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## MAVERACKS

What is a naverick
To day we present an interesting column of paragraphs titled "Maver icks." We do this because it is no convenient for us to tell the source of each separate item. term expresses it better than any that could be selectel The word "maver ick" is derived from a man of the name. erick went from Massachusetts to Toxas, where he entered largely into stoc business. After buying several herd he neglected his range and left h stock to shift for themselves. M Marverick, with humanitarian feelinz refrained from branding his young stock, believing in the implicit honesty of his neighbors. When the genuine stockmen of the region ran across an unbranded animal on the round u they would say, "There's one of Mar verick's ; let's brand it." The wor sprang into popularity, and its limited meaning was broadened and enlarged by constant use throughout the cattle ranges and mining camps of the fron tier. The word has not yet been in troduced into the language, but we expect it will be soon after this ; it is so much nicer than chestnuts

Moves in the highest cireles- $\$ \mathrm{a}$ -
Plain English-The females of that country
The ocean is like a good house wife -very tidy.
A hard thing to sharpen-the wat er's edge

A sole stiring subject-a nail your shoe.
It takes an Irishman to pick hit $e^{\text {way through the world. }}$

The idea of Boston being the hub, tires us. We have spoke.
The age that women desire to ap proach is marriage
The largest room in the worldroom for improvement

A recent comic song is called "Ncap." It comes in bars.
Always on time-wings in the pietures of the aged scythist.
Molasses is sometimes put on the table syrup-dishes-ly.
The old chaps who wore armor were the first mail carriers.
A printer never wants to have his fingers in another man's pie.
A fair exchange is no robbery, but the bucket shop is full of danger. Cleveland will please stuff the cancy in Turkey before Thanksgiving The professor of a swimming school is very properly a doctor of dive-in-ity There is one thing to be said in favor of cider. It works right along without striking.
The ages of spring chickens so that pereolation cannot occur be
women are th
in the world.
"I passed some 'queer,' and here aur in prison, all on accounterfeit," $\mid$ sighed.
beg and too honest to steal.so they ge rusted.
Whatever a New Englander get dyspepsia he knows that his stomac

You can get a pretty good idea of man's character by noting how acts toward his poor relations. Imitation statesmen should They deceive the honest voter.
Women are so fond of trimmings tempers ruftled once in a while.

The Northren Pacific directory is
ease" Many perished in the late storms o the northwestern lakes. It was th fiercest gale on record.
Just because people neglect to kee run of their business property holder
in Portland paid for dressing the reets with rotten rock, which was ground up into dust and carted

## at another expense.

such a manmoth paper, we deemed best to publish Orna, the Child Thanksgiving edition, so that those who receive but one copy may have the benefit of everything.
That mule colt owned by Henry Gee, which made such a fine appearance in the horse show procession it this city last summer is getting to be a big mule now. Henry says the next time the colt comes to town he will wear a harness, and help pull the load.
The French chamber of deputie ake the liberty of enlightening the world that the have decided in favo of the bill raising duty on foreign wheat from 3 to 5 francs. This is i which is just now in favor her
Whatever else our French friends in tend that liberty should mean, thi certainly does not include commercia liberty between the two countrie American pork products having bee boycotted, it is now the turn of whea and unable to appreciate the compl

The Annals of Hygiene says that vell water in such cities should never be used ; but what can we do to help ourselves in this place at present ? cet us remember that a well wil drain an area with a diameter equa to twice its depth. Therefore, a well welve feet deep will drain an area the diameter of which is twenty-fou leet; that is to say that it will drain he surrounding soil for twelve feet in direction. Obviously, then, the priyy should be more than the depth of the well away from it, and raore than this again if it is proposed to place it on a higher level, which, however, should never be done. The well should be lined inside thoroughly with mortar so that pereolation cannot, occur be-
tween the crevices of the brieks, and


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Ducks, " "
Hogs, dressed

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