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A FATHER'S LESSON.—One day Robert's father saw him playing with some boys, who were rude and unmannerly. He had observed for some time a change for the worse in his son, and now he knew the cause.

DON'T BUY IT.—An exchange facetiously shows up an article which is hawked about by irresponsible peddlers, who represent its virtues as a renewer of worn plated-ware.

A WONDERFUL TREE.—About two miles from the City of Mexico, at a little place called La Cuba, is the old tree known in history as Noche Triste.

Clarke County, Ky., probably has more good Short-Horns than any other county in the U. S.

one sees fine specimens among the village cows about Winchester, the county seat. In this county are the Renicks, Van Meters, Grooms, Prewitts, Gods, Robinsons, Judys, Redmons, Grigsbys, Beans Bushes, Hamptons, Thomsons, Lowry and others.

MANAGEMENT OF HORSES.—Feed liberally, work steadily, and clean thoroughly, is my motto in the management of horses. My great trouble is to have the horse rubbed dry and clean before leaving him for the night.

ANTIQUITY OF THE TOMATO.—Science Gossip, an English journal, in relation to the time which has elapsed since the tomato was cultivated in gardens, states that Galen, who lived in the second century, used the name Lycopersicum, now applied to the tomato.

BEETS FOR COWS.—Last year I raised a lot of mangolds and carrots. The mangolds were gathered first and put in the cellar; afterward the carrots were gathered and corded up on top of them.

TRUE SOURCE OF WEALTH.—The London Industrial Gazette urges, with great force, that there are but two factors of wealth, the resources of nature and human industry.

PRUNING.—A Western fruit grower reports that he made the following experiment:

A branch one inch in diameter was cut from a tree of Rawle's Genet on the first day of each month in the year, and at the end of five years, when all were sealed over, they were opened and found to have decayed the least in those cut in February and March.

If stung or bitten by insects, snake or animal, apply spirits of hartshorn very freely with a soft rag, because it is one of the strongest alkalies, and is familiar to most persons.

FRANKLIN IN PHILADELPHIA.—Mrs. Rebecca Harding Davis attributes to the advent of Franklin in Philadelphia, the birth, growth, and life of the intellect and development of that city.

The wisdom and scholarship of that day were wholly drawn from books. Franklin dealt directly with the great natural forces, physical and human; of the unlikely material of his fellow apprentices he made the philosophic jumbo; with the petty politics of the drowsy town, he studied statecraft and a kite and a key under his keen eyes.

He is the foremost typical American in our history; moral than religious; a domestic man; faithful to his wife, yet cultivating Platonic friendship with other women; never losing his cool self-control, yet with a keen, fine sense of fun; testing one minute, a high physical problem, and the next a counterfeit dollar, always master of the present moment, whether it demanded the making of cases, roller and ink, which he had no money to buy, or the construction of a new government from the ruins of the old.

INAUGURATION DAY.—When the day for the inauguration for the President of the United States was fixed upon the fourth of March, it was for the reason that the date occurred seldom on Sunday.

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