They are gleaners. A stubble field will soon be cleaned of all grain left on the ground, and the field left in better condition for the plow. They are weed exterminators. If you have a weedy field it is only necessary to put in the sheep for a few days, and if they do not eat all the weeds they will the seeds, and so trample them that few will grow. Where fields of corn are strong, they will do more good than harm in a corn field, eating weeds, lower leaves, and an occassional ear of corn. Not like other stock in a corn field, if they can get an ear of corn down they eat it, and do not waste. necesary, nor is it best, that every farmer should go largely into the busi-

Improvement of Grain. [From the Farmer's Review.]

varieties of the potato, several have be

yet do in this direction is yet to be de-A writer in the Mark Lane Express in showing how rapidly a good strain of that they are extremely docile, well wheat may be propagated, quotes from adapted to the climate, wever touch a letter of Mr. Jones, vol. 3, of the grass if they can get brush and "their Royal Agricultural Society:

grown each season were as follows:

1838 Dippled in 50 kernels (3) of which only grew) ... 14% cz 1839 Dippled in 14% oz 1% busb. 1840 Dippled in 14 bush 45 bush. 1841 Dippled in 45 bush.....537 bush.

The grower remarks that had the trains. The same objection, it will be crop not been assailed with red-gum he remembered, was urged to Mr. Barnhe would have had 100 bushels more. um's elephant at Bridgeport, but the Are pleased to amounce that their Sables a This was a white wheat, and got the crafty showman kept on ploughing yield in 1842 was 42.2 5 bushels, while advertised the fact the four varieties grown alongside, all

fine cut wheat straw and cotton cake than with any other vegetable. Cab-bage contains one part of fiesh-forming substance to three of heat-producing. while in potatoes the fle-hforming is only one to twenty. Cabbage is also rich in mineral matter.

do not prove hard taskmasters. Do another called the Batwa or Wotwa, not make their farm life one of drudg who are only two feet high. In ery and toil, if you would have their Mriambwa is a race of small people thoughts in after life turn lovingly to their old homes and happy young lives. Treach them that something more than muscle and physical endurance is required, that indeed agriculture is a science or art that should be conducted according to clearly defined laws and well established principles, and successful in proportion to the intelligence that directs it.

Mriambwa is a race of small people with tails. Uitwa or Batwa—Wotwa is at the extreme south end of Uzongora. From Batwa M Kinyage is to the left of you about three day's journey: Some of the Woziwa saw a strange people in one of these far-off lands who had ears descending to their feet, one ear formed a mat to sleep on, the other served to cover him from the cold like a dressed hide! They tried to coax

Baron Liebig says of agriculture: one of them to come and see me, but the journey was long and he died on count of the very intelligent nature of its pursuit, it stands above all occupations, and its practice procures to the man who understands the voice of na ture, not only all the advantages for which he strives, but also those pleas paers which science alone can afford. There is no profession which for its successful practice, requires a larger amount of knowledge than agriculture, amount of knowledge than agriculture, and more in which the actual ignorance hotels, hung a large American flag from her balcony, and as the royal couple

It is better suited to warm weather lute the Stars and Stripes. than meal. As the weather becomes

six inches square at the toes. Was this costume one jot more absurd than the New York journals, whose readers the hoops of the last century, or the crinolines of the present century. The enormous bonnets of forty years ago, or the ladies head gear of the present day? The wearing of great Vancouver dispatch of the 25.h ult.

TIDINGS Shipment of Salmon Eggs to Europe.

The New York Times says: F. Mather has just returned from Germany, having safely delivered in Bremen some 250,000 eggs of California salmon. In addition to the eggs sent to Germany 100,000 were taken by the Netherlands the same number by France, and 15 000 by England. This is the third voyage Mather has made sbroad with American fish eggs. These salmon eggs were packed in refrigerating boxes of farm, but as a useful adjunct to all ature of 42 degrees was readily main and a strong straw, while the manure in August last, and after having been from the horse and com stables grous transported over six thousand miles the loss was not over five per cent. These eggs were presented by the United States Fish Commission to Germany, Holland and France. As it may be some four or five years before the fish derived from these American eggs attain their proper size, the final result is waited for by German fishculturists with no small amount of curiosity. Such, however, is the strict

Resisting Temptation.

[Richmond (Va.) Wig.] A colored brother whose eyes were watery, and who had evidently been imbibing experience whisky, was tell Then sheep are a necessity on every ing his young friend George that he well regulated farm, as a helper in the ought to gine too. Said George, "I cultivation of the farm. But it is not would, but de temptation to do wrong would, but de temptation to do wrong is too strong for me." "Whar's your backbone, dat you can't rose up and All of stand temptation?" exclaimed brother | He will Peter. "I was dat way myself once. Right in dis yere town I had a chaoce A great many English farmers in to steal a pa'r of boats-mighty fine times past, have devoted a share of ones too. Nobody was dar to see me, their attention to the improvement of the varieties of cereals, especially wheat. Their experiments proved of untold benefit to the country. But few American farmers or seedsmen have granted much notorists in this have gained much notoriety in this pair of cheap shoes off de shelf, an' I direction. In the production of new let dem boots alone.

wome quite prominent, and are ac-knowledged benefactors. What our Texas says that one of his "ships of the colleges and experimental stations may desert" has traveled 150 miles between sun and sun, and that almost any well favorite cactus, that the female, if fairly The increase and exact quantities treated, can be counted on for a colt a year, and after the first two or three days the young can safely take their chances with the herd. The only objection raised, is that the lofty steppers righten horses all along the road but they must get used to them, as in Arabia and other Oriental countries, and as they have got used to the railway name of Jones' prolific, and the acreage with him till the papers had properly

AN IMMENSE EMPIRE. - When we con | LAKE COUNTY - - OEGON | by those who know subject to precisely similar conditions, AN IMMENSE EMPIRE. — When we con sider how big the State of Texas really bushels. Mr. Sheriff's testim my is is, we will cease to wonder at the acsoonest accomplished by thin seeding, wention. Think of 1 500 delegates beeach kernel occupying from 9 to 12 ing called to order b; one presiding inches equare. Seldom will a third re. officer, and the roll being called seven production from a single grain be suf-ficient for a field practice on a consid- It is not strange that they were turbu- Tourists and Others Outfitted erable scale, but the yield from the lent and noisy, and took days and days fourth reproduction may vary from 25 to do their business, because it is on to 80 quarters. Cabbage has a surperior value for feeding purposes. English cattle feeders assert that their beasts progress faster on cabbage mixed with plenty of fine cut wheat attempted and contains a population nearly as large as that of the United States. which contains a population nearly as large as that of the United States. Two handred such States as Rhode Island could be carved out of Texas, and then there would be scraps enough left to make another New England.

ODD PEOPLE of AFRICA.-There is race of dwarfs somewhere west of Teach the boys to love the farm, but M-Kinyage called the Mpunds, and a dressed hide! They tried to coax the way .- Stanley' Book.

TRIBUTE TO AMERICA. - A pleasing little anecdote of the Crown Prince of Germany, is told by Mrs. Hooper. It the citizens. was at the beginning of the Franco Prussian war that the king and prince passed through Hamburg on their way to the field. A young American girl, staying with her parents ot one of the A good dairyman gives his exper-chief. The king and his son looked up ience that bran is an excellent food for and bowed, and, like the courteous cows at any time when extra food is gentleman he is, the prince summoned required. He has generally been able his aid de camp and gave an order to get from it more milk than from any which passed down the line-un order equal cost of any other ground feed. for each regiment as it went by to sa-

be profitably added. At any rate, he difference in time between New York WAGONS, BUGGIES AND ALL KINDS advises that feed enough of some kind and London is a curious feature in should be given to keep up both milk telegraphy. The London banker is in and strength all the fall. One of the full swell of traffic when the New York worst errors a dairyman ever commits | agent is first thinking of "getting up." is to let a cow go into winter quarters At noon the London markets are cabled to this city, where they arrive at seven o'clock in the morning of the same VAGARIES OF COSTUME. - In the time day. The London agent for the New of Queen Mary, the people of England | York Press telegraphs the most imporwere so partial to square toes that they | tant news issued in the London Times were obliged to issue a proclamation at six o'clock in the morning. It that no person should wear shoes above | reaches here at one o'clock the same six inches square at the toes. Was morning, just in time to be inserted in

present day? The wearing of great Vancouver dispatch of the 25.h ult. trial box. beth was carried to a most ridiculous excess. They used to stuff them out the whites, fearing trouble, were about a trisl, as they will surely cure you. with wadding until they resembled raising a force to fight them, when United States or Canada, by mail, on receipt of price wool sacks; and it is said that scaffolds Gen. Howard dispatched one company were erected in places of public resort of the Twenty-first Infantry after them, on purpose for beaux. Still more ri under command of Capt. Boyle. He diculous were the boots of the reign of surprised the Indians at John Day's Henry VI, and Edward IV, with long river, capturing them. The women pointed toes tapering for nearly two and children were sent back to the res-

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