

Weather Report.

During September, 1883, there were 3 days during which rain fell, and an aggregate of 0.78 in. of water. There were 4 clear, and 6 cloudy days, other than those on which rain fell. During 17 days the sky was obscured by smoke arising from forest fires.

The mean temperature for the month was 61.65. Highest daily mean temperature for the month 76°, on the 21st. Lowest daily mean 54°, on the 25th and 28th. Mean temperature for the month at 2 o'clock P. M. 71.06°. Highest temperature for the month 88°, at 2 o'clock P. M. on the 21st. Lowest temperature 48°, at 7 o'clock A. M. on the 28th.

The prevailing winds for the month were from the North during 23 days, South 4 days, S. W. 3 days. No frost.

During September, 1882, there were 2 rainy days and 0.52 in. of water, 21 clear, 3 cloudy, and 4 smoky days.

Mean temperature for the month 59.24°. Highest daily, 70°, on the 21st. Lowest daily, 46°, on the 23rd.

T. PEARCE.

Eola, Or., Oct. 1, 1883.

Brain Workers.

In this country nearly every active business or professional man is overworked, and suffers from waste of vitality. Few reach the age of forty-five without this waste of vital force showing itself in some form of disease more or less troublesome or dangerous.

Now, unless something can be done to renew the wasted vital force, these diseased conditions must go on increasing until an utter break-down is the result. Many, warned in time, retire from business or professional life and seek in change and relaxation a measure of the health which they have lost. With much larger number this retirement is felt to be impossible; and they go on suffering and failing until the disastrous end comes in paralysis, softening of the brain, or sudden death.

As a restorer of vital force, it has been largely shown from the results obtained during the past twelve years, that Compound Oxygen is the most efficient agent yet discovered by the medical profession. Its use by overworked business and professional men would save many hundreds of lives every year, and give to thousands more ability to work without the weariness, exhaustion and peril which now attend them. A Treatise on Compound Oxygen, containing large reports of cases and full information, sent free. Address Drs. STARKEY & PALEN, 1109 Girard St. Philadelphia, Pa.

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Two Tract Funds!

It appears that we are to have two tract funds. Good! The Christian Sower Tract Fund, which though in its infancy is doing a good work for the Lord, and another, which as far as is known exists only in purpose and not in fact. At the General Convention which met in Lexington, in 1882, a committee was appointed consisting of A. McLean, R. T. Matthews and S. M. Jefferson, who were instructed to raise a special fund for the purpose of distributing tracts. This committee is expected to report to the General Missionary Convention which meets at Cincinnati in October, and it will be gratifying to learn that it has been at work, and that a fund has been created to be used in the gratuitous distribution of tracts. The Christian Sower Tract Fund has a hearty hand-shake and a pleasant greeting for all workers, and hopes that what we have done is but an earnest of what we will do. We need a fund large enough to put our best books into the hands of ministers of the denominations free of charge. Our plea is attracting more attention than it has ever done, and people are better prepared to study it. We have not been as wise in our generation as Unitarians, Swedenborgians and others. Preachers can obtain their best books free of charge.

The Christian Sower Fund is well supplied with such tracts as "Our Position," "Sincerity Seeking the way to Heaven," "Christian Union," "Letters on Baptism," "Erretts Review of Summer's," Tract "Why I am not a Campbellite," and seven kinds of card tracts. These are free to those unable to buy. You assist the work by buying any tract you need of the trustee.

Of course it considers its plan of work the best, and begs leave to call attention to its resemblance to Spurgeon's idea of such work; that it is best performed by a committee of three with two of them sick in bed. This tract fund is run by such a committee and making a "unble" bow asks for a "liberal share of public patronage. J. W. HIGBEE, Madisonville, Ky.

Advice To Mothers.

Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once: it produces natural, quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. 13-20-1y

Loss and Gain.

CHAPTER I.

"I was taken sick a year ago With bilious fever."
"My doctor pronounced me cured, but I got sick again, with terrible pains in my back and sides, and I got so bad I Could not move!
I shrunk!
From 228 lbs to 120! I had been doctoring for my liver, but it did me no good. I did not expect to live more than three months. I began to use Hop Bitters. Directly my appetite returned, my pains all left me, my entire system seemed renewed as if by magic, and, after using several bottles, I am not only as sound as a sovereign, but weigh more than I did before. To Hop Bitters I owe my life."
Dublin, June 6, '81. R. FITZPATRICK.

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