

For 100 strawberries (in general cultivation), \$2 per hundred.

For 100 select currant cuttings, \$2 per 100.

This we esteem as a move in the right direction.

It will have the tendency to establish a fair, uniform price for the articles named, serve as a check upon too exorbitant rates and, best of all, it is designed to encourage the introduction of the rarest and most valuable fruits, flowers, vegetables, etc.

A New Variety of Pie Plant.

A correspondent of the *Country Gentleman*, W. J. Ralston, of Georgetown, Ohio, says that about two years ago he chanced to notice an account in a county paper in relation to a new kind of pie plant, and on account of its earliness, large size and great productiveness, was induced to try and get a few seed and test it.

The seed was planted and cultivated as usual—the plants grew almost three feet high the first year. This spring they came up some three weeks in advance of any other kind in the garden, and consequently were ready for use some time before other varieties. This year on the 21st of May they were five to six feet high, when the great storm of that date blew most of them down, considerably injuring the crop of seed. The stems grow from 18 to 24 inches in length, of good size and tender. The leaves grow long and slim, tapering to a point. The stems contain less acid, are very juicy, and require less sugar than most kinds. They have a peculiar flavor or "dirt" taste, when cooked, which makes them objectionable to many. I think it is what the French term "Rhubarbe des Moines."

CLIPPINGS.

—A New York paper announces that almost all the prominent thieves of New York left the city to attend the Prince of Wales on his travels, through the British and North American provinces immediately on his arrival from England, constituting themselves an unauthorized suite.

—It is reported that there were 25,156 bibles sold in Constantinople during the year 1859.

—On the authority of the *New Prussian Gazette*, it is said that the statement as to the projected marriage between the Hereditary Prince Louis of Hesse Darmstadt and the Princess Alice of England is well founded, and that the recent visit of the two Hessian Princes to London was relative to the proposed union. Prince Louis was born in 1837, and is heir presumptive to the throne of the Grand Duke of Hesse.

—An Ex-Governor of Maryland has retired to a hermit's life in the woods, determined to pass the remainder of his days in obscurity and poverty.

—The valuation of the city of Boston, for 1860, shows an increase of thirteen millions of dollars over that of last year.

—Letters from Stockholm state that there is talk in the Swedish capital of a rumored visit to this country and Brazil, of Prince Oscar the brother of the King, and Lord High Admiral of the Swedish Navy.

—A letter from Rome, in the *Patrie*, says: The Irish volunteers have just been committing fresh excesses at Spoleto. Every day acts of insubordination take place in their corps. During a quarrel which lately took place these volunteers did not hesitate to throw their chaplain into a ditch full of water, where he was in great danger of being drowned. Two hundred of the Irish left Rome to return to their country, the Papal government having consented to pay the expenses of their passage.

—Since the month of May, a firm in Boston, Mass., cleared three ships in succession, with cargoes of not less than one thousand tons of ice, for a firm in New Orleans, La., and every one of the three was lost.

—In London there are 10,000 places for the sale of intoxicating liquors, and the "United Kingdom Temperance and General Provident Institution" propose to counteract their influence by the erection of water fountains. This society have already erected about forty drinking fountains, and about sixty more are in the process of construction.

—Some 15 or 20 cows and other cattle have recently been killed near Rock Island, Ill., which were supposed to have the hydrophobia.

—The yearly amount of rain which falls on roof of the Royal Palace at Berlin is 18 inches in the depth. The average annual fall of rain at Paris, for ten years, from 1817 to 1827, was about 20 inches. The western coasts of Great Britain, France and Portugal, have an annual average of from 30 to 50 inches. Corinbra, in Poland, the fall is 15 inches; at Ekathermoslay, in the southern part of Russia, it is 3 inches; and in Siberia still less.

—Mr. Nathaniel Knight, of Falmouth, Me., is now 89 years of age—in good health—and has this season mowed hay upon the same field where he has swung the scythe seventy eight summers before.

—Gen. Leslie Combs, just elected Clerk of the Court of Appeals of Kentucky, by the Unionists, is nearly 80 years old.

—Copious rains have visited some parts of Maine, relieving the severe drouth that has been experienced there.

—One of the old settlers of the Whitewater, Ind. Valley, Elijah Corbin, came into that region forty three years ago, and is the father of eleven children, eighty three grand-children and thirty four great-grandchildren, all of whom are settled around him.

—It has been estimated by competent persons in England, that at least fifty six million bushels of wheat will have to be imported into Great Britain to support the deficiency in the crop and stock on hand for the coming year.

—Judge Dewry, of Watertown, N. Y., aged ninety four years, is not only the oldest living graduate of Yale College, but the best rifle shot in his neighborhood. He can walk easily and rapidly, preserves his mental faculties to a remarkable extent, and can see with great distinctness. He recently beat a large number of boys who were striving for the honor of "best shot," putting the ball into the heart of the target, seventy five rods distant.

—An elderly maiden lady, who objects to inquiries into female ages, declares the census an invention of the evil one, and quotes in proof—"facilis de-scensus Avernii!"

—A family gathering of an interesting character took place in High Ridge, Conn., on Aug. 16. Five generations belonging to the family of Polly Stevens—formerly known as Polly Curtess—comprising 111 members, 96 of whom are still living, together with a few specially invited, met upon the premises of the old homestead. Each generation had its representative, from the great-great-grandmother seated at the head of the table, down to the great-great-grandchild held in its mother's arms.

—The census takers find some old people in Connecticut. In Coventry, James Douglas, 104 years of age; in Chaplin, Salisda Dean, aged 105; in Bristol, a widow Thompson, 102, who is as active as a middle-aged woman; widow Oliver Frail, Bloomfield, in her 100th year. In Mansfield, with a population of 2,000, there are 200 persons over 70 years of age.

—The following are places of note in the county of Hanover, Virginia: Negro Foot, Hell Town, Buzzard Roost, Bull Ring, Dog Town, Free Negro Town, Pole Cat, Negation-burgh and Texas.

—Mr. Frederick Decker, of Ossian, Livingston County, N. Y., only 19 years of age, is seven feet high, and weighs three hundred pounds. He is a lumberman, and earns his bread by the sweat of a massive brow.

—Burmeister has recently returned to Halle, from his four years' exploration in South America, with immense zoological and palaeontological collections.

—A neat and charming maiden in Indiana, possessed of a considerable property, recently became engaged to an awkward, verdant youth of eighteen years. The father of the expectant bridegroom, however, refused to part with the "time" of the minor—to which he is legally entitled—unless for a cash equivalent. The bride accordingly purchased her husband for \$200.

—The barracoons at Key West are empty—the last of the African slaves have departed for Africa.

—The walls of the new Andrescoggin mill at Lewiston, Me., include just one acre of ground; so it will have, when completed, not less than six acres of flooring.

—The Emperor of Russia has granted to the Government of the Caucasus the power of authorizing the local minister of Christian sects tolerated in Russia to admit Mahomedans and idolaters as converts into their congregations. The heads of these congregations must make a formal declaration that the new converts have not belonged to the orthodox church of Russia.

—Mexico owes to citizens of the United States about \$15,000,000.

—The whole of the steam vessels of war now lying in harbor at the English dockyards are to be fitted for the steam reserve ordinary, the Government having decided on every ship belonging to that class being made ready for service in case a sudden emergency should arise for their immediate use.

—Gov. Letcher has closed a contract with Messrs. Jos. B. Anderson & Co., of the Tredegar Works, at Richmond, to fit up the new State armory of Virginia with sufficient machinery for manufacturing annually five thousand rifled muskets, the entire contract to be completed at a cost to the State of \$156,000.

—Louis Napoleon had opened the ports of France to grain free of duty, that he might ensure to his people cheap bread as long as possible.

—Mr. Wm. Greenough, one of the oldest printers in the country, died in Boston lately. He was over 88 years of age.

—The census taker in Upper Aroostook, Me., reports one family of twenty seven children, and several more containing from fifteen to twenty children. In one family he found sixteen children, all of whom were living at home, and the mother was only forty years of age.

—Georgia is said to be one of the most flourishing States in the Union, and one of the best governed in the South, and yet it is one of the least taxed, which is the secret, doubtless, of the great development given to its manufacturing industry. The Governor and the Comptroller General have assisted the per cent. tax upon the property this year at 6 1-2 cents on the \$100. Taking all the taxes, State, county, and city, and in no part of the State will they be higher than one-eighth of one per cent.

—A little girl in Waltham, Mass., who saw the meteor on the evening of the 20th ult., innocently remarked that she "guessed our heavenly Father thought 'twas Fourth of July."

REWARDED.—A youth by the name of Jno. Butterworth, of Bedford county, Va., a year or two ago found an old Englishman, then living in Roanoke county, lying by the roadside in an intoxicated and freezing condition. Young Butterworth procured a buggy, carried the old man home, warmed him and nursed him, until restored to health. When the young man was leaving the house, the old gentleman remarked that he would remember him. The old gentleman afterwards removed to Texas, invested his funds and became wealthy. He died a short time ago, leaving his whole estate to his young friend, who thus becomes worth about one hundred thousand dollars.

DEPARTED.—Yesterday morning, Hon. R. P. Flenniken and son, and Marshal Grice, started for Carson county; the Judge to enter upon the duties of his office, in the Second District and the Marshal also, as we suppose, there being little or nothing requiring the attention of a Federal Ministerial officer in this part of the Territory at present, so far as our knowledge extends; and if the office of Marshal of the United States is ever very lucrative in this Territory, it will be after the salary and emoluments are increased.

ARRIVAL OF SECOND HAND-CART COMPANY.—Capt. O. O. Stoddard, in charge of the second hand-cart company, arrived on the afternoon of Monday, all well, as reported. Particulars not ascertained.

State Fair.

The Deseret Agricultural and Manufacturing Society, will hold their Fifth Annual Exhibition, in the Deseret Store, East of the Temple Block, on Wednesday and Thursday, 3d & 4th of October. The Live Stock will have to be in the public cattle yard, on Thursday by noon.

No person will receive any premium unless his membership is renewed to Jesse C. Little, Treasurer, before the day of exhibition, which is one dollar annually.

All the Awarding Committees are requested to meet the Board of Directors on Wednesday the 3d, at 8 o'clock in the morning, to award premiums.

EDWARD HUNTER, Prest.
THOS. BULLOCK, Sec'y.

To Encourage

THE OWNERS AND RAISERS OF STOCK.

On the 5th of October next, a \$50 SADDLE will be awarded to the best mile horse; to the best quarter horse, a \$16 BRIDLE; to the fastest trotting horse, one mile in harness, a \$40 SINGLE HARNESS; to the fastest pacing horse, one mile in harness, a \$25 fancy HORSE COVER.

Entrance fee for horses will be made known on the ground.

The above trial of speed will conclude with a MULE RACE, \$1 entrance to be placed in a purse to be awarded to the slowest mule. No one allowed to ride his own mule.

[30-2] F. M. LITTLE, Chairman.

Married:

In this city, on Friday, September 21, by Elder Charles Lambert, Mr. ALFRED GUNN and Miss RACHAEL ANN FENTON, late of Philadelphia.

Died:

In G. S. L. City, September 22, 1860, NANCY KENT, in the 75th year of her age.

She was the sister of President Young, and the eldest of eleven children—5 boys and 6 girls—and was the last survivor of the sisters; the five brothers are still living. There was none of the spirit of death in her room nor about the premises during her sickness, and at the departure of her spirit, nor attending the funeral ceremonies, but she calmly fell asleep with a strong assurance of a part in the first resurrection.—[Com.]

In this city, 24th inst., of bloody flux, WILLARD ALEXANDER MILLER; son of Robert L. and Jane Campbell. Aged 2 years 7 months and 14 days.

At his residence, in the Sugar House Ward, on Saturday, the 15th day of September, Elder AVERY PARSONS. Aged 75 years.

At Springville, Utah county, on the 31st ult., Elder JOHN McBRIDE, in the 73rd year of his age.

New Advertisements.

UNION ACADEMY.

The Union Academy will re-open on Monday, the 15th of October. There is still room for a number of pupils.

30-2 ORSON PRATT, Jr.,
JAMES COBB.

ESTRAYS.

I have in my possession, one dun brindle OX, branded M on left hip, 7 years old.

One red OX, H. BECKSTEAD on the horn, 5 years old.

If the owners do not know enough to come and get them without being invited, they can let them stay.

S. POSTER, Pound keeper.

G. S. L. CITY, Sep. 25, 1860. 30-2

NOTICE.

THIS is to inform all persons indebted to the estate of the late Dr. Wm. France, deceased, that I have left all such unsettled accounts in the hands of W. I. Appleby, Esq., my attorney, who is duly authorized to collect and settle the same.

MARGARET FRANCE,
Administratrix of said estate.

30-3

STOLEN

FROM the field, a little below Jordan Mills, on the 21st inst., a bay MARE, white strip in the face, about 9 or 10 years old, supposed to have been taken by Indians. She was new shod all round, and had collar marks up her neck.

Whoever will give information of her, or return her, shall be liberally rewarded by JAMES WINCHESTER, near where she was taken, or by

STEPHEN WINCHESTER.

30-1

STRAYED OR DRIVEN OFF.

FROM my pasture in the 5th Ward, a white EWE SHEEP, marked with a split and a hole in the left ear, she had two lambs with her, one white and the other black, with a hole in the right ear.

Any one giving information that will lead to their recovery, shall be liberally rewarded by

NEILS HANSON, 5th Ward.

30-1

FOR SALE,

ONE Mile south of the Sugar House, a FARM, containing 33 acres; 27 are under cultivation, one good House, containing 1 room, 14 by 16ft. in the clear, with an upper room of the same size; a kitchen 12 feet square in the clear, and two good cellars. One old house which, by a little repair, might be valuable as a granary; also a barn with a stable under it.

For particulars inquire of JOHN SMITH, on the premises.—30-4

NOTICE TO DAVIS COUNTY.

I HAVE been instructed by the County Court of Davis county, to receive on Taxes due that county, Wheat at TWO DOLLARS per bushel.

On and after Monday next, Sep. 24th, I shall be prepared to receive at Farmington the amounts due.

I will buy a limited quantity of Wheat at ONE DOLLAR and a QUARTER per bushel on Territorial Tax.

ARTHUR STAYNER,
Assessor and Collector.

30-2

NOTICE.

A petition will be presented to the County Court of Great Salt Lake county, at the October term thereof for the opening of a county road, commencing at a point on the County Road, south of Sugar House, between blocks 24 and 25 of the ten acre survey, south of G. S. L. City, thence west across the Jordan river to the County Road running south by Jordan Mills.

JOHN SCOTT,
C. E. BOLTON,
CHAPMAN DUNCAN.

30-1

CITY MARKET.

I have now opened a market in this city, on First South Street, where I will endeavor to keep for sale all articles in the

MEAT AND PROVISION

Line, and by strict attention to business and accommodation to customers will endeavor to merit a share of public patronage.

WANTED:—

BUTTER,

CHEESE,

EGGS,

BEEVES,

SHEEP,

PORK.

J. R. CLAWSON.

30-6m

CACHE VALLEY DRUG STORE.

J. H. MARTINEAU,

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Cache county that he has established a

DRUG STORE AT LOGAN,

Cache county, where he keeps constantly on hand a CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF DRUGS AND

MEDICINES of the best quality, consisting of

Graefenberg Pills, Eye Lotion, Children's Panacea,

Marshall's Uterine Cathartic, Green Mountain

Ointment, and a great variety of the staple

articles of the trade. Also, Indigo, Log-

wood, Alum, Copperas, Essences,

Soap, Alcohol, &c. &c. &c.

Which he will sell low FOR CASH. Physicians are invited to call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

An assortment of

STAPLE GOODS

kept constantly on hand, consisting of Tea, Coffee, Sugar, Tobacco, Liquors,

DRY GOODS,

and a great variety of notions. Also, Rifles, Double barreled Guns, and Ammunition, which will be SOLD

LOW for cash.

Butter, Lard, Eggs, &c. WANTED, for which the highest market price will be paid.

30-3m JAMES H. MARTINEAU.

NOTICE TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

TERRITORY OF UTAH,

Great Salt Lake County.

At a Meeting of the Hons. Robert P. Flenniken and

Henry R. Crosby, Associate Justices of the United

States Supreme Court, within and for the Territory of

Utah, held at Great Salt Lake City, County and Territory

aforsaid, on Monday, September 24th, A. D. 1860

(several members of the bar for said Territory being

present), in order to determine and appoint the time for

holding a general term of the District Courts of the

United States for the several Districts in said Territory,

under the Act of Congress, approved Aug. 16, 1856, it

was ordered by said judges that the same be holden as

follows, viz.:

1st. For the Third Judicial District to be held at

Great Salt Lake City, G. S. L. County, on the fifth

Monday (29th day) of October next, and continue four

weeks, if the business should require it.

2nd. For the Second Judicial District to be held at

Genoa, Carson county, on the third Monday (19th day)

of November next, and continue four weeks, if the

business should require it.

3rd. For the First Judicial District to be held at Provo

city, Utah county, on the third Monday (17th day) of

March next, 1861, and continue four weeks, if the

business should require it.

4th. No suits will be entertained before either of said

courts, unless the suit is commenced, and the summons

or writ, (together with a copy of the complaint or decla-

ration) be served upon the defendant fifteen days pre-

vious to the first day of said term.

R. P. FLENNIKEN, Associate Justice U. S.

HENRY R. CROSBY, Associate Justice U. S.

W. I. APPLEBY, Clerk.—30-2

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