

Shingle Your Own House.

SCENE, BAR-ROOM, TIME, MIDNIGHT.

Landlord—Hush! Hush! He'll call for something else directly."

Landlord—"He's taking the shingles off his own house and putting them on ours."

At this time James began to come to his right senses, and commenced rubbing his eyes, and stretching himself, as if he had just awoke, saying, "I believe I will go."

"Don't be in a hurry, James," said the landlord.

"O, yes, I must go," said James, and he started.

After an absence of some time the landlord met and accosted him with, "Hallo, Jim, why ain't you been down to see us?"

"Why," said James, "I had taken so many shingles off my house it began to leak, so I thought it time to stop the leak, and I have done it."

The astonished tavern-keeper went home to tell his wife, and James has ever since let run alone, and attended to his own business.

He is now a happy man, and his wife and children are happy too. Young man, whose house are you shingling?"

HEALTH OF FARMERS.—There are seven reasons why farmers are healthier than professional men, viz:

1. They work more and develop all the muscles of the body.

2. They take exercise in the open air and breathe a greater amount of oxygen.

3. Their food and drinks are commonly less adulterated and far more simple.

4. They do not overwork the brain as much as professional men.

5. They take their sleep during the hours of darkness, and do not try to turn night into day.

6. They are not ambitious and do not wear themselves out so rapidly in the fierce contest of rivalry.

7. Their pleasures are simple and less exhausting.

CRUEL AS THE GRAVE.—John B. Gough, in a recent lecture, said: "I cannot drink moderately. It is physically and morally impossible. If any man should give me whisky by any means unknown to myself, it would be at the risk of my sinking back to what I was twenty-five years ago. You may call it weakness, or what you will, but it is the truth." We do not doubt it, for we once knew a gentleman in Boston, a man of the highest literary character and fame, who occasionally took to extreme drinking, who once said, when re-monstrated with concerning his infirmity, "I love my wife and children, dearly and devotedly love them; but when I have tasted liquor, were they standing on the brink of the bottomless pit, and the condition offered me that I should see them go to eternal destruction if I should drink another glass of brandy, I would take the liquor. I could not help the act."

INVENTIONS.—The Dallas Republican has the following:

Inventions and improvements seem to be the order of the day. Among the many improvements in agricultural implements the Traveling Thresher of the Robbins Bros. of this country, seems to bid fair to take a front rank. The old "thrashing time," which was a dread to all the farmers' wives is one of the ills of life that have been, or soon will be, entirely done away with, and the harvest will be accompanied with no more extra labor to the housewife than need time. With this machine, five men are all that are needed to take the grain standing in the field and put it into sacks. We saw the machine running on Thursday last, and can testify to the fact that it works as speedily, and does its work as well as any of the stationary machines. With eight horses attached, it runs by the side of, and thrashes the grain from a header with a ten foot riddle. Eighteen acres a day has been cut and thrashed. We are firmly of opinion, that ere long this machine will supersede all others of its nature.

OUR CEREAL CROPS.—The Philadelphia Ledger has compiled a table of cereal statistics for the years 1869 and 1870. It gives for the total crop in the United States for 1869, including wheat, rye, oats, barley, corn and buckwheat, 1,401,412,100 bushels; and for the year 1870, 1,500,000,000. With a total population of 40,000,000, this gives 37 1/2 bushels to each man, woman and child in the country. The average consumption is hardly above eight bushels to each person; and so we have for export and feed for stock about 29 1/2 bushels to each person. In 1840 the cereal products of the lake basin footed up 368,265,827 bushels; in 1850 it rose to 434,862,661 bushels, and in 1860 to 679,031,559 bushels.

The salaries of Postmasters throughout the country are to be readjusted on the basis of their receipts during July and August of this year, and a new schedule of salaries will go into effect July 1st, 1872.

Secretary Boutwell is understood to be a defaulter in the sum of \$2,000,000. This accounts for the tenacity with which the President clings to the incompetent Secretary. Most likely Boutwell divides liberally.

Philadelphia has twenty-two miles of gin-mills whereby to generate its "brotherly love."

SAW HER GHOST.—The Colusa Son says: John A. Bingham, at Marysville, said, "On account of my shattered voice, I ask you to draw as near me as possible." The poor fellow doubtless saw the ghost of Madam Surratt, and desired the people to hover near him, that he might feel protected. It is said that murderers are continually seeing the spirits of their victims.

COWS GOING BLIND.—The cows in Jackson county have been struck with blindness. In Independence some 40 of the finest milk cows have completely lost their sight. In Kansas City there are not less than 200 blind cows. The disease is spreading all over the county and cows are having a gloomy time. The eye begins to swell and then commences to run clear water which lasts about five days when a hard white film covers the eye, completely destroying the sight. The general health of the cow is not affected and there is no change in the quality or quantity of the milk.—Columbia (Mo.) Herald.

The indications now are that both the city of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania will go Democratic at the election soon to come off. If they do, goodbye Radicalism. What an earnest "Thank God" will go up from millions of grateful and rejoicing hearts. There will be some rejoicing when the "pride of the tyrant" is broken.

We find the following in regard to the Charleston city election, in the Jacksonville (Fla.) Union, and copy it to show how closely some things can approach mud in transparency:

All the Conservative School Commissioners are elected except two, Memminger and Jacob Wellman, on the Radical ticket are elected. They are both Democrats.

The orthodox ministers of Boston have, in solemn convocation, declared that the women must keep silent in the regular prayer-meetings of the churches. The only "let up" is "on rainy nights, when few are present, and the brethren not out in force and the meeting drags; then she may be allowed to offer a quiet prayer."

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