years she has made her home with Capt. Ross, and by her gentle christian demeanor has endeared herself to every one with whom she mingled. We feel that her rest is complete; her reward sure and our sympathies are with our friends in their bereavement.

NOTICE.

Your subscription is past due and we need the money. Please call and settle.

CLINTON LOCALS.

Judge T. J. Gray, Jr.

Judge J. C. Barron is having his home re-erected.

Judge Richard Johnson visited Macon Monday.

Judge J. C. Barron held Court for Judge Blackwell in Monticello this week.

Misses Lula Hudson and Emma Stripling were in town one evening last week.

Did you see the Chens passing up Broadway at Clinton last Saturday afternoon?

Mr. J. A. Morgan will try the productiveness of Jones' red hills and places for this year.

Sundays Constitution denotes a page to the lithographs of Georgia's aspirants of Congressional honors.

The Delinquent comes to us this week for February in his prime. Outside and is filled with pretty ads.

Miss Lois Johnson has gone on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. R. P. Little, living near Louisville, Jefferson county.

Messrs Chas Caldwell and Clifford Anderson of Macon enjoyed a party hunt around our "seaboard" last Saturday.

Mr. Eli Bearden, who several years since lived near Clinton, passed through going to and returning from Macon this week.

Atlanta has a new Mayor L. J. Glenn, who has rightly begun. The City is being congratulated on her fortunate election.

Col. Hardman is prepared to hold his hands at his side in Clinton every Tuesday and Saturday this year. Bring your ears and get first class mail.

Several nice compliments were paid on the neat and handsome get-up of our last Hiramton. We intend to do to deserve, and keep getting just such encouraging words.

Some very cruel and malicious person severely cut a very nice milk cow of Dr. G. T. Parsley Monday night. Should the perpetrator of the deed be discovered, he will not fare so well.

Regular prayer meeting and bible reading at the Parsonage in Clinton every Wednesday evening. Every one is invited and a pleasant and profitable hour can be spent by all who attend.

A novel proposition moved by our dentist on a visit this week, to secure women and few small boys, as much fodder on each cream as would guarantee navigation. A new way to hunt forage!

The talented Editor of our eastern "Star" Cedarosa Standish, and every Wednesday evening. Every one is invited and a pleasant and profitable hour can be spent by all who attend.

The remains of Miss Annie Holmbeck, a relative of W. H. and H. D. Holmbeck, passed through Gray via C. & M. train Tuesday morning from Alabama, and were interred at Union Hill Cemetery.

We propose to devote a good deal of our space to the interest of Farmers Alliance and will be pleased to receive articles from any portion of the County, on any subject that pertains to the farming interest. Remember our columns are open to you therefore we trust you will not hesitate to contribute.

The last sad burial rites of Miss Sue Ross were held at the Union Hill Church on Wednesday morning and her body laid to rest among the members of her family, who had "passed over the border land". The services were appropriately rendered by Rev. E. R. Cook, and a number of her relatives were in attendance.

To any one desiring a fine selection of fruit trees adapted to the soil of our County, we would recommend the nursery of J. H. M. Elliott of Lawrenceville, Houston County Ga. We know him to be a man of good deals honestly. He will supply you with Kieffer and Le Conte pear trees (2 years old) Quince apple, Chinese Quince etc at 25c per tree, while other nurserymen charge \$1.00 for same. We expect to order an assortment from him and now is the time to do it.

Let Long has been re-elected master of the Ocmulgee Assembly Knights of Labor. This assembly has a large membership and is steadily growing. It has \$480 in the treasury. Long has been master workman several terms and has done much for the prosperity and good of the assembly.

Mr. W. E. Taylor, of Macon county, is one of the successful farmers of Georgia. Last year he made with eleven plows 133 bales of cotton, 3,300 bushels of corn, 3,000 bushels of oats, 500 bushels of peas, and a large supply of fodder, pumpkins, ground peas, etc., and a liberal supply of meat is in his smokehouse.

The Butterick Delinquent is something every lady should take. It is an illustrated fashion plate, containing all the latest Metropolitan fashions and well worth the subscription price, which is only one dollar per annum. If you are not a subscriber send for it at once. Address, Butterick Publishing Co., 7, 9, and 11 West 13th St., N. Y.

An Athens gentleman who was in an adjoining county to Clarke on Christmas day says that he saw several drunken white women. They were carousing with a crowd of drunken men. One of the women had a long gash in her forehead and was swearing most horribly. The gentleman said that as his rode by this woman announced, with an oath, that she could whip any man in the crowd.

The many loving friends and relatives of Mrs. Bishop Pierce are very sad at her declining health. Excellent medical skill is employed but there is no hope of her final recovery. She is patiently waiting the end. She is lovingly attended by her loving children and grandchildren, and everything is done that can possibly ameliorate her suffering.

Rev. Sam Jones and family, with the exception of two daughters, who are in college, left for California in Wednesday. Mr. Jones has several appointments in that state, made some time ago, and expects to remain until about the 1st of April. They go first to Los Angeles, where they will remain about four weeks, and then to Sacramento City for about the same time.

School Commissioner Killeen of Houston county has just made his report. It shows that 2,761 children were taught by 92 teachers in the public schools of Houston county last year. Of the pupils 1,119 are white and 1,651 colored, and the teachers 43 white and 49 colored. The teachers were paid \$4,987.95, an average per month of \$415 for each pupil, of the average attendance for three months.

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Oct 20th.

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The farmers of Jones County, are beginning to attract the attention of foreign merchants, who are willing to offer them superior inducements in the purchase of their annual supplies, fertilizers, etc., and trust to their honesty, and the products of the fertile soils of the county, to pay obligations made on time, and falling due, during the months of October and November next. In this connection the well known, and thoroughly reliable wholesale grocery house of Messrs. Rodgers, Worsham & Co. of Macon Ga., come prominently to the front with that enterprise, and determined energy to succeed in their every effort, so characteristic of successful business men. Unlike other wholesale houses—this firm, has built up their extensive business, by dealing directly with the farmer, and so long as the farmer prospers, just so long will the financial standing of the firm, rest upon a safe and substantial basis. The firm of Rodgers, Worsham & Co. handle annually more fertilizers than any other house in the State, with their trade steadily increasing for the simple reason, that all goods sold by them, are ever found to be just exactly as represented and standard in every respect. Their warehouse at Gray will soon be filled with heavy shipments of high grade Commercial goods, Acid phosphate, German Kainit and Cotton Seed meal ready for delivery to the trade. It is an established fact that fertilizers this season, will be very scarce, owing to an unusual scarcity of material at factories, and as the demand increases later on prices will advance. Every farmer should close his orders now for future delivery, and take immediate advantage of the low prices, and reasonable terms offered by this firm to their patrons.

When we are offered such superior inducements, we should not hesitate to take advantage of them. Read their ad. in this issue.

The Farmers Alliance is of great benefit if nothing more was accomplished than the interchange of ideas. In other counties they are offering premiums on the grain crop. Why can't Jones do as much? There are no better lands in the State, and we certainly have quite a number of scientific farmers and what is there to hinder us from having a county Fair next fall?

A LIBERAL OFFER.
An Artistic Twelve Page Annual Calendar, beautifully decorated with highly-finished water-colored pictures representing the four seasons—Winter, Spring, Summer and Fall—will be sent free to any person who sends six cents for a sample copy of the New York Ledger. Address: ROBERT BONNER'S SONS, Pub., 175 William Street, New York City.

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Mrs Jay Gould died at her home in 5th Avenue, New York City the 13th inst.

It is said to cost the wholesale houses of the State \$120,000 per annum to send out traveling salesmen.

The father's steps should never lead where the son may not follow, for he is certain to make the attempt.

There are at present eighteen baseball clubs in Australia and many more will be formed in the near future.

The Augusta Chronicle has wisely discontinued the Monday morning issue. The evening paper will fill the vacancy.

Rev. Sam Jones and family, with the exception of two daughters who are in College, left a few days ago to spend some time in California.

Jim Crowe, a New York murderer, will probably be the first man executed by electricity under the provisions of the new law regulating executions in that State.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Heath, of Warren County, are said to be the oldest married couple in the County. Both were born in 1800, married in 1820 and have lived together 68 years. They have raised a large family of children.

Mrs. Lucinda Ruggles died at Dodgeville, Wis., a few days ago, and was buried in a coffin made from a walnut tree which her husband had felled forty years ago and stored away to make lumber for his own and his wife's coffins.—Ex.

The Burlington Hawkeye says a scheme has been devised for making church socials pleasant. Each person is given a card on which a dozen names are written, and is required to talk five minutes with each one whose name is on the card. At the expiration of five minutes a bell is struck and a new partner is sought. By this plan all flowers are eliminated, everybody receives attention, cliques are broken up and all go home happy.

WINTER BREAKING OF LAND.

Would you advise the breaking of land for corn, or cotton, or both, with a two-horse plow and subsoil? Should such plowing be done this winter or just before planting next spring? Which is best and cheapest for decomposing compost, lime or concentrated lye or some other form of potash?

I have some rather low broomseed land, once a cypress swamp, but now in a rather dry condition. Do you think Bermuda grass and Johnson grass will do well on such land?—H. W. H.

ANSWER.—The turning over of land is not desirable unless there be vegetable matter or litter on the surface, which would impede cultivation. Two-horse plows are to be preferred because they do the work effectively and cheaply, one hand and two horses doing very nearly if not quite as much work in a day as two hands and two horses using one-horse plows. Our own experience is that deep subsoiling, as a rule, is not pay except under conditions of high culture, involving good underdrainage, high manuring, etc. We allude to expensive, two-horse subsoiling, following in the furrow of the turn plow.

The experience of the best practical planters is, that the later the breaking of land (in the South) the better. Early plowing, even fall plowing, used to be considered very important, but the idea was imported from a colder climate where the frosts of winter both prevented plowing, and at the same time exerted a most salutary effect on the fall-plowed fields. In the South we can plow at any time during winter. Stubble or other foul lands should be plowed early in winter; clean lands being deferred until near planting time.

We have no doubt Bermuda and Johnson grass will do well on the land described. Oats would probably be a good crop, also.—Southern Cultivator.

ALLIANCE COLUMN.

It is said that an Alliance store will be opened in Camilla soon.

Every farm possesses possibilities for its own fertilization. Nature made it so. Develop these possibilities and you need not worry about the price or quality of guano.

The Farmers' Alliance of Hancock requires its members to plant large provision and feed crops this year. Penalty for refusal will be expulsion. Harrah for the Alliance!—Ismael.

The Mitchell county farmers are sowing a large acreage in spring oats. The cotton acreage will be smaller and much less guano will be used. The corn crop will be increased.

Good roads and plenty of good bridges go a long way towards contributing to the wealth and welfare of a county. Bad roads kill your horses and smash up your buggies and wagons.

The Alliance men and merchants of Polk county are working in harmony. At a recent meeting of Polk county Alliance resolutions commending the liberality of the merchants of Polk county and requesting the members of the Alliance to rally to their support.

We trust our farmers have already made up their minds to keep out of debt as much as possible, living economically, planting more provision crops, and raise more hogs, sheep, goats, and cattle. Not until this is practised will they ever be independent.

It is the opinion of some people that the Farmers' Alliance will accomplish no good; but if the same determination to make the farm self-sustaining exists among the members in other counties, as here, the order is certain to effect great good.—Sparta Ismael.

SAMPLES OF THE MAIL ORDER SYSTEM. The following are the names of the persons who have ordered goods from the MAIL ORDER SYSTEM, and the amount of their orders. The goods will be shipped to them by the MAIL ORDER SYSTEM, and they will be delivered to them by the MAIL ORDER SYSTEM. The goods will be shipped to them by the MAIL ORDER SYSTEM, and they will be delivered to them by the MAIL ORDER SYSTEM. The goods will be shipped to them by the MAIL ORDER SYSTEM, and they will be delivered to them by the MAIL ORDER SYSTEM.



Covington & Macon R. R. TIME TABLE, No. 1.

To take effect at 7:00 a. m. Monday December 10th, 1888.

BETWEEN MACON AND ATHENS (North Bound.)

STATIONS	S. Sun. Day.	Loc. Daily	Acrom. X Sun.	Loc. Daily	Mail Daily.
Le MAON		9:00 a m			7:00am
Massey Mill		9:24			7:10
Robertson		9:42			7:30
Morton		10:00			7:50
Grays		10:20			8:10
Franks		10:42			8:30
Barrons		11:02			8:50
Wayside		11:20			9:10
Hillsboro		11:42			9:30
Grassfield		12:02			9:50
Minetta		12:22			10:10
Watkinsville		12:42			10:30
White Hall		1:02			10:50
Ar. Athens		1:20 p m			11:10
Godfrey		1:40			11:30
Madison	4:55 p m	1:40			11:30
Florence		4:55			10:35
Farmington		5:20			11:05
Goins		5:40			11:25
Watkinsville		6:00			11:45
White Hall		6:20			12:05
Ar. Athens		6:40 p m			12:25

BETWEEN MACON & ATHENS (South Bound.)

STATIONS	Fast Mail.	Loc. Daily	Acrom. X Sun.	Loc. Daily	Mail Daily.
Ar. MAON	6:25 p m				6:00 p m
Massey Mill		6:45			6:20
Robertson		7:05			6:40
Morton		7:25			7:00
Grays		7:45			7:20
Franks		8:05			7:40
Barrons		8:25			8:00
Wayside		8:45			8:20
Hillsboro		9:05			8:40
Grassfield		9:25			9:00
Minetta		9:45			9:20
Watkinsville		10:05			9:40
White Hall		10:25			10:00
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Goins		12:25			12:00
Watkinsville		12:45			12:20
White Hall		1:05			12:40
Ar. Athens		1:25 p m			1:00

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