

Farm, Garden & Household.

THE PROFITS OF A CROP OF TREES.

We find in Fuller's "Forest Tree Culture," much new and interesting matter both of a practical and somewhat speculative character. Few, he says, have ever calculated the value of an acre of oak, hickory, chestnut, or white ash. Growing as they do in their native forests they are generally mixed with other trees that are often of little worth, except for fuel but assuming that an acre could be planted, exclusively with some of the above varieties, one would almost be astonished at the amount and value of the yield. Taking hickory, which is always in demand for hoop-poles (for our latitude the same calculation could be made with white ash) Mr. Fuller proceeds to figure up the profits of an acre of land as follows. His calculations are at least interesting, and we doubt not reliable.

GIVE THE BOYS A WORKSHOP.

Every farmer who has boys, should provide them a workshop. It should be neatly made, and pleasantly situated, for it should be attractive to those for whom it is intended. It should be tight and comfortable, furnished with a small stove, so as to make it warm in winter. It should be provided with a workbench and vise, a shaving-horse for using the drawing-knife, and perhaps a small foot-lathe which is very convenient, but not essential, however. The other tools should be two or three planes, augers of different sizes, a few chisels, a bit-stock with bits, drawing-knives, saw and hammer. For those who cannot afford the whole, a small part can, other tools may be added—the cost of the tools would be but a trifle compared with the advantages one would derive from the use of them. The greatest assistance it will render the cause of practical education. It has been said that "the best inheritance any man can leave his children, is not wealth to support them, but the ability to help and take care of themselves." A young man whose natural ingenuity is so developed by practice that he can at any moment mend a rake, fix a helve in ax, set a clock in running order, mend a broken harness, give edge to a pair of shears, mend tinware, repair an umbrella, white-wash a ceiling, paper a room, make a bee-hive, bobby a chair, or mend, a broken rocker, and a hundred other little jobs, will pass through the world more comfortably to himself, and profitably to those around him, than one who is obliged to send for a mechanic to do for him. Another advantage afforded by such a workshop is its influence upon furnishing pleasant employment to boys during stormy weather, or other leisure hours, and lessening the temptation to frequent taverns, and to attend places of diversion—which often leads to the most pernicious habits. Almost every Yankee boy has a longing for the use of tools, and the moment his hand grasps a jack-knife and he begins to whittle. Provide cheering work for your works, something that will be relaxation from the drudgery of the plow toil, and the composite health, something that will satisfy their longings for progress, and open to them new realms of thought. If they are not skilled with the mallet and the chisel, the saw and the plane at home, they will quite likely become adepts at the pine and the handle abroad.—Rural New Yorker.

Lumorous.

PUNCH says the companion game to Parlor Croquet, is Cricket on the hearth. Should one see a naked Moor, one would naturally be reminded of andressed Morocco. ENGLAND has a witty poet, in Hood; but America has one W. Hittler. Deeds are like Joe Miller, because they furnish wags with their tails. If a pig could talk Latin, what would he say? Why, doubtless, "Porca verba!" WHEN is the best time to read the book of nature? When autumn turns the leaves. WHAT is the relation of the door-mat to the scraper? It is a step-father. WHY is a thief-called a jail bird? Because he has been a robbing. WE are never satisfied that a lady understands a kiss unless we have it from her own mouth. ALL our laws would seem to be bankrupt laws; they are broken every day. If righteous men are the salt of the earth, why are not girls its sugar? Because they are its 'lasses. In London, a coal-chipper testified that he and his wife had quarreled and parted forever more than twenty times. WHY is a lady's bonnet like a capalo?—Because it covers the belle, the former is supposed to cover. SOLOMON advises the sluggard to go the ant, but the shiftless in our days generally go to their 'uncle. A wit and a fool in company are like a crab and an oyster—one watches till the other opens its mouth that he may catch him up. 'Tis should be ashamed husband, to snore so! 'Oh, it is entirely unintentional; I never do it with my eyes open.' It is very easy to get up a meteoric display on a dark night by running your nose violently against a lamp-post. 'I THINK I have seen you before, sir: are you not Owen Smith?' 'Oh yes; I'm owin' Smith, and owin' Jones, and owin' Brown, and owin' everybody.' The cur of a court in Ireland endeavored to suppress the crowd by exclaiming: "All ye blackguards that isn't lawyers, lave the court." A MAN being asked, as he lay sunning himself on the grass, what was the height of his ambition, replied, "To marry a rich widow with a bad cough." 'WHAT makes you look so grim, Tom?' 'Oh I had to endure a sad trial to my feelings.' 'What on earth was it?' 'Why I had to tie on a pretty girl's bonnet while her mother was looking on.' SUBJECTS for comedians being nearly exhausted, our desperate joker has gone back to our first parents, and inquires: "Why was Eve not afraid of the measles? Because she'd 'Adam." A GENTLEMAN was one day arranging music for a young lady, to whom he was paying his attentions. "Pray, Miss Jossie Ann," said he, "what time do you prefer?" She replied, "Any time will do—but the quicker the better." A FRIEND had a great reverence for the truth, said a Baronet to a gentleman. "So I perceive was the reply, 'for he always keeps at a respectable distance from it.'" A GENTLEMAN was speaking the other day of the kindness of his friends in visiting him. One old aunt in particular visited him twice a year and staid six months each time. A LAY was asked to join one of the divisions of his Daughters of Temperance. She replied: "This is unnecessary, as it is my intention to join one of the Sons in the course of a few weeks." 'WHAT a blessing! whiskey punch would be the human family, if there never wasn't no-morrow mornin'!" said an old toper, who was enjoying his customary headache after a night's debauch. "CATO, what do you suppose is the reason that the sun goes to the south in the winter?" "Well, I don't know, massa, unless he no stand de clemency ob de norf, an' so am obliged to go to de souf, where he speriences de heat ob de sun." ALEXANDER DEMAS, the elder, returning from a day's sport at the country-seat of a friend with a perfectly empty game bag, was asked: "Well Demas what have you killed?" "Time," was the quiet reply. A PRETTY girl says: "If our Maker thought it wrong for Adam to eat the apple, when there was not a woman on earth, how criminally guilty are the old bachelors, with the world full of pretty girls." A BOSTON Judge recently refused to divorce a husband and wife, whose complaints of ill-temper and incompatibility were mutual, on the ground that it would never answer to allow such uncomfortable persons a chance to get others into such a scrape as marrying them would involve. An 'emigrant,' who had been somewhat roughly dealt with by the 'wild-cat' gentry of Virginia City, thus expresses his opinion of that lively town: "If Gabriel happened to light at Virginia City, there'll be no resurrection, for they'll swindle him out of his horns before he can make a single toot-a-toot." "STUTTERING BEN," who was toasting his shins, observing that the oil merchant was cheating a customer in some oil, called out to him: "Jim, I can tell you how to sell it twice as much oil as you do now." "Well, how?" growled Jim. "F-fill your measure." LITTLE Manie's father is generally too busy to attend the weekly prayer meeting. One day she was discussing the great hereafter with her mamma, when the following dialogue ensued: "Mamma, will you go to Heaven when you die?" "Mamma—Yes, I hope to, child." "Mamma—Well, mamma, I hope I'll go too or you'll be lonesome." "Mamma—'Oh, I hope your papa will go too." "Mamma—'Oh, no, papa can't go; he can't leave the store." OLD Dr. A—was a quack, and a very ignorant one. On one occasion he was called by mistake to attend a council of physicians in a critical case. After considerable discussion the opinion was expressed by one that the patient was convalescent. When it came Doctor A—'s turn to speak: "Convalescent," said he, "why that's nothing serious; I have cured convalescent in twenty-four hours!"

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