

THE SWING IN THE APPLE TREE.

The sunbeams come, the sunbeams go, The boughs droop gently over;

THE DREAMS OF COUNTRY BOYS.

The London Telegraph says: "Even at the present day the old superstition that the streets of London are paved with gold, that guineas are to be picked up by anybody who takes the trouble to stoop, and that silver spoons drop unbidden into the mouths of all the favorites of fortune whose domicile is within sound of Bow Bells, appears to prevail in remote country districts.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Multnomah Lodge No. 1, A. O. U. W. & M. - Holds its regular communications on the first and third Saturdays in each month, at 7 o'clock, from the 24th of September to the 27th of March, and 7 o'clock from the 24th of March to the 27th of September.

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DR. CHARLES BLACH, Physician, Surgeon and Accoucheur.

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