

The Farmer's Department

THE FARMER'S FUTURE

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Humorous and Sententious

BIDDY MALONEY'S CAT

Matthew Maloney, better known by the boys at the mill as "Father Mat," on a rainy evening from work one evening, was at the gate by Biddy, his better half, in a high state of excitement. "Mat," says she, "there's a strange cat in the cabin." "Cast her out, thin, an' don't be botherin' me about the baste." "Faix, an' I've been strivin' to do that same for the matter of ten minutes, past, but she's just beyond my reach, bint that big red hind in the corner. Will ye be rather help me to drive her out, Mat?" "To be sure I will, but look at the cat! she has for me honey; show her to me Biddy, till I can see what she's got that's so good in her own house—to be taken possession without as much as by her law, the shaft of the world!" "Now Mat had a special antipathy for cats, and never let pass an opportunity to kill one. This he resolved to do in the present case, and instantly formed a plan for the purpose. Receiving but one mode of access for the animal, he says to Biddy:— "Have ye ever a male bag in the house, no darlint?" "Divil a one in there, Mat. Yerrtook it to the mill wid ye to bring homechies wid this mornin'." "Faix an' I did, and there it is, yit, thin. Well, have ye puttin' at all in the house, that will tie up a bag Biddy?" "Troth, an' I have, Mat; there's me Sunday pittoot; ye can draw the strings close at the top, an' it will do better nor lettin' the cat be lavin' ye." "Biddy darlint, ye a jewel to be thinkin' of that same; be after bringin' it to me." Biddy brought the garment, and when the strings were drawn close it made a very good substitute for the meal bag, and Mat declared it was "millingan."

Bank Note Detector

PENNSYLVANIA BANKS

Table with columns: NAME, LOCATION, DATE. Lists various banks in Pennsylvania such as Bank of Commerce, Bank of North America, etc.

THE DEMOCRATIC WATCHMAN

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The public is respectfully informed that the first number of the Democratic Watchman, published in this country, is now on hand. It is a weekly paper, published in English, and is the only English Democratic paper in the country. It is published in the city of Philadelphia, and is the only English Democratic paper in the country. It is published in the city of Philadelphia, and is the only English Democratic paper in the country.

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HARRIS' NEW MONTHLY MAGAZINE

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HOW WE DID IT

Some twelve years since my father purchased a farm which was worked to death, as the neighbors said. We found out how it had been worked, when we put a heavy team and new plow at work, and the virgin soil was turned up six inches below the four inches worked to death. Our neighbors prophesied a failure, and when our crops vied with and exceeded their own, they were full of surmises as to the wonderful strength of a successful in renewing such till-kept soil.

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ROOTS IN WINTER

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NEW FLOWERING SHRUB

NEW FLOWERING SHRUB.—The January number of the Horticulturalist gives a plate and notice of a shrub found in Mason county, North Carolina, said to be a nameless and undescribed variety of Rhododendron, the flower of which is second only in magnificence to the Magnolia grandiflora. It grows to the height of four or five feet, and is easily transplanted and cultivated. It is stated that no American flower exceeds this in beauty. Its color is a bright crimson, approaching scarlet, and the petals are composed of twenty or thirty flowers, forming a conical mass nearly as large as a man's head. The leaves are evergreen, and of a deep color. The spot where found is on the top of almost inaccessible mountains.

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