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A LIFE STORY.

He is too young to know it now, But some day he will know. -Eugene Field. Above her little sufferer's bed, With all a mother's grace, She stroked the curly, throbbing head And smoothed the fevered face. "He does not know my love, my fears, My toil of heart and hand; But some day in the after years, Some day he'll understand; Some day he'll know I loved him so, Some day he'll understand."

A wild lad plays his thoughtless part As fits his childhood's lot, 'And tramples on his mother's heart Ofttimes and knows it not. He plays among his noisy mates, Nor knows his truest friend: His mother sighs, as still she waits, 'Some 'day he'll comprehend; The day will be When he will see Some day he'll comprehend."

The strong youth plays his strenuous part His mother waits alone, And soon he finds another heart The mate unto his own. She gives him up in joy and woe, He takes his young bride's hand; His mother murmurs, "Will he know And ever understand? When will he know I love him so:

When will he understand?"

The strong man fights his battling days, The fight is hard and grim, His mother's plain, old-fashioned ways Have little charm for him. The dimness falls around her years, The shadows, 'round her stand, She mourns in loneliness and tears, 'He'll never understand. He'll never know I loved him so; He'll never understand."

A bearded man of serious years Bends down above the dead, And rains the tribute of his tears Over an old, gray head. He stands the open grave above, Amid the mourning bands; And now he knows his mother's love And now he understands. Now doth he know She loved him so, And now he understands. -Sam Walter Foss, in New York Sun.

A BOLD, BAD BURGLAR

"Isn't it perfectly dreadful? It seems there is no place secure from them. The papers contain nothing but burglaries, robberies and hold-ups. I am almost afraid to look under the bed at night." Blanche Warden turned the rings on her fingers nervously as she spoke. She was not a timid girl, but the final test of bravery had never come to her.

"What would you do in case a burglar entered your room, Mr. Dulano?" she asked, addressing one of her call-

"Exactly what I did last night," the gentleman replied. "You surely didn't have a burglar

last night!" Blanche cried. "And why not? I am keeping the

and things," he said. "I have reason When Noah blew his horn, the camel to think Forrest is the burglar. He has humped himself to get aboard, and by a been losing heavily at cards lately, and curious freak he stayed humped all his life. s in danger of losing his position at the Lumbago or lame back humps a man's bank," he whispered hurriedly. back simply because he cannot straighten At the mention of Arthur's name himself on account of the stiffness and sore-Blanche would have cried out, but the noss accompanying the ailment. Nature helped the camel to his hump for a special man placed his fingers deftly over her rpose. Nature will help a man to get of his hump right off if he uses St. lips. As soon as the speech was ended she fled to her room, hunted up the Jacobs Oil, because the character of the trouble is such that it needs just such a remedy to warm, soften and straighten out the contracted muscles. From the time of magazine and returned to the drawingroom.

The two men were glaring at each other in angry silence when she en-Noah down to the present time men have had lame backs, but only since the intro tion of St. Jacobs Oil has the best "This call promises to be a game of for it been known. Lumbago really disables, but St. Jacobs Oil enables one to atfreezeout, so I guess 1 will leave and tend to business without loss of time.

give you a chance to help Miss Warden put away the silver," Mr. Dulano said in a faintly sarcastic tone to Forrest. "If Miss Warden desires my help I shall certainly remain," Arthur said,

tered.

"I'm sorry you spoke of the jewels

angrily. She is a fluent speaker and able writer. "I shall require no assistance what-REFORMS NEED MORE THAN A DAY ever," the girl said, haughtily, and the two men departed together. For some minutes she sat in the dressing-room, sad and sore. Arthur Forrest, a gam-

bler, perhaps a burglar! No, it could not be. And yet why had he been so moody of late? Her heart was sore, and, with no thought of the valuables in the house, she dragged herself to bed. The night wore on and sleep came not. The clock was just striking the

hour of 3 when the door opened slowly, and she could see the shadowy outline of a man. For a moment she was paralyzed with terror. The scream that started from her heart lost itself somewhere in her throat. A thousand awful fancies chased each other through her mind as the man advanced to the bed. Then she thought of the revolver that she had intended to put under her pillow. Alas, it was peacefully reposing on the dressing-table in her father's room. The man was tall and wore a black mask. He must be the same one who had visited Mr. Dulano and Arthur the night before. Perhaps it was Arthur. At the thought of her lover the blood went coursing through her body, and, to her astonishment, she found that she was calm.

"Are you awake?" the burglar whispered, and his voice sounded strangely familiar. "Yes." she said faintly.

"Then get up. Don't be afraid. I am not going to harm you. I only want the family jewels. Take me to where they are kept," he whispered again. At the sound of that voice the last vestige of fear left her. Indignation and outraged feeling smothered every other emotion in her heart. She would prove this lover of hers. Without a

noment's hesitation she arose from her bed, glanced indifferently at the glittering barrel of the revolver in the burglar's hand and walked over to the

table, where she lit her little emergency lamp. "Follow me: I am at your mercy, but I trust you as a gentleman even though you are a burglar," she said in frigid

tones. Then she led the way through the corridor and down the back stairway to the laundry and cellars. Blanche, In her indignation, knew not that the granitoid floor was cold beneath her little bare feet. When she had almost reached the wine cellar she remembered that the key was on her father's keyring, and was probably at that time

in Chicago. An idea struck her. "Here; you hold the lamp while I affair quiet because I have a clew that | climb up and get the key," said she, inis being followed up. Of course it will dicating a niche in the wall. The man's be safe to mention it here," Dulano eyes followed her glance, and he was lost. As quick as thought she blew out replied. "To be sure. Do tell us about it," the lamp hurled it in resounding fragments on the floor and sprang upon the the girl said, eagerly. "It must have been about 2:30 o'clock burglar like a tiger. The revolver was this morning when I was aroused by hers without a struggle, and the man someone turning a key in the door that was her prisoner. communicates with the adjoining room. "Are you Arthur Forrest? Speak or I'll blow your brains out!" she cried. "I'm pretty stupid when I first awaken, but I was soon aroused to full con-"My God, spare me, Blanche! I'm sciousness by something cold against Arthur," the man whispered. my temple." She covered him with the revolver, "Oh, how dreadful!" Blanche cried, while she backed across the laundry. shivering. When she had gained the stairs she "That wasn't the dreadful part," Dubolted the door securely and fled tremlano laughed. "The part I object most blingly to the hall above. At the library door she halted, and a low cry to is what followed. The fellow held escaped her lips as she caught sight of

composition would indicate, and no ob-THE FARM AND HOME ectionable flavor was noticed. If rad-

MATTERS OF INTEREST TO FARM-ER AND HOUSEWIFE.

> Cheese Considered a Healthful Article of Food-Three Horses Can Often Lie Profitably Used-Have Variety in Pasture-General Farm Gleanings.

Making Cheese at Home. Until within a comparatively recent time, all the cheese made in this country has been of home manufacture. The method usually was where only two, three or four cows were kept, to use two messes of milk, skimming that Harriet Maxwell Converse, the Intwelve hours old, at which time probadian chieftain, is soon to start out on a bly one-half of its butter fats, and lecturing tour, her subjects being the those containing least caseine matter, history and traditions of the red men. would have risen to the surface, and mixing this with the new milk of either night or morning, this was heat-

ed to 140 degrees or 150 degrees, and To bring them about, and are always more complete and lasting when they proceed with steady regularity to a consummation. Few of the observant among us can have failed to notice that permanently healthful changes in the human system are not wrought by abrupt and violent means, and that those are the most salutary medicines which are progressive. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is the chief of these. Dyspepsia, a disease of obstinate character, is obliterated by it. as it cooled rennet was added. This was usually from a calf's stomach whose digestive juices, dried and finely powdered, when put into the milk quickly coagulated it. If the stomach of calves could not be had those of pigs were equally good, as each contained the pepsin, whose use was to The proportion of blood to the total partially digest the milk. In Holland body weight is about one to ten. In there was general use of hydrochloric the infant the relative quantity of acid which answered the same put blood is less that in the adult and is pose. Thus while milk and especially scalded milk is hard to digest, the cheese made from it is generally con-HOME PRODUCTS AND PURE FOOD.

sidered an aid to the digestion of other All Eastern Syrup, so-called, usually very light colored and of heavy body, is made from glucose. "Tea Garden Drips" is made from sugar Cane and is strictly pure. It is for sale by first-class grocers, in cans only. Manufac-tured by the Pactric Coast Syrup Co. All gen-uine "Tea Garden Drips" have the manufac-turer's name lithographed on every can. substances eaten with or before it. Hence it is regarded as a healthful article of food, especially for those with weak stomachs.-American Cultivator.

Dragging with Three Horses, There are many farm operations.

\$100 REWARD \$100. where three horses can be profitably used. While the work of plowing, especially in spring is comparatively light. if grass land or stubble has to be plowed in the fall for wheat, three horses will do enough more work to make it advisable to use them. If horse labor is cheaper than hand labor, as it surely is, to enable one man to use three horses instead of two increases the advantage. But the work of drag ging, especially with the spring tooth harrows which tear up the soil, is better done with three horses than with

Variety in Pasture. In seeding land to grass it would be

crease its feeding value.

Cherries.

vorite. It is a rapid grower, healthy,

vigorous and always fruitful. When

Flower Beds.

delay when the time comes for plant-

ing, says an exchange. There is no in-

a larger proportionate return of pleas-

ure than a small sum devoted to flower

seed. It is a good time, while the men

placing with good surface soil from

the woods or fields, mixing in some

sand, if needed, and some old manure,

or chip dirt from wood pile. A bed pre-

pared in this way, if the water does not

stand in it, will produce a vigorous

growth and abundant bloom in most

garden flowers, and well repay the

labor. Some few kinds do best in poor

soil, or in special locations, but the

great majority thrive best in a deep,

rich, moist, but not wet loam. When

such a bed is once prepared it needs

only an occasional top dressing to keep

it in fine condition forever .- Farmers'

Review.

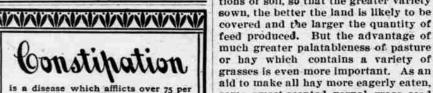
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vestment you can make that will bring

Lay your plans, so there will be no

The Early Richmond is the prime fa-

A pound of phosphorus heads 1,000, 000 matches.



Warners

Mr. Gladstone is now very deaf, but, ical changes in the ration were made in spite of increasing decrepitude, he gradually and not suddenly, and no dresses as jauntily as of yore, is never spoiled or moldy silage allowed to reach the cow, it is probable there can hurl defiance at the "great assaswould be little complaint of any unsin" as forcefully as if he was 40 years pleasant flavor from silage. Of course, younger. Somebody who saw the milk should not be exposed long in a right honorable gentleman as he was stable filled with odors of c'lage or any departing for Cannes not many weeks others objectionable. .t the Kansas ago writes that he reminded her of an station the occasional taint noticed in ancient oak tree, with a pink blossomthe milk when silage was fed was ening on its hoary trunk.

Gladstone Still a Dresser.

Raising the Backs of Pews.

been patented by a church-goer of Sandy

ing grooved to receive the end of a

panel, and having a recess in the sides

of the upper part of the bracket to re-

ceive the top rail. Clamps in the cen-

ter of the panel strenghten the attach-

ment, which can be rendered as orna-

Legislation in Wisconsin.

The Hide in Evidence.

War Vessels Now Being Built.

for the British navy eighty-nine ves-

sels; for the French, thirty-three; for

the Russian, thirty-nine; for the Ger-

man, nineteen, and for the Italian,

thirteen. Of these vessels which are

being built by Great Britain, forty-

eight are torpedo boats, while of the

others powers Italy is the only one that

A Custom of the Rothschilds.

family to purchase six pearls, each

costing £100, at the birth of each girl

baby. Upon each birthday six more

pearls are added to the original nest

egg, so that when the young woman

makes her debut into society a casket

of magnificent gems is presented to

Canada's Population.

Rival Seaports.

her.

It is the custom in the Rothschild

is building any, and she only one.

There are now in process of building

A Chicago man who sued a street car

mental as may be desired.

Lake, Pa. It consists of brackets be-

tirely avoided by feeding the silage immediately after instead of before milk-A device for heightening the backs of ing pews when the same are too low has

The Idaho Pear.

The Idaho pear is a pear of great hardiness and will grow where scarcely any other pear will. The editor of he Plowman visited the originator of the pear two years ago. The pear in shape is more like an apple than a pear. It is above medium size, and is of good flavor. It is not an extra keeper, but it is a fine pear for as late as say the first of November. As grown in the

East, or Middle West, it is described The Wisconsin senate has passed a as being of medium to large in sizebill providing that no foreign corpora-), 10 and 11 inches in circumference, tion which is a member of a trust be of Duchesse shape, though rounder, permitted to enforce any contract in flesh finer grained than that variety, the state. It also adopted an amendquite as good as the leading market ment to the general election law to alpears, flesh fine-grained, buttery and low the gold Democrats a place on the melting, with a "very good" flavor .-ticket and to enable them to retain Western Plowman, their party organization. The house rejected a bill for the taxation of

Destroying Potato Scab. church property. It has long been known that flour

of sulphur applied to anything was a good germlicde. The experience of a practical farmer, as told by Horace F. company for \$5,000 damages for killing Wilcox, in the New York Tribune, his \$2,000 St. Bernard dog, which was shows how this knowledge saved his said to be one of the largest in Amerpotato crop from destruction, though ica, brought into court as one of his planted on land where a year before. exhibits a handsome rug made of the th potato scab had entirely destroyed skin and the head of his dog. The it. He first cut the potatoes, and while jury were seemingly greatly impressed in the pail with the sut surface fresh, by its appearance, but gave a verdict he put a pint of sulphur on top of the for the company. heap, allowing it to sift down so that all got some of the sulphur. The crop was entirely free from scab, and many

yet yellow with sulphur in the hills when the crop was dug. Horticultural Notes. Plant fruit first for the family and

of the cut pieces, used for seed, were

then for the market. Get that rotten apple out of the pile in the cellar if you have to sort the whole tile.

Keep the house plants in health. An occasional smoking with tobacco will do them good. Frozen fruits and roots are not as valuable as when they are not frozen,

tions of soil, so that the greater variety are they? Keep them from freezing. then. covered and the larger the quantity of We insist that on a farm that is near a market more money * can be made

from gardening than from general farming.-Western Plowman.

aid to make all hay more eagerly eaten, Gleanings. some sweet-scented vernal grass seed No inexpensive thing will insure ought to be sown. It will be eaten close quality in butter as a quantity of dry to the soil by every kind of stock, and earth to use freely about the stable. It when left for hay the aroma from it absorbs odors as well as liquids. will penetrate the whole mass and in-When hogs die from cholera, the

safest plan is to burn rather than bury the carcass and all that has been in contact with it. Fire is a certain puri-

If a cow loses her appetite, treat her in the last few years in the tonnage of as you do yourself (if you are sensiits foreign commerce. Liverpool still ble), give her a change of diet. By is far ahead in the matter of coastwise trade by sea, and, owing to that fact, the way, a warm bran mash is an exthe total tonnage of shipping entering cellent "change of diet."

NEILL OF ARKANSAS.

seen without a flower in his coat, and Another U. S. Congressman Indorses Paine's Celery Compound.



Within the past year, among the the remedy is an excellent one, and do thousands of hearty testimonials to the not hesitate to recommend it to the wonderful curative powers of Paine's suffering."

celery compound that have been re- To postpone at such a vital time as ceived by Wells, Richardson & Com- this regulating the nerves and purifypany-among the thousands of grateful ing the blood is a serious mistake. etters received from every state and Men and women distressed by nervous town in the country, there have come troubles or the effects of impure blood no less than six hearty indorsements cannot afford now to lose a day before from members of the national house of taking advantage of Paine's celery compound. representatives.

All were willing that their experi- In order to avoid disappointment acence should be published, believing cept nothing but Paine's celery comrightly that they might thus do good to pound. A clerk who tries to sell something else than what people ask for is

In these columns have already been evidently not disinterested. He has an published, the letters received from eye to profits more than to the good of Congressmen Meredith, Bell, Grout and customers.

Powers. Now comes a letter from There can be no substitute for Paine's Congressman Robert Neill of Arkanelery compound. sas, as follows: This has been shown time and time

"My home is at Batesville, Ark. again in cases where persons, too easily During the last spring and summer my led, have carried home something beeldest daughter, then 17 years of age, sides Paine's celery compound, and was in very poor health, suffering from have failed to get the decided benefit general debility, nervous prostration they had hoped for. and frequent slight fevers. She had The strongest indorsement ever re-

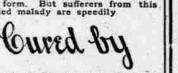
The Canadian department of agriculthe best medical attention, but ap- ceived for this great spring remedyture estimates the population of the parently with little benefit. In the and no remedy ever compared with Dominion to be 5,125,438, a gain of latter part of September last, while Paine's celery compound in the charrather less than 300,000 since the cen- still feeble she began the use of Paine's acter and the number of the witnesses sus of 1891. In 1890 there were two celery compound, and improved in to its efficiency-the strongest indorsestates of the Union that exceeded Can- health continuously. In three months ment it ever received did not overestiada in population-New York, with she had fully recovered, and is now in mate or exaggerate in the least its un-5,997,853 inhabitants, and Pennsylva- perfect health. I am bound to think rivalled power of making people well.



diminished in old age.



Constipution Is a disease which afflicts over 75 per dangerous disease because it not only oppression and dulls the intellect. Then follow chronic headache, loss of appe-tic, slow digestion, nervousness, bad breath, dings, complexiton and low spirits. It will eventually bring on hver and kidney disease in some incur-able form. But sufferers from this dreaded of the sufferers from this



planted on different slopes the time for picking this one variety may be extend-Warner's SAFE Cure and Warner's SAFE Pills. Leading physicians the world over, have acknowledged this fact, and thousands of people through-ow the land have to stifted to it. ed over twenty days. The cherry is not as freely planted as it should be. it perhaps gives better satisfaction for

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his gun calmly with one hand while he went through my clothes and helped himself to my watch, my diamond scarf pin and all my ready money." "At what time dld you say that oc-

curred?" Arthur Forrest asked. "Well, I didn't have any watch to tell

me the exact time, but after I had lain awake some three or four minutes the chimes on Pilgrim Church sounded the three-quarter hour and after an equally long time the clock struck 3," Dulano replied, with a comical drawl. "Guess it was watches he was after.

He got mine at about the same time Wonder if he visited any of the other fellows at our house?" Forrest said. "What! the burglar was in your room, too, Arth-Mr. Forrest?" Blanche

cried "Yes, but he had the kindness to let me sleep until he got what he wanted. He awakened me as he went through

the window," the young man replied. "Oh, please don't tell me any more," Blanche exclaimed. "You will have me so frightened. And I have to stay in this great house with no one but the servants. You know poor Leona is very ill and papa and mamma were called to Chicago to-day, so I am alone," Miss Warden said with some uneasiness.

"Really, Blanche, it isn't safe for you to stay here alone," Arthur said, seriously.

"Oh, I'm not afraid. I'll put the jew els and plate in the big chest in the wine cellar and sleep with a revolver under my pillow. It would be real fun to have a burglar come," Blanche replied, laughing.

Then they dismissed that terror-inspiring theme from their conversation. but Arthur continued restless and uneasy. He stood at the window and the burglar and I thought you were sang. As Dulano turned the music for her, he whispered softly:

"Slip into the library for a moment I have something important to say to you." Then he said aloud: "I think I shall take a smoke in the library, if I may be excused."

When he had left the room Blanche walked over to the deep bay window and laid her hand gently on Arthur's arm. "What makes you so silent this evening, dear?" she asked tenderly.

"Oh, Blanche, I hate that Dulano. suppose I am jealous, but I wish you wouldn't have him hanging around here," he exclaimed, while his handsome face crimsoned.

"But, Arthur, you brought him here before you ever spoke of love to me Surely, you are not afraid of him now that you have my promise?" the girl said seriously.

"No, dearest, I do not doubt you. I felt sorry for him-a stranger there at the boarding-house. And, besides, I wanted him to meet the sweetest woman in St. Louis," he whispered, as he pressed just the suggestion of a kiss on her cheek.

"By the way, I'll go and hunt up that Harper for you, dear." she said, with an effort at spontanelty that was not altogether a success. Then she left the drawing-room, walked half way up the stairs, descended softly and slipped into the library. Dulano was at her side he goes to work for a railroad is the Io an instant, 7 1 5

another man in the open window. "Blanche, my darling, are you safe?" Arthur Forrest cried, as he beheld her white-robed figure.

"How did you escape? I thought the outer door was locked," she said, as she repelled his touch. "Escape!" the young man cried, in as-

tonishment. "I have been following him since midnight. One of my men, who was left here to guard the house, tells me that he entered this window ten minutes ago. The fellow was afraid to follow alone. I have tracked him from Broadway and twice he evaded me. Where is he, darling?" "Who-who is it you are looking for?"

the girl gasped. "Wallace Dulano. The officers are

here to arrest him. Is he still in the house?" Arthur asked, eagerly. "There is no way of escape except up the pantry stairs," Blanche replied. Then, while Arthur led the officers in

she slipped away to her room and donned her dressing gown and slippers. In a few minutes she joined her fiance in the reception hall. The gas was burning brightly now and she could hear the heavy tread of men as they took their prisoner from her impromptu jall. "You are a brave little woman." Ar-

thur said fondly as he led her to a divan. "No; I am a miserable coward, but

I am a proud woman, and when a woman thinks she has been wronged fire and storm cannot stop her," Blanche said, humbly.

"What do you mean by that, dear est?" the lover asked. "Oh, Arthur, he lied to me and I be-

lieved him. He told me that you were using even my love to further your own wicked ends. That is why I had cour- dress. Swift age to walk downstairs at the end of a revolver. Can you ever forgive me for Atlanta Ga.

cherishing such an ignoble thought?" she cried as she buried her face on his breast. "Yes, my darling," the young man

said, tenderly. "But I have stolen something that is of infinitely more value than your plate and jewels. 1 have stolen this noble heart and I am willing to admit that I am a bold, bad burglar."-Ottawa Free Press.

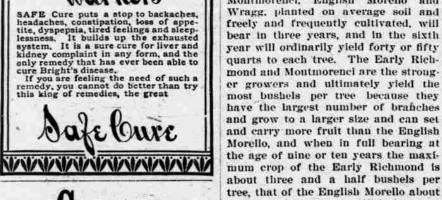
Indians Not Allowed to Vote. The expression "Indians not taxed" refers to the Indians in their tribal relations. Tribal Indians are not allowed to vote because they are not taxed. and are the wards of the Government,-

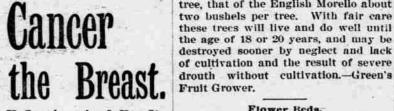
rather than citizens of the country. The Government considers them as its proteges, whom it must protect. When the tribal relations of the Indians are dissolved and their land is divided among them, to be held by individuals rather than by tribes, it is almost certain that provision will be made for

them as citizens, and that, being landowners and taxpayers, they will be entitled to and will receive all the rights of full citizenship. The first thing a man gets onto after

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pass combination.





Mr. A. H. Crausby, of 158 Kerr St., Memphis, Tenn., says that his wife paid no attention to a small lump which ppeared in her breast, but it soon developed into a cancer of the worst type, and notwithstanding the treatment the best physicians, it continued to spread and grow rapidly, eating two holes in her breast. The doctors

have leisure, to prepare the beds. If soon pronounced her incurable. A the ground is poor and the subsoil compact it will pay to dig it out at least two celebrated New York spades deep and fill in good soil. When specialist then treat-ed her, but she conit is done once it is done forever, and an occasional top dressing is all it will tinued to grow worse 方角 and when informed need while you live. The men and that both her aunt teams have leisure now; this work can and grandmother had be done wherever the ground is not died from cancer he frozen. If the soil is fairly good throw gave the case up as out a spade deep, and then take out hopeless. another spade deep and haul it away, Someone then re-

11 commended S.S.S. and though little hope remained, she begun it, and an improvement was noticed. The cancer commenced to heal and when she had taken several bottles it disappeared entirely, and although several years have elapsed, not a sign of the disease has ever returned.

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the business. It is not cold, but wet weather that doubles up the sheep. Dry cold is a tonic for them, but when the thick

zards. Therefore make shelters for He stands 6 feet 3 inches in height. sheep, that are always accessible. Many farmers purchase farming tools without any assurance that they will meet the requirements of soil and crop, the purchase price being, in many cases, virtually thrown away. This is not business. Judicious men do not let the craze for something new to thus

get away with their judgment. Turkeys are the nearest self-sustaining of all domestic fowls. Give them room enough out doors and they will keep fat the year round. But it is prudent to teach them that "there is no place like home," and that there is always a little corn there later in the

evening. Turkeys need a little looking after or they may "take up with some other fellow." If there were no thieves outside of the penitentiary there would be more profit in raising turkeys.

Broad Tires the Thing. A writer in the Indianapolis Journal, in an article on "Broad vs. Narrow Tires," argues strongly for the former, saying, in part:

"Without one single dissenting voice, the students of road economics say that the greatest road destroyer is the narrow-tired wagon. It cuts like a knife, and no matter how carefully the surface is graded and leveled a rut is bound to follow its use. It finds every soft spot and cuts until a fine reservoir is formed to hold the rains. On the

fuccess'ul Egg F rming. Egg farming, when properly carried on, has proven to be one of the most

profitable branches of the poultry ining surface presented to the road predustry. The writer has in mind vents any material cutting, but, on the young farmer who runs a fruit, truck contrary, acts as a roller, soothing out and egg farm, and in a recent conversation with him, learned that the income from his egg farm supported his family, while that from fruit and vegetables was put in bank. Five acres are devoted to poultry, on which are kept 500 hens, divided between the Brown Leghorn and Black Hamburg. The five acres are sub-divided into ten yards, giving 50 hens to the yard. These hens average 125 eggs per year apiece, maker on wide than on narrow tires over ing 5,208 dozen, which bring an average price of 15 cents, making \$781.20. Deducting \$500 for food, leaves a profit

Why Fhe Decided. Kittle-Which will you accept, Frank come South recently have taken up the Waite or Charlie Pruyn?

poultry business and are pushing i' industriously .- A. B. Cook, in American think I will accept Frank. Kittle-For his money? Kittle-For his money? Maud-No; for his asking.-New Feeding for Flavor. A New York station bulletin says that

. Womanly Intuition. "I don't know," cried the excited fem.

dry fodder, preferably clover hay, and sllage twice with grain. Feeding of you are my husband or a burglar, but corn sliage did not produce any in-ferior quality of milk so far as chemical shoot."-London Figaro.

and clearing in a year is greater in the English city. Leprosy Congress.

nia, with 5,258,014.

The German government is sending out invitations to an international congress on leprosy, at which Dr. Koch. the eminent bacteriologist, will pre-Russia have already intimated their intention of being officially represented.

Some Things That Never Sleep. Naturalists have discovered that there are several species of fish which never sleep, and that many species of flies are awake from the time they are hatched until they die. There are some dogs and cats, also, that apparently never sleep-that is, at night.

Buined by the Famine.

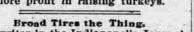
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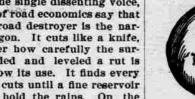
Veteran of the Clans. Sir R. Menzies, the hereditary chief of the Clan Menzies, is the oldest woolen coat becomes soaked with Highland chief of any clan now living. water, and then the cold wind strikes He is in his eightieth year, and wears them, look away to the east for buz- a kilt winter and summer continuously.

> Among the greatest sufferers from the Indian famine are the jewelers in Delhi, whose business is ruined, as hardly any marriages take place, and everybody wants to sell ornaments instead of buying.

A single bee, with its industry, energy and the innumerable journeys it has to perform, will not collect much more than a teaspoonful of honey in a single season. During the first weeks of 1896 the

number of cases of rabies in dogs reported in England was 423, more than one-fourth of them being in London.





contrary, the wide tire not only keeps Gladness Comes gravel but also dirt roads smooth and With a better understanding of the in good condition. The amount of beartransient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper ef-forts-gentle efforts-pleasant efforts-rightly directed. There is comfort in

rough spots and solidifying the smooth the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disthe knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual dis-ease, but simply to a constipated condi-tion of the system, which the pleasant family laxative. Syrup of Figs, prompt-ly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its bene-ficial effects, to note when you pur-chase, that you have the genuine arti-cle, which is manufactured by the Cali-fornia Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists. If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely ded and gives most general satisfaction. ones. When the frost is coming out of the ground in the spring the narrow tire gets in its work of cutting the surface and forming ruts to start the season with, while the wide tire is in itself a roadmaker, smoothing and packing the upheaved surface. The wide tire is also easier on the team. A much heavier load may be hauled with the same pow-

any road in the State outside the larger cities. The same is true on the farm in the fields."

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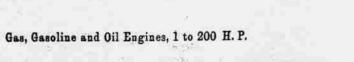
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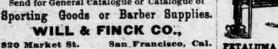
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