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ONE OF LINCOLN'S JOKES.

a Call at the White House

Colonel Clark E. Carr of Galesburg

"I'm going to the White House to

they met in front of the treasury build-

ing. Carr went with kim. They were

shown into the president's working

have been cut from a bathroom pattern

or the cover of a prairie schooner. His

hair was more fromteled than usual,

sppearance of the presidential ho-

siery were such as would have made

Jerry Simpson envious, provided the

gave his callers an Illinois greeting

and then shoved up one of the sleeves

of his curious garment and pointed out

to his visitors the inflamed condition of

Lincoln in a cold blooded manner. Love-

joy said yes and proceeded to talk about

smallpox when we went there?"

Carr. "Why didn't you say so?"

Captain McKay and His Passengers.

anxiety, he informed them plainly of the

safety. So far, so good. The passengers

and not imagine worse things for them-

selves But what the passengers had no

right to ask for was information as to

he course that the captain was going t-

oursne, and Captain McKay made

nistake in not snubbing the first gentle-

man who questioned him on the subject.

Why don't you send up rockets?" one

of the passengers is said to have plain-

tively demanded. "There will be time

the unlucky commander of the ship.

Had he only answered, as he would

have been perfectly justified in doing

would certainly have done, "What busi-

ness is that of yours?" he might have made himself a little unpopular, but be

would have saved himself from much

have actually divided themselves into two

confidence or censure. Happily com-

have been done had the vote of censure

been passed we cannot guess, but this

A. Duffy, had an exciting experience

with burglars at his house early Monday

One of the burglars in rummaging through his drawing room stumbled

elry or silverware attempted to open it

ing in his home.

captain evasively, but courteously,

asked Lovejoy:

"You knew I had the smallpox," said

Few material accidents of our lives have the subtle, direct, compelling influ A Visitor Who Was Terribly Scared During ence upon us that is exerted by odors Neither sight nor sound, wonder working as both are, has power to recall an who was minister to Denmark under the association or create a mood, as has an Harrison administration, was in Washodor, unnoticed, perhaps oftener than ington one day when Lincoln was presinot, at the time, which yet fastens itself | dont. past escaping to certain moods and associations and clings forevermore to their see Abe," said Owen Lovejoy to Carr as garments. - Boston Commonwealth.

Childish Simplicity.

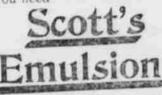
Teacher—If any pupil can answer, let her raise her hand. Well, Mary, you He wore a long garment which might may tell.

"Please, ma'am, I don't know," "Then why did you raise your hand?" "I couldn't help it, ma'am. Uncle and the carpet slippers were worn down John gave me this ring last night."-Bos- and without heels. The condition and



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FOR THE FARMERS

Selected Matter Worthy of a Careful Perusal.

SUBSOIL PLOWING RESULTS.

Carn on Subsail-Plawed Ground Seems to Possess a Special Element of Strength That Will Demonstrate the Value of

The following letter, giving the results of experiments with subsoil-plowing, ad States has at his command a greater was recently received by the Secretary sumber of railway milenges free of cost of Agriculture from Peter Youngers, Jr., than perhaps any man in the world, of Youngers & Co., Geneva, Neb.

Having practiced subsoil-plowing extensively on our nursery grounds near Geneva in growing fruit and ornamental trees with gratifying results, we con-

of 1803 consisted of corn and potatoes. Corn that year being only a very moderate crop in this vicinity (maximum forty bushels per acre, and the average no exceeding twenty bushels), we harvested a crop of seventy-five bushels per acre from a strip of ground that had been cally a failure in this vicinity; the reabout 125 bushels per acre.

This season (1894) the crop consists of rye, oats, corn and potatoes. Rye har-vested indicates a yield of thirty-five bushels per acre, while rye in an adjoining field—the same seed, planting and pay his fare in the coin of the realm, harvest, but not subsoiled—will yield for which I gave him a receipt. ten bushels per acre.

Oats on land subsoil-plowed in fall of I reached St. Louis. The posterfice au-1893 will yield forty to forty-five bushels per acre; oats on land subsoil-plowed in fall of 1802 will yield thirty to thirty-five bushels per acre; oats on land ading under ordinary cultivation will ield ten to fifteen bushels per acre (the average crop under the adverse condi-tions that prevailed), in each instance eral commanding the conductors of all Comparatively coarse ones were woven the seed, soil and planting being the railroad trains which carry mail to pass

The superiority of subsoil cultivation is especially conspicuous in the length of straw and stand on the ground.

The results of experiments with this year's corn and potatoes cannot at this time be determined. With a continuation of the present favorable conditions we will have the largest yield of corn we have ever had. Even under these favorable conditions the corn on subsoilplowed ground seems to possess a special element of strength that will in all probability exert its influence in demonstrating the value of subsoil cultivation.

BRAN VS. WHEAT.

other matters, while Carr's few hairs had inclinations to stand up, and he The Results of a Test in Which They moved about in his chair as if it con-Were Compared.

tained dynamite. The visit over, the In view of the very low price of wheat caller passed out. Once in the air, Clark and the probable doubt in which many "Did you know the president had the farmers find themselves as to whether to sell or feed their wheat, the results of "Certainly," was the answer.
"You d—d scoundrel!" shricked a test I made last winter in which bran and wheat were compared may be of

"I've had it," replied Lovejoy, "and supposed you had."
"Well, I never had it!" roared Carr. On February 15 two lots of ewes with But if I do have it now I want you to give me a certificate that I caught the and their mothers. They were confined disease from Abe Lincoln. That will be in stalls, given what mixed hay they would eat, and were watered from pails For their grain ration one lot was given half corn and half bran by weight, the But Lovejoy had no occasion to do so, as Lincoln had the varioloid only. - Chiother half wheat and half corn. The day what they would eat up clean of the same ration. The bran-fed lot weighed same ration. The bran-fed lot weighed at this date 1731 pounds and on March The fact is that the excellent captain. of the Umbria, Captain McKay, was a 13 220 pounds, a gain of 46%. Those fed on wheat weighed at the beginning little more open with his passengers than was quite prudent. With the laudable of the experiment 168% and at the close desire of sparing them any unnecessary

229, a gain of 61% pounds.

Dropping out of account one from each cause of the stoppage of their course and lot that made very little gain, owing to genially assured them of their perfect the fact that their mothers were very poor sucklers, those fed on bran made you know?"
an average gain of 5 pounds 10 ounces; "Tompkin had a right to ask that much, and it was but sensible to let them know the truth those fed on wheat, an average gain of 7 pounds 9 ounces. So far as this ex-periment goes it shows wheat to be the cheaper feed at the present relative prices, 42 cents per bushel and 70 cents per hundred. No trouble arose from constipation among the wheat-fed lambs,

Grade the Butter.

Until country storekeepers grade the snough for rockets when a vessel comes butter they buy and pay just what they near enough to see them," answered the can afford to for each separate lot, oleo- Weekly. margarine will find a place. Some farm-The politeness was fatal. After the ers' wives make butter that is just as implied admission that rockets and other fine as ever came from any dairy, and ships were necessary to their salvation they should get the highest price for it, the passengers had a terriffic hold upon the passengers had a terriffic hold upon while other samples are not fit to cook with and should be condemned. When butter is bought and paid for according to its quality, country butter will imand as a great many other captains prove in its average quality.

POULTRY NOTES. Remember to keep the drinking ves-

further worry. The passengers seem to sels supplied with water. A small stock well cared for will pay different camps and discussed a vote of more dollars than a large one neglected Market your eggs when fresh and you men sense carried the day, and a vote of will establish a reputation that brings onfidence was carried. What would money.

Don't feed surplus cockerels till they become "old roosters." It takes corn and cuts the price to do it. Some who supply customers regularly

at least we may say-that if that motion had been carried it would have been the with fresh eggs use a rubber stamp to mark on each egg the date on which it plain duty of the captain to put the mover, seconder and principal supporters of the resolution in irons. - London Spec-Gather the eggs daily-store in a cool

dry place, and find as far as possible private customers that will take eggs weekly W. A. Meany, bookkeeper for Joseph or oftener. When shipping poultry long distances

supply the coops with corn and water. Do not mix a lot of meal and compel the morning. He is but recently married. eating of sour stuff. and among his wedding presents was a The hog has been called the mortgage music box. To this happy circumstance raiser. Have you ever tried to see what a few hens well cared for will do toward

did not succeed in carrying off everypreventing a mortgage? Fresh eggs are always wanted and they are as hard to get in summer as in winter, and we are inclined to think across the package of stored music, and harder, for eggs so soon become stale in thinking probably that it contained jew-

warm weather. Many Colorado poultry fanciers are In doing so he set the music machine in using extract of logwood as a preven-motion, and presently Mr. Meany was tive of cholers. Put enough in the roused from his alumbers by the touch drinking water, once a week, to redder ing strains of "Auld Lang Syne." Mr. it the least bit.

Meany got his gun and started for the We hold that no farm is properly hirgiars, and they started for a window. He arrived at the dewing room doorway just in time to see two burglars leaping and that no farm is properly managed from the window. He fired, but the least a small flow of fowls that are not half roosters, from the window. He fired, but the

robbers continued their flight. One of larly, them stumbled in getting over the front . If you have old hens that are to be fence, and Mr. Meany is convinced that disposed of this fall, it will pay to sell For a DET GOODS AND CLOTHING HOUSE at Discovering Organics, and Sir. Meany is convinced that as soon as they quit laying. Grain is money these days, and led to fat hense that are not laying, it will bring no paying, Oregon. Address N. a Kallogo, Organics.

PERVERTED VERSE.

There was a young fellow named Cholmonde Who in face and in figure was colmondeley. He was married one maughan To a lady named Vaughan, But they quarreled and always sat gioli

There was a young man of Bordeaux, Who called to his horse and said "Wheaux!" But his herse ran aweigh With a terrified neigh, And to probably still on the graus.

There was a young just to Wemyes Who cried, "the here a real it semys When asker, late at fight, Lively poetry to wright, And, awakesing, find it's but dremysal

One Kind of Railroad Pass.

"The postmaster general of the Unitsaid L. N. Tinsley, a railway passenger conductor. "My ignorance of this came very nearly costing me my job a few

"Over in Illinois one midnight the through train, of which I had charge, cluded to experiment with grain and was flagged at a little way station, and a red faced man climbed aboard the The ground was prepared by subsoil-lowing in the fall of 1892, and the crop my train at that hour of the night made front passenger coach. The stopping of me mad to begin with, and I was in no good humor when I approached my new passenger to collect his fare. Then, when he slowed at me a much handled place of pasteboard, signed by the postmaster general and commanding in im-The potato crop was practi- perious language that the helder be carried free of charge on all trains carrying sult of our experiment was a good crop United States mails, I lost my temper completely. I was so mad that I would listen to no explanation from him, because I considered him either a train robber or an imposter and made him

"I soon heard from my mistake after thorities and the railway people came down on me like a thousand of brick. I learned from them that my midnight passenger was a postoflice inspector, and that every man in this service is providthe bearer free. The name of no railread company or official appears on the card, but the holder of it can travel on any road in the United States as far as he wants to go without paying a cent." -St. Louis Republic.

A Six year-old Gentieman

American children are to often nui sances, owing to the indulgence of parents who love not wisely, but too well. Undisciplined at home, they are insufferable abroad and add a new terror to republican institutions, and on them depends the salvation of our country. But, thank heaven, there are exceptions to whom ! thankfully turn, thinking with gratitude of fathers and mothers who love their offspring with profound wisdom. There omes to me the memory of such a child

as gave full menning to Christ's words. I never looked into his lovely face, aming with sweet intelligence, that he did not make me think of heaven and earth. No man, woman or child approached this boy without feeling his able benign influence and honoring his par-Each lot contained nine lambs which nature was partially responsible. -Kate Field's Washington.

True of Other Clock Towers Too

The Old South was standing grim and mbs were fed by themselves twice a runtlike buildings of Washington street, It was 3:15. But when Tompkins looked signals his companions above that he is those to whom I have recommended them. I find them a very breastplate against coing up at the dial on the hallowed church it ready to ascend, and he is then hauled and coughs. Mans Gov Prages. "I say, Creighton, did you know the ures -Exchange.

"No," hastily answered Creighton. "I bein's segment from the foorce?" "No, twat knew there had been some talk about it but had no definite knowledge. How do sellin' artificial batther." but had no definite knowledge. How do

"Tompkins pointed to the dial. cause it's changed hands already."-Boston Budget.

A Magie Word.

Bilkins-That bill is all right, but I haven't any money about me, and-Collector-You'd better look sharp then, or you'll find the sheriff-Bilkins-And, I was going to say, I'd have to give you a check.

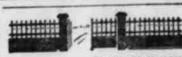
Collector-Oh-er-never mind, it's no consequence. I'll call again. - New York

He Lost by One Letter.

Every man should always write as plainly as he can. Once upon a time a a young man wrote to a girl, "Your leveliness has inspired me to ask you to become my wife." She read it "lenellness," and got so everlastingly mad that the refused him by return mail. - Somes cille Journal.

Are Men Getting More Vain?

A local philosopher, who makes a practice of observing other people's manners and commenting upon their habits, states that nearly every mannow practice of observing other people's manners and commenting upon their carries a pocket mirror. According to im, this habit has grown immensely of late, and nearly every man can be isserved at frequent intervals pulling a glass out of his pocket and looking at the set of his necktie or the appearance of his whiskers. - Philadelphia Call.



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Some Curious Things That Amuse and Astonish Men of Science. Nature's freaks of fancy afford a strange study. People are constantly sending to the National museum supposed fessil animals and other oddities which are in reality mere accidental forms carved by water. A pebble in a stream gathers about itself grains of sand until an old shaped lump is made. A favorite shape for such lumps

is that of a turtle with four legs, a head and tall, even the lines of the shell being sometimes distinct. Similar concretions of carbonate of iron and clay assome the appearance of petrified peanuts. Break one, and you will always find inside a small spiral winkle shell, which has served as the nucleus, A queer counterfeit of this kind, forwarded to Washington not long ago, was an alleged fossil foot of a child, with a litthe stocking on, the latter showing signs of wear on the ball of the foot and on the heel. It was only a concretion, at the other day. was likewise what appeared to be a pet-

rifled oyster on the shell. One connect scientist has been amusing himself of late by making imitation quiter webs out of quartz fibers. It is tell it briefly. It happened in the preswell known that copper wire can be drawn to a flucuess much less than the thickness of a hair-in fact, to the diameter of the one-thousandth part of an inch. But glass may be spun finer than copper, while even the finest spun glass is not so fine as silk fiber. The latter, threads that can be obtained by melting mantly. quartz under a blowpipe and pulling it out. Such threads may be reduced to a thinness of one-millionth of an inch. Drawn to such tenuity, they are invisible under a microscope of the highest power. Yet they are stronger in proportion to their thickness than the best quality of bur steel. Enough thread like this could be made from a single cubic inch of quartz to go around the world 658 times. A grain of sand barely large enough to be visible to the naked eye

would yield 1,000 miles of thread. Obviously no practical use can be into cobwebs by the scientist aforesaid. They would not eatch flies because they were too slippery, having no gluten on them, like real cobwebs. This difficulty was got over by moistening a straw in castor oil and gently stroking the threads with it; then the webs captured flies fairly well. But a cobweb is incomplete without a spider, so it occurred to the experimenter to attract an arachnid to his web by the buzzing of a fly. It was difficult to make a fly buzz to order, but a satisfactory imitation was produced by permitting a tuning fork to vibrate against the quartz fibers. This fetched the spider right away. The scientist also amused himself with blowing bubbles of quartz, which looked exactly like the most beautiful soap bubbles. -Washington Star.

Sponge Fishing. The Greeks are considered the principal sponge fishers, and it takes much experience, skill and hardihood to qualirejoice that so fine a spirit walked the fy a man for a first class place among spenge divers. Many of the most valuspecimens are found at a depth varying from 10 to 85 fathoms. To aid lambs averaging five weeks old were ents. Though only 6 years old, he was in the descent, the divers make use of a selected, making the lots as similar as a gentleman in a grace of manner, for triangular stone, with a hole in one corner, through which a rope is spliced. On reaching the deep sea gardens, where the rock ledges are clothed with marine growths, the diver, retaining a hold on his rope, dexterously breaks away the white among the telegraph wires and holdfast of the spenges and places them under his arm until a sufficient load has when Creighton and Tompkins passed by been gleaned, when a pull on the rope It was 3:15. But when Tompkins looked signals his companions above that he is was only 8:45. Then he turned round. to the surface, bearing his ocean treas-

THE LAND OF PROMISE

Is the mighty West, the land that "tickied with a hoe laughs a harvest," the El Dorado of the miner, the goal of the agricultural emigrant. While it teems with all the elements of wealth and prosperity, some of the fairest and most fruitful portions of it bear a harvest of maiaria reaped is its fullness by those unprotected by a medicinal asleguard. No one seeking or dwelling in a malarial locality is safe from the scourse without Hostetter's Stomach Bitters Emigrants, bear this in mind. Commercial travelers sojourning in malarious regions should carry a bottle of the Bitters in the traditional gripsack. Against the effects of expassive, men tail or hodily overwork, damp and unwholesome food or water, it is sn infallible defense. Constitution, rhetmatism, biliousness, dyspepsia, nervourness and loss of strength are all remedied by this genial restorative.

At the Butchers. "Why did you put that large mirror near the door?" "To prevent the servant girls watching the scales."

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And Yet, After All, the Little Tot Made No. Trouble About It. "This highway business is getting so bad that something must be done soon, said the stout man to a reporter as he looked over his free paper and read of another holdup. "Why, just the other day my daughter was going home about 6 o'clock, when she was stopped by a man who said he wanted her money. She just yelled as loud as she could and There was no one in sight or hearing, but the fellow evidently got scared and quit, and she got home all right. That was terrible," said the lean

an with the serious face. 'It was, for a fact," said the stout

'Not a circumstance to a case I saw the other day," said the lean man, as if Jones, a white man who follows the oo he didn't care if the subject were dropped right there or not.

'What's that?' said the stort man, "Fact. Not half as bad as one I saw 'What was it?" asked the stout man

as the gang began to listen.
"Well, I hate to tell it, but if you insist on the story I guess I'll have to ence of at least 20 people. I am sorry to say I was one of them. A little girl not over 5 years of age was held up, and

Why didn't you get up and do some however, is course compared with the thing?" asked the stout man indig-

10 cents and a child's car ticket taken

from her, and never a soul to offer an

"It was none of my affair," said the lean man carelessly. 'Where was this?" blurted the stout

man, growing fierce. "Oh, on a street car. The little girl's mother held her up so the conductor could take the fare.

The stout man collapsed, and the lear man continued to look as if he was not in any way interested in the case. -St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Our Lessening Trade With Spain.

An old export house with European onnections, doing a large business in Great Britain and on the continent, has called our attention to the large falling off in trade between the United States and Spain. About a year ago the Spanish customs authorities issued an order demanding that a certificate of origin should accompany all goods entering that country, which practically has resulted in discriminations against goods from the United States. Heretofore orders taken by European travelers for German or other houses could be exe- go through the canal on the 23d of April cuted from here, and the fact that they were rebilled by German merchants, for instance, was sufficient to enable them to enter Spanish territory under conditions covered by the favored nation will be lit by electricity, with two pow-clause. Now that has been changed, to erful lights at each end and a row of the detriment of American shippers .- lights through its entire length .- London Iron Age. _

A CHARge. Of the 26 barons who signed the Magun Charta three wrote their names and 23 made their mark. This is all changed

few succeed in making their mark.—
Boston Transcript.

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ers will hurry up you'll see a weddin, cause John Jones is gettin tied up ter-They stopped in front of 56, and John supation of carpenter, came out. He was not richly dressed, but he was not on the extreme ragged edge by any

Charity Brightons Their Honeym

Charley Jones had perhaft the rarest ex-

perience of any of the gentlemen who

were engaged in the work of distributing

help to the poor. Sunday afternoon

these two gentlemen had charge of a wagon together, and many loads of pro-

visions and clothing did they deliver to

leserving poor. The name of John

Jones of 56 McDonnell street was given

hem, and they started for the place. They

had some difficulty in finding the num-

ber designated and inquired of some one

"It's rite down dere," said a youth,

pinting toward the place, "an if you fel-

near by where they could find 56,

"What about getting married, John?" asked Mr. Jones,

"I've been a thinkin about it," replied Mr. John Jones, "an I'm mighty glad to see you people come, 'cause I need help."

Mr. McWaters and Mr. Jones delivered a liberal allowance of provisions to the groom, and after they had done so he

Gentlemens, if you had been here about 10 minutes sooner you could have been at the weddin. I got married before you drove up.

The two dispensers of charity offered their congratulations.-Atlanta Consti-

Greece Soon to Be an Island.

The scheme for cutting a canal across the isthmus of Corinth has had its periods of trouble and depression, like other and greater enterprises of the same character, but it appears to be now rapidly approaching completion. The concess was originally granted by the Greek government in May, 1881, to General Turr, with whom was associated M. de

After the original capital had been absorbed and the operations for some time suspended, the operations were taken up by a new company, who in 1890 entered into a contract with a firm who undertook to complete the works on March 10, 1893, under a penalty of £4,000 per month for any delay after that date, but unfortunately about this time last year a waterspout passed over the works, flooding

The disaster necessitated a slight extension of the term, but the contractors now promise that a large steamer will next. Great efforts are being made to render the system of lighthouses adequate. The Corinth canal, which will have cost from first to last £2,750,000,

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