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"Sir," said Prince Bonaparte to his adversary, holding out his hand, "let us make friends, and allow me to congratulate you on the foresight with which you have invested your money."

Flattering Scales.

When Grover Cleveland's son Richard was born, his good friend, Joseph Jefferson, drove over to Gray Gables to congratulate the father.

"How many pounds does the child weigh?" asked the noted actor.

"Fifteen," was the reply.

"Nine," said the attending physician, who had just come in.

Mr. Cleveland assured the doctor that he must be mistaken. "The child weighs fifteen pounds," said he; "I weighed him myself with the scales Joe and I use when we go fishing."—Success Magazine.

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Probably Walked.

"Yes, I went over on the North Side to a card party, and I—I didn't get back till nearly daylight."

"Bridged, eh?"

Impossible.

"I don't care about a church wedding, Myrtie. Do you? Wouldn't you rather be married right here at your own home?"

"Yes, but I am afraid we can't do that, Algy. I'm quite sure it's forbidden in the lease."—Chicago Tribune.

Not a Competitor.

He (at the reception)—Don't you think that young lady standing near the piano is a beauty?

She (coldly)—Oh, I don't know. Do you know her?

He—Yes; she is Mrs. Merwin—a bride of a week.

She (sweetly)—Ah! Now that I see her from another point of view, she is beautiful.

Of the Same Kind.

"Old man,' said the chronic calamity howler, buttonholing him, "I don't want to be an alarmist, but——"

"And I don't want to be alarmed. Good morning," interrupted the other man, breaking away from him.—Chicago Tribune.

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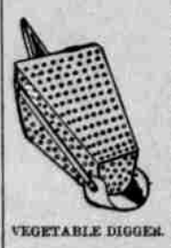
All real estate is defined and circumscribed by boundary corners and lines as established by government survey. The States are divided into counties, and the counties subdivided into townships, and the townships into sections of 640 acres. Each section is divided into quarter sections with appropriate descriptions in the conveyance of the property. The meridian lines were used in description of real estate, and in the government survey section and quarter section corners are established to mark the boundaries of public lands.

In purchasing land it is well in the preliminary examination to ascertain the corners and boundary lines of the property and ascertain if the adjoining owner is satisfied with the division fences. If one purchases eighty acres and he apprehends that the land is short measure it would be better to have the property surveyed before the transfer is made. The government corners should be marked by a stone not easily removed, and if the corner is so designated subsequent surveys may make the property more or less than the description, but cannot change the monumental corners established by the original government survey.

Farms are occupied individually and not in severalty, and the new purchaser should ascertain before closing the purchase the division of the line fences which inclose the property and discover if such division is satisfactory to adjoining property holders, as expensive litigation has often grown out of a misunderstanding of land boundaries and division fences. Every purchase of real estate should be hedged about by the removal of every obstacle that might cause a misunderstanding between neighbors.—Goodall's Farmer.

Unique Vegetable Digger.

Something new and novel in the way of vegetable diggers has been devised by a Kentucky farmer, the object of the contrivance being to catch up onions and similar vegetables and the necessarily accompanying dirt and by slight shaking separate the dirt from the vegetable. It can readily be carried in the hands of the operator, who can easily shake the digger after he has taken up a quantity of the soil and vegetable. In construction the digger resembles a miniature wheelbarrow, the receptacle forming the body being made of sheet metal containing innumerable perforations. At the front or small end of the receptacle is a swinging door, beneath which is a small shovel. In operation the digger is used as a shovel in lifting the vegetable and the surrounding soil. The digger is then shaken, separating the vegetable from the soil, and allowing the latter to pass out through the perforations.



VEGETABLE DIGGER.

Seedless Grapes.

What's become of the "coreless" apple? Twenty years ago it was announced as a discovery or a development calculated to revolutionize the orchard industry. Of late we hear less about it.

A little later the "thornless" blackberry appeared on the horizon. It certainly was thornless, but somehow it failed to drive the ferociously-armed brambles of the berry gardens into the desert. It is still produced, but the older kinds are yet much more common.

Now the "seedless" grape bids for favor. Such a fruit would surely "meet a long-felt want," says Country Life in America. If the quality and flavor of the few thus far grown can be perpetuated and it proves remuneratively productive and capable of "standing up" for shipment there is a big future before it.

Blind Staggers.

The Louisiana Experiment Station has been studying blind staggers in horses, its cause and cure. But nothing definite could be found. It is their opinion that the cause of the disease is in some way associated with the conditions of the feeding materials, such as grass, or cured products of corn, brought about by the atacks of mold or fungus.

Feed for Cows.

The cow likes a variety of food, and it pays to give it to her. For the stimulation of the appetite and aid in digestion, some of her feeds should be green and succulent, such as roots and silage for winter. Some linseed meal should be given at frequent intervals It is not only a rich feed, but an excellent regulator of the digestive organs. Clover and alfalfa hay are both rich in milk-forming elements, and give bulk to the ration. Some corn should be given daily, especially through the cold months, as cows greatly relish the grain, and it helps in forming butter fat and in producing animal fat. Give the cows about all they will eat up clean of each feed, but shift changes often, not only the kinds, but the amounts of each kind, at different times. This change gives a stimulating variety to feeds, and the cows thrive and produce on it.

Simple Egg-Tester.

The average person evidently imagines that it is impossible for the dealer to distinguish bad eggs and good eggs. This supposition is natural, inasmuch as so many eggs of questionable purity reach the dinner table. If the dealer desired he could readily discard eggs of doubtful age, as there are numerous devices for testing them. One of the most recent is shown in the accompanying illustration, patented by a Minnesota farmer. It consists of a wooden frame, or casing, across the top of which is a leather support for the eggs, the latter resting in flexible apertures. In the bottom of the casing is an inclined mirror. Mounted on the upper part of the frame is a light-reflecting hood in which is placed a lamp or other suitable illuminant. In operation eggs are placed over the aperture and the light falling on the eggs will cast a shadow upon the mirror if they are unsound. The soundness of the eggs is indicated by the clearness of the light that falls through them upon the mirror.

EGG TESTER.

The Frozen-Meat Trade.

Frozen Chinese pork is to be imported into England, which recalls to the mind of a writer in the London Chronicle the fact that the frozen meat trade is nearly a century old. On Jan. 30, 1816, three Eskimos arrived at Harwich, England, by the packet from Gothenburg, bringing five sledges packed with ptarmigan, blackcock and other game, frozen and packed in air-tight cases. The enterprising Northerners had to pay over $250 duty on the consignment and $50 for carriage from Harwich to London; but, as the game was in excellent condition, it found a ready sale and brought high prices. The Eskimos did so well out of the speculation that they remained in England for several months, spending their profits in royal fashion; but, despite the success of the experiment, it does not appear to have been repeated.

To Fatten Fowls.

A good method for fattening fowls is given by a reader: Shue the fowls up in a dark place, with just enough light for them to see to eat, and supply them well with grit and water. Corn meal, ground oats, cracked wheat and shorts mixed in equal portions should be fed. Feed them as often during the day as they will clean up the food, and bear in mind the importance of "stuffing" them. They should be fed after dark every evening, as well as very early each morning. Half a dozen fowls together will fatten more rapidly than a large number, and if it is practical to pen them off, six to a pen is the right number. Give no green stuff to these fowls, but rations of cooked potatoes, rice, corn bread, cracked corn and whole wheat may be given. Fowls crowded and stuffed in this way should be in fine condition in three weeks.

How to Load a Wagon.

It is generally believed that the load pulls easier if put well forward on the wagon. But this is not so on the ordinary wagon, where the hind wheels are larger than the front ones. Should the wheels be equal in size, the load should be equally distributed. If the trucks are so low down that the horses have an upward pull on the load, then it would be all right to put the load well forward. The load should be proportioned to the surface contact of the wheels. A large wheel sinks less than a small one; therefore, the load should be heaviest on the hind wheels. Distribute the weight so that no one wheel or no one side is carrying the greater share, lest it make the draft excessive for the tonnage carried.

Plant Trees.

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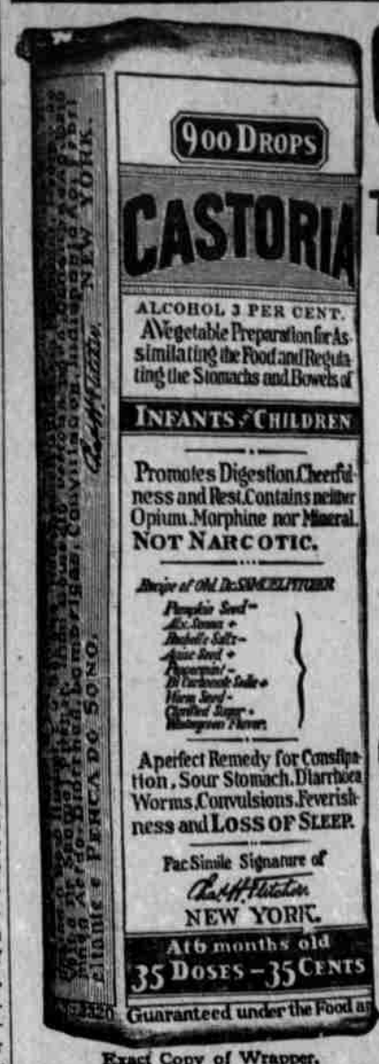
But the forest you are about to plant may be more or less valuable. Make it more so by wise selections. The day of the box-elder and cottonwood is over. It might pay to plant them rather than nothing, but you may do better. Plant the ash, the catalpa, the larch. Plant nut trees and the oaks.

Timber is better than the precious metals. While it looks long to the harvest, it is one of the surest of crops. Land owners must awake to their opportunity, for there is money in trees.—Fruitman and Gardener.



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