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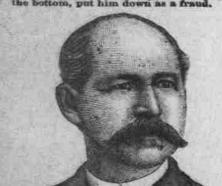
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#### Doing the Right Thing.

The train was just pulling out of Weston, Mo., for St. Joe, when one of the passengers in the smoker put his \$100,000,000 of English Capital Inhead so far out of the window that a man near him felt it his duty to utter a vested in Argentine Republic.

"Yes, it is a little risky," replied the man, as he pulled in his head and sat down, "but I was looking for a grave in that field. Reckon it has been ploughed under and forgotten." Cats that Live in the Churches of Napies. "How did they happen to bury him Italy.

"It's a sad story, gentlemen-very sad. It was just ten years this month, and I was living here then. A stranger came in from the West with three horses to sell, and he acted so queerly that we chapped him in jail. He never denied that he stole em, and one night the boys turned out and hung him to a tree back there. That used to be our way of discouraging the business, and I believe it is still practiced often with further west. We buried him near the his hand. tree, and it was his grave I was look-

"Never denied it, ch?" queried one of the listeners.

"Never did, although we gave him every chance. Just a week from the time he was hung we found out that he was an honest, honorable farmer, living about forty miles below us. While he hadn't stolen the horses, he had killed a man, and he no doubt believed we were hanging him for that. We felt mean enough when we discovered that he was no horse thief, and that all he had done was to pop a man over, and a Kansas man at that, and he must have been sadly puzzled over our concould however.

"In what way?" "Oh, we rounded up the grave, passed resolutions of sympathy for the wife, sent the horses on home, and a few months later I went up and married his widow. She's in the next car

#### A Diabolical Time-Piece.

It is said that one can have too much of a good thing. Tom Edison is a good of a striking clock. When it is 1. 2 or co, and Baron von Zeiltwitz, the Gerright out and tells you so to your face, volcano of Iztaccibuatl. 18,600 feet and when it is high or low 12, the mechanical fiend jumps into you with an been accomplished. extemporaneous lecture on the waste Barnum says he will run opposition of time, horrors of eternity, ethics of to the lord mayor's show in London tempos fugit, a bomily on the lark, this year, because the lord mayor reand a roast of all-night eating-houses fused to let him into the procession. and export beer. Remember these are He was auxious to see the elephants not set speeches. They can be varied and double-headed calves side by side each day according to the satirical fluency of your own wife. There is a measly phonographic attachment, with hew-gag exhaust and tom-tom escapement. Just here is where lurks the danger. While a man is down-town tossing the bears and hugging the typewriter, his wife at home can be winding the combination and putting up a job on him. What if the man does ephone that he can't come up to dinerally known what causes this, in some with its big storage battery of caus-

cases, remarkable difference. Napoleon the invective bottled expressly for his been cremated during the present year. Sarony, the well-known photographer, has made human faces the study of his life, first by painting portraits and, later in his career, by present his subjects before the camera. No one has ever doubted the excellence of his matter with going to roost when white ever doubted the excellence of his matter with going to roost when white ed East to see if the young lady was up carefully and shied them far, far folks do? It's no use to put up the old the sort of woman he wanted for a out over the gunwale of the boat near the old Common. He respondence, and a few days ago startine old Common. He respondence, and a few days ago startine old Common. He respondence, and a few days ago startine old Common. He carefully and shied them far, far folks do? It's no use to put up the old the sort of woman he wanted for a out over the gunwale of the boat near club and lodge room chestnuts. Books wife, ance of his patron's features and quickly determining which is the best side.

Frequently, he says, these facial
differences are caused by accidents received in youth while playing rough
games, but the principal cause of the
variation in the outline of the nose is ance of his patron's features and quickgames, but the principal cause of the been represented. Yes, there's a land by intends to make his future home, variation in the outline of the nose is that is fairer than this, a land where He is at present engaged in a literary they don't shovel snow, and you are en work. route for it on schedule time unless you slow up and drop off at the next baby are all down with the influenza, but I didn't know we had given you proxies to take whisky and quinine for the whole family. Now hang your boots over the gas jet and go to bed. If you wake me and the baby remember there's a second edition of this In Naples there exists a race of cats monologue in the original tongue, and who live in the churches. They are you will get it."-St. Paul Pioneer Press. kept and fed by the authorities on purthe thumb in the mouth while sleeping.

Railroad Human Nature.

The poet Longfellow is cited as having a much better profile viewed from the right side than from the left, and understands railroad human nature, as the congregation or sitting gravely be exhibited by the gatemen in the depots. fore the altar during time of mass. General Hancock was another noted There orders are to pass no one in Gen. Grant was no admirer of statues man who was always photographed in one position, his best side looking every protestation he had but one an-

"Can't pass 'thout a ticket." The other day while I was watching him a little blue-eyed woman came gliding into the throng waiting at the gates. Of the two tenders she selected his one to operate on, although anyple had been turned away she slid for ward in a graceful way and inquired: "Beg pardon, sir, but am I speaking to the President of the road."

thrown on his beam ends by the query, | ment. "Ah! you look so much like him. Are you the superintendent?"

"No, ma'am—not exactly."
"Then you must be the manager?" 'Hardly, ma am." pointed to find you are not. Perhaps, not again offended.

though, you have the general mana-ger's powers when he is not here." What is it, ma'am?" "My sister will be in on the 6:30, and I so want to go inside the gates and help her with the children. As you an unimportant matter. M. d'Hausmust have the authority of the manager shallie mentions, as a "stupefying ques-"Certainly, ma'am; walk right in,"

"You are so kind."

"Don't mention it." "But all leading railroad men are ever courteous," she said as a parting bit of taily, and then she made a beeline tions are distributed in alternate lay-

down the depot.
"We turned to look at the gateman. and the change was surprising. He had braced up until his height was indoubtedly, the wildest 'gator they ever creased by four inches, his chest was thrown out, and he was standing as stiff as a crowbar while a man pounded him on the back and offered to lick the stuffing out of him if he would come off the perch. The little woman

Fanny Davenport's Superstition.

Notwithstanding her collection of jewels, Fanny Davenport never affects any jewelry in private life excepting a large and curious carbuncle ring and

### GENERAL NEWS

CREMATION IN VOGUE IN GERMANY.

A Japanese has discovered a process for making artificial tortoise shell with

170,000 and the Indians at 15,000.

Prince Bismarck, in consequence of vance. recent illness, has lost the few hairs that were on the top of his skull, which

is now as bare as a billiard ball.

Chauncey Depew says that \$100,000,-000 of English capital has gone into the Argentine Republic within the last few A vast amount has also been sent into Chili and Honduras.

tions during 1870.

now cast upon this statement by the rope would become tangled in the most announcement that he spends most of his time in playing the banjo. Another new candidate for the pat-

much of the character of Camembert, Jove!" which has been named "Fromage a la district of France at the Varambon. A servant girl at a hotel in Tomales,

bilities of the new time-piece are said H. Remsen Whitehouse, United States strain was removed the dog made his

o'clock, Edison's invention comes man Minister, have climbed the extinct

with Gog and Magog. A London firm has a contract with

thousands of tons of dried fruits. The each time in saving himself a chok- of my pocket."-Time. French government require this large ing. -Philodelphia Inquirer. supply of dried fruit to make the wine which they supply to the French army. Cremation is coming more and more

into vogue in Germany, in spite of the ner? The patient clock runs right expense and certain legal difficulties

Prof. B. G. Northrup recently leestation. Yes, myself. Tom, Lizzie, the tured in Waterbury, Conn., on the cultivation of the memory and found it fully recorded in a newspaper notice as

pose to eat the mice which infest all old buildings there. The animals may Now and then one finds a person who often be seen walking about arrong

without a ticket, and it is the easiest thing in the world for them to wave the United States. He once said that back old age, youth, beauty, and any- when he thought of death, among the body else who wants to pass in to meet dread pictures conjured up was that of a friend expected on that train. One of the surficest officials I every saw has a gate in the L. & N. depot in Cincinnati, and I have seen him turn Dr. D. W. Bliss had debts owing to stiffly away from desperate men, weeping women, and howling children. To him at the time of his death amounting to \$11,000. Many of the accounts, an inventory of which was filed by the administrator of the estate in Washington the other day, are against distin-

guished public men, and most of them are labeled "desperate or uncollecta-The Rev. John W. Sanborn, who one could have seen that the other had was adopted by the Seneca Nation and the biggest heart. After several peo- made a chief in that tribe, is of the opinion that the problem of educating and improving the Indian can be solved most successfully by elevating the Indian women, whom he believes "N-o, ma'am!" he stammered, to be capable of education and refine-

Sir Daniel Gooch used to pay the closest attention to all details of rail-road management. It is told of him that finding a porter at Actor in call-"Hardly, ma'am."
"Dear me! but how could the people be so mistaken?" she went on. "Half omitted it he ordered that the men a dozen of them said you were one of should be transposed, with the result tached to a plain sideboard or comthe high officials, and I am so disap- that the ears of a critical people were mode, against which are fastened at

> Why is so much always said about the cost of a new monument, and so little concerning its artistic merits, when it is raised in the United States? The cost is no criterion of its merits, and is tion," the query which was made him in America, whether St. Peter's in Rome had cost more than the capitol at Washington."

> ers extending from stem to blow, and from one half to one inch wide, and can be distinguished by the color and texture of the outside skin. The apple grew in the famous Pullen, or Benson orchard in East Monmouth, and there are said to be several trees which bear this peculiar variety of fruit.

The most profitable book ever printof all had found his weak spot.—N. Y. ed, at least in this country, was Webster's spelling book. More than 50 .-000,000 copies of this production have been issued, and could Dr. Webster and his heirs have enjoyed the royalties from it they would have found it more valuable than the cave of Monte Cristo. Yet Dr. Webster wrote it that

of the books he c .ldn't find them, as the pipe had been buried under ground. Recently the water was turned on, but something was wrong. The water would only come lowly. Flually on working the valve of the hydrant some

paper appeared, then more paper, in lumps, then some pieces of cloth bind-ing—and the mystery, both of the bad behavior of the works and of the boy's missing books, was solved.

Tom Murphy, a once powerful politician, has fallen to rise no more. Dur-ing the Grant regime he was Collector of the Port of New York, with an annual income of \$100,000. He was the A Japanese has discovered a process for making artificial tortoise shell with the whites of eggs.

The governor of Montana estimates the white population of the state at 170,000 and the Indians at 15,000. days. Such was Tom Murphy in his The Hon. George Bancroft takes a glory. Not long since he applied for a long walk every pleasant afternoon, room in a cheap down-town New York often with a volume of Shakspeare in hotel, and was refused admittance because he could not pay for it in ad-

#### A Dog's Good Sense.

A rare instance of brute intelligence was witnessed on Chestnut street the other evening in a dog which was at the wrong end of the rope; a drunken man was at the right end or, in other words, the relative positions of the two should have been reversed. The at-Ex-Empress Frederick and her sis- tention of several men who were passter, Princess Alice. German papers as- ing was first attracted to the pair by sert, regularly reported to their moth- the anties of the dog. The brute-that er, Queen Victoria, the secrets of Ger-is, the four-legged one-was almost a many's diplomatic and military opera-fully bred pointer, and when first noticed, was jumping up in the most sinbeen sadly puzzled over our conWe made such reparation as we having embraced Christianity and taken however.

a class in the Sunday-school. Doubt is inextricable snarl as the man and dog

made their way up the street
"Just watch that dog," suddenly said ronage of the epicure is soft cheese of "ke knows more than the man, by

Webb," This comes from the same out of a snarl, when the man gave the rope a vicious tug. It was then no-A servant girl at a hotel in Tomales, ticed that the rope, which was about Cal., saved the town from being burned the thickness of a lanyard was fastened thing; ergo, one can have too much of the fruit by which we all know him. Mr. Edison has lately invented a clock. One of them, it is understood, is now on its dress, giving the alarm for a fire in a way to St. Paul. The startling possito be diabolical. It is a talking instead Charge d' Affaires at the City of Mexi- regular jump. One of the oulookers indignantly started to rescue the suffering quadruped, when he was stopped by one of his companions, who said: "Let them alone. Just see what the

The dog had just completed one of his jumps, when it was seen that he had taken the rope in his teeth and thus relieved the strain on his throat. He then trotted along contentedly until the man gave another tug and pulled he rope from between the animal's teeth. This had evidently gone on for some time, to judge by the weariness of the dog. But the animal pluckily the French government under which of the dog. But the animal pluckily they annually supply France with tried again and again and succeeded

which teaches a valuable lesson, says along, giving out monosyllables and which render its performance in some the Astorian. A shy young man decivility to the rest of the family, parts almost an impossibility. At Gotha cided to abandon a venerable pair of no fewer than one hundred bodies have trousers to their fate, having just been cremated during the present year. secured a new pair as he went on the the bow. As they sped through the air literary life." She—"I do not doubt they unfurled with a soul-piercing that the life will be a very happy one plunk. They filled with air and looked if you—if you should treat it the way as they struck on the crest of the you spoke of."-Terre Haute Express,

> into the depths of the tide. heard the impact of the abandoned to think a minute he will always begin trousers, and looking down with a to unfold some tale of woe. - Somerville shudder, said: "Me Gawd, a human Journal. eing has went to his account." She then became the author of a loud that's the first psalm David ever wrote?"
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> yell and all hands rushed to the Farmer's Wife—"Fhe vairy first, Eel-

> A hundred hands ran to the lower decks, and, amid the cries of women and the quick-drawn breath of pale men, a tall roustabout jabbed the do for a Juliet?" Manager (anxious drowning man in the vitals with a not to hurt feelings)-"Um-er-well. jabber, and, while fainting passengers looked the other way, he pulled out the N. Y. Weekly. ow collapsed trousers and found on the inside of the waist-band the name Patti to come here every year and adof the owner, also the leg and waist vertise it as her farewell tour." "Not measurement, together with the name fair? Why, it's extremely honest, I of an Astoria tailor.

Then they began to hunt over the N. Y. Herald. out and in the dregs of the river for aferetime, and that shy young man's name was in every mouth, and he didn't dare to come down to breakfast, and his jet black mustache, which could be distinctly seen when he left, from very fright turned around and

#### went back again.

A Useful Kitchen Cabinet. A most convenient kitchen cabinet or table, said to have been designed by a should have a place in every kitchen. The table, which is of hard wood, is oblong in shape and not very high. contains four drawers, two at one end about the same size, a long one in the middle and a fourth small drawer at the other end. These drawers are to be used for silver polish, soaps, scour-ing material, brushes for silver and glass, for dish towels and clothes, and the countless other things needed in

dish-washing and baking.

There are also several shelves and open compartments of different sizes for holding the kneading board, rolling-pin, etc. But the special feature of the table is a high back like that ateither ends cranes to hold the jelly-bag or substances that must be filtered, the cranes being so arranged that they may be turned back against the table when

Fastened against the back of the table are also two very narrow shelves, containing openings just large enough to hold in place the various knives, forks and spoons used in cooking, which are suspended in them vertically. In the center of the back is a small closed cabinet in which may be kept the cook books and other kitchen memoranda, the door of the cabinet being provided with a rack where the cook book may be held securely and open at the right

Such a cabinet is of great value saving both time and many weary steps, especially for those mistresses who have no maids, or in flats, where every inch of room has to be counted. By its side should be a chair of convenient height, for many things in housekeeping may be done as well sitting as standing, and not until women study conveniences "I've known four of them to pay my and comforts for the kitchen as care-board for a month," said Curtis, but Housekeeping. fully as for the other rooms, will house- the orator thundered on and heeded work cease to be what a clever woman him not .- Philadelphia Inquirer. called an everlasting chore. - Boston Simeral - Did you hear about Gos-

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Drink, and the world drinks with you; swear off, and you swear alone.—
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If the world is a stage we suppose it is the sea that takes the heavy roles .-Binghamton Republican.

The men of average capacity and more than average in lustry accomplish most of the work in life. —Hartford Re

ligious Herald. The man who picks up a wire on the street is quite likely to get hold of some thing that will cure him of the grip. Scranton Truth.

It is the small things that annoy one. A famine of cents is felt more than a searcity of ten thousand dollar bills.

It is a sad reflection on buman nature Freight and Fares the Lowest. that almost any crooked transaction can be squared by a good round sum. -Baltimore American.

An actress who was desirons of producing a new play called it "Fine Cut" her. - Washington Star.

"It must have been dreadfully hard to wear those old coats of armor." "Yes; they have the appearance of hard-

A man is very like a buckwheht cake in this weather. He is disinclined to rise, and when he does is sour and heavy .- Detroit Free Press.

There are two reasons why some per er, that they haven't any business .-Harvard Lumpoon.

Hans. That means you are at the very foot!" "Well, papa, how can I help it if there are no more boys in the class?"

—Fliegende Blatter. Fliegende Blatter.

Silberstein (to dock laborer, who has rescued him)—"Vy you not know petter as to pull me out of de water py der as to pull me out of de water py der as to pull me out of de water py

First Renter-"I understand big flats On board a steamboat the other evening a strange thing occurred, pay."—Washington Star.

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Kluks-"I consider Jinkles one of

as they struck on the crest of the you spoke of.—Iterre Haule Express.

waves, like a man looking over to peer When you meet a man and ask him tom of them she stops."—Terre Haule how he feels, if he doesn't stop to think | Express, A nervous woman about midships he always says "First rate." If he stops

guards with a cry of "Man overboard!" in." Lassie—"Deed, mem, it's nae a me?" which once heard can bad ane for a first shot,"—Pall Mall have—" Gazette.

"I don't think it's exactly right for

should say. Doesn't she fare well?"-Scribbler-"The man who calls a balthe man who had occupied the trousers let dancer's costume a dress has the imagination of a poet.' Bibbler-"Why so?" Scribbler-"He gives to airy

nothing a local habitation and a name. Young Medical Student (to his sweetheart)- 'Do you know, Julia, that the human heart is equal to the lifting of 120 pounds every twenty-four hours?" Julia (demurely)-"Well, that's just

my weight."-Grand Rapids News. Jaggs-"Well, I see you've broken your resolution in the good, old-fash-loned way." Baggs—'Yep, but it wasn't altogether my fault. The weather has been so warm. you know, that paper over and iron with a hot iron. it wouldn't keep."-Philadelphia In-

pair of gloves for a male friend)—
"Have you any gentlemen's gloves?" New Clerk (glancing at her hand)-"No, miss; but I think I can find a ladies' size that will fit you."-N. Y. Antiquarian Bore-"Now, do you

Miss McFlimsey (who wants to get a

think Cleopatra really killed herself with an asp?" Business Man (rudely) "N-o. of course not. Most likely, while in search of youth and beauty, she tried somebody's 'Elixir of Life.'"—N. Y. Landlady-Mercy! Something dread-

Johnny Binks—"Pa, is ivory very ex-pensive?" Binks—"Very." "The pure, white kind costs more than other kinds, brush, rinse in clear water. doesn't it?" "No. my son; the white is Put a teaspoonful of ammonia in a

"If you want to see a man," said his wife as he rose from his seat, "can't you stay here and see him if you use the opera-glasses?" "They are not strong enough," he objected. "I can "I can get better glasses outside," and he vanished .- New York Herald.

"The crowned head is a foul blot upon society," thundered the orator. "What are Kings good for, anyway?"

ling, Cumso?" Cumso—"No; what's German cookery, has invented a new rested for kissing a Boston girl; but he escaped a fine." Cumso-"How did

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Hans. That means you are at the very coot!" "Well, papa, how can I help it friday both north and south bound

boats lie over night at Salem, leaving

him to go into politics?" Daughter— But, pa, he has tried, and he can't stand it. The whisky makes him sick."

-N. Y. Weekly. the greatest statesmen in the country."
Gluks—'Great Scott! man, what are you thinking of? He isn't worth a dollar."—Minneapolis Journal.

'Three kinds of juries figure promitive with me, but I don't play with me, but I don't play with me is an observant young. It seemed to prefer smaller boys for companions, and when asked why replied: "Well, I notice the bigger boys play with me, but I don't play with me is an observant young. It seemed to prefer smaller boys for companions, and when asked why replied: "Well, I notice the bigger boys play with me, but I don't play with me is an observant young." Willie is an observant youth. He There is certainly a very fine distinc-

tion here. -Harper's Young People. Yabsley-"Wickwire, we have just been discussing the question whether married women really do go through their husband's pockets. Does yours?" Wickwire— Of course I can only give you my own experience, and that is

Middy (to Fiji Princess)—"If you will be mine fly with me to my country; your life shall be one round of gayety and pleasure. I will take you to balls, and parties, and—" F. P.—
"And will I have to dress like the women in the picture papers you showed

Why, cer ainly. You shall Excuse me. Philadelphia Inquirer. VARIOUS USES FOR AMMONIA.

A little ammonia in tepid water will soften and cleanse the skin. Spirits of ammonia inhaled, will often relieve a severe headache. Doorplates should be cleaned by rubbing with a cloth wet in ammonia and

If the color has been taken out of silks by fruit stains, ammonia will usually restore the color. To brighten carpets wipe them with warm water in which has been poured

a few drops of ammonia. One or two tablespoonfuls of am-monia added to a pail of water will clean windows better than soap.

A few drops in a cupful of warm water, applied carefully will remove spots from paintings and chromos.

When acid of any kind gets on cloth-

ing, spirits of ammonia will kill it. Ap-ply chloroform to restore the color. Keep nickel, silver ornaments and mounts bright by rubbing with woolen Ammonia applied two or three times, on a fresh cold-sore will kill it. It will

sore is first felt. A tablespoonful of ammonia in a gallon of warm water will often restore colors in carpets; it will also remove whitewasa from them. Yellow stains, left by sewing-ma-

drive it away if used when the cold-

chine oil, on white, may be removed by rubbing the spot with a cloth wet with ammonia, before washing with the spot as often as necessary, and

wash out in soap suds. ful's going to happen. For thirteen to dine at a table is a bad sign, you know. Fogg (reassuringly)—"Ordinarily, yes; bathe in every day, it would keep their but then, you know, in our house one flesh sweet and clean, doing away can hardly call it dining."-Boston with any disagreeable odor. Old brass may be cleaned to look

blue five dol-O, yes, I guess it does?' combs in this and all combs in this, and all grease and dirt will disappear. Rinse, shake and dry

in the sun, or by the fire.
Flannels and blankets may be soaked in a pail of water containing one tablespoonful of ammonia and a little suds. Rub as little as possible and they will be white and clean, and will not shrink

One teaspoonful of ammonia to teacup of water will clean gold or ver jewelry; a few drops of clear ac ammonia poured on the undersid ly making them very brilliant. - 6

## Sauerkraut and Champagne.

habit with lovers of sauerkraut to pour and remarkable dish. It has been the temporary insanity,"—Munsey's Weekpagne for the Rhine wine with g

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The Telephone in America.

sages are sent daily. About 300,000 telephones are in use in this country. admission fee to the Melbe \* ock exchange is \$8,250, and somend at that floor

Frenks of Photography. Most people are aware of the fact that with few exceptions the faces of their friends are unlike when viewed from opposite sides, but it is not gencess undoubtedly arises from his observ-

ing their babies to lie and suck their thumbs, for then the foretinger is pressed against the delicate cartilage of the nose and slowly but surely is making an indention thereon. Mr. Sarony proves his theory by the statements of many mothers who have remembered the childish trait in their boys and girls, and those who have evenly formed features, or faces which apappeared exactly the same on each side, were those who scorned the comfort which is derived by putting

quite unlike the other. In fact, there was such a difference that two photographs, one of each side of his face, would hardly be recognized as the

same person.

Lively Fight With a Gator. Tom Knott and Judy Branch, who left for the Branch plantation well supplied with guns, dogs, etc., had a terrible fight with a large alligator, says a Florida letter to the Globe-Democrat. It appears that the boys were out hunting some cattle, accompanied by their pet dog. In hunting around they came across an immense saurian, but as his 'gatorship was engaged in watching some calves, he d d not notice the two "bloods" from this place. The dog not being well up in the 'gator business, commenced the attack at once. As soon as his 'gatorship could change his mind from calves to dogs he made a sweep with his tail that brought the capine around to his business end, and before the dog had time to think of his part, made a snap that would have endgator miscalculated his distance, and instead of taking the whole dog, tail and all, he got his tail only. The dog, being thus freed, started on a home run; but the gator wanted dog if he could not get calf, and, therefore, started after him, rolling over and over, This method of locomotion was so un-usual that the dog became disgusted. and made such good time that the 'gator gave it up and turned his attention Exchange sold on New York, San to his human enemies. They, in turn, gun, armed themselves with fence rails, and then the light was fast and furious. rne gator would take the rails between his teeth and crush them up as if he enjoyed them for a diet. To vary the exercises he would snatch a rail and sweep it round in a way that made his Finally, after a terrible struggle, he was forced to go where all 'gators go, and hunt calves and dogs no more. Messrs, Knott and Branch say that he was, un-

Feeding Chickens By Clockwork.

Fred Leach of Ansonia has some fine poultry, and he believes in feeding them as regularly as he eats his own meals. He is unable to be at home at night before the chickens go to roost, and in order that they may be fed without fail he has rigged up an ap-paratus which works like a charm. The usual quantity of corn is placed in