PLANTING TREES.

ng buds, emerald grasses and singing
It is the season, also, of unusual activity and labor on the farm, in the garden and the nursery. There is no lack of employment for those who "earn their bread by the sweat of the brow." We have ploughing, sowing, manuring, planting and pruning t attend to; also the transplanting of fruit and ornamental trees. The farmer or gardeer who overlooks this latter duty, neglects one of the most important duties of his profession. The diversity of soil and climate in this country, gives us remarkable facilities for the cultivation of fruit; and no man who owns a farm. garden, or even a house-lot, should omit set ting out fruit trees. They cost but little, require small attention, yet return us delicious and health-giving food, and add considerably to the value and attractiveness of our homes.

Many persons, intelligent ones, too, live on farms or country-seats all their lives, but never set out a tree. They neglect this duty ecause they think "it takes too long for rees to grow and bear fruit." Prodigious bilosophers! Suppose those who "came before us''-our ancestors-entertained the same selfish notions; where would be the uxuriant fruit that now tickles our palate? Where? Not certainly in the blooming orchards, nor in every village or city market. Instead of the abundance of apples, peaches and pears; the profusion of plums, cherries and other delecacies in the way of small fruits, we should "go hungry" for those luxuries; and the noble orchards which beauour farms and diversify the landscape would became curiosities, and the little garing to maturity, or frail-bearing, is not valid; and shift of those who live upon the labor of w

We cannot jump from diaper to broadcloth; we cannot make prize beef out of invenile alves; we cannot slide from depravity to righteousness, nor can we raise or propagate tree fruits in a day or a year. But, by proper planting, skillful culture on favorable soils, we can obtain fruit in a comparatively brief time. If we do not live to enjoy the returns of our labor, somebody else will-perhaps your children or your grand children, or may be a foot-sore and travel-weary beggar may rest beneath the broad, bending branches of your orchard; he may satisfy the gnawings of hunger on your fruit, and thank the Great Father of all, that you planted, watered, pruned and protected the trees that continu ed to bloom, blossom and bear good fruit said, while the grass and the daisy nod over your ldering ashes.

The profits of orchard or tree culture, are increasing every year. With good management the fruits of the orchard will often bring more than the productions of the field. Few orchards, if on good soil and properly cared for, will fail to net one hundred dollars per acre-often twice or thrice that amount. The demand for fine fruit is increasing annually. and there is no danger of over-stocking the market. But if there was little marketable value in orchard fruit, it should be cultivated for its health giving properties-for yourself, your family and your friends. Go on the principle of increasing domestic comfort; or perpetuating good health; of adding something to the pleasure and happiness of those who are dependent upon you. Generosity to posterity, to those who may toil on the same arm, who may sow the same fields, who may gather the harvests after you are gone, and who are at last laid beside you under the should not be forgotten. We all belong to one great family or brotherhood, of whom God is the Great Father.

Spring is a favorable time to transplant fruit trees in the New England and Middle States. In the South, below thirty six degrees, the Autumn is probably the best period to set out fruit trees. Not so in the North; now is the best time, in our opinion. In selecting trees, avoid purchasing from nurseries of very rich land, for there the young perhaps healthy, but are tender and sappy, and will not thrive afterwards on ordinary soils. Again, look for vigorous trees, with good roots, strong and fibrous; with the wood well hardened, and the bark smooth, clean gazed upon the cart. and healthy-looking. In selecting ground for fruit trees, choose a good, dry soil; if the land is naturally wet, underdrain it, or if it is thin and shallow, sub-soil it. Of situations, parties must judge for themselves. Low land is subject to frosts; as a general advice, put your trees on middling high land, though not at the extreme summit. If adjacent to a pond or large river, all the better. All bodies of water mitigate the severity of Winter. and cool the extreme heat of Summer. regard to scientific transplanting, and the after culture, they require more space than we advice, and amateurs should consuit book authority. Remember, however to PLANT TREES THIS SPRING. - Farm and Fireside.

GRAIN STATISTICS .- It may be interesting for those who believe that agriculture cannot be as favorably prosecuted in the East as it is in the West, to know that while the yield of fashionable of late. In almost every church wheat in Massachusetts averages fifteen bush. | you go into you will find one of these instruels per acre, that of Ohio and Iowa is but eight; that while corn averages twenty nine bushels in Massachusetts, it only amounts to an amusing incident which occurred in their twenty-eight in Iowa and thirty-five in Ohio; church. that oats averages twenty-three bushels in the former State to twenty-five and twenty-seven in the two latter; that rye averages eleven bushels in Massachusetts, ten in Ohio and thirteen in Iowa; and that in potatoes, Mastrice in Iowa; and the purpose, and constructed to play forty in Iowa; and Iowa; a thirteen in Iowa; and that in potatoes, Massachusetts produces ninety bushels to sixty. eight and sixty-seven in her rivals.

will not sting of its own accord,

sweets, will invariably accept them.

spunk, tobacco or cotton rags.

Humorous.

As exchange says a saving bank in Mobile, established by the negroes, collapsed the oth The genial season has come—the season of er day, in consequence of the depositors withdrawing all the funds to attend a circus.

> An Irishman once observed that mile nes were kind enough to answer your questions without giving you the trouble to ask

A BILL posted on the walls in a country vilage announced that "a lecture will be delivered in the open air, and a collection made at the door to defray expenses.'

WHEN a man marries a widow he is bound to give up smoking and chewing. If she gives up her weeds for him, he should give up the

A YANKER lawyer who was pleading the

ause of a little boy, took him up in his arms and held him up to the jury, suffused in tears. This had a great effect, until the opposite lawyer asked the boy, "What makes you cry?" "He's pinching me," said the boy. MR. BEAR was at a public dinner, two gen-tlemen by the name of Bird being in the com-

pany. After the cloth was removed, Mr Bear, who was a good singer, was called on to oblige the company with a song. He immediately rose and said: "Gentlemen, your conduct on this occasion is so highly improper, that I cannot help noticing it.

"For why?" said the gentleman.
"That you should call on a Bear to sing, when you have two Birds in the company.'

An eastern editor says that a man in New York got himself into trouble by marrying two wives. A western editor replies by as suring his cotemporary that a good many men den of the poor man would be a comparative desert, a wild, a solitude to himself and fam.

A northern editor retorts that quite a numily. This error, mistake, or stupidity in not ber of his acquaintances found trouble enough planting trees because they are slow in com- by barely promising to marry, without going any further. A southern editor says that a it is the excuse of the idle man, the apology friend of his was bothered enough when simof the sluggard, and the subterfuge, evasion ply found in company with another man's

As Clay and Benton were going home late one night from a Presidential party at the White House, Clay said to Benton, when they came near an eating-house, 'Let's stop in here and see if we can't get a glass of ale and pick up the left leg of a goose or turkey.' And pray, sir, what is the difference between the right and the left leg, sir?' asked Ben ton, in his usually pompous style. 'All the difference in the world,' quietly replied Clay, 'if it happens to be the only leg left.'

FROM Rockwood, Illinois, we have word that Roley B-, a ready-witted Irishman, still lives, and is able to get outside of his regular liquids. The other day one of the boys, thinking to have a little fun out of him,

"Roley, have you heard the news?" 'No: what news ?"

"Why the devil's dead." Not a word said Roley, but putting his and in his pocket and pulling out a ten-cent shinplaster, handed it to his questioner, who asked what it was for.

"Why," answered Roley, "in the ould country, where I came from, it was the cusparents died."

Whereat there was some laughter, but no

Woman's Will.-Dip the great ocean dry with a teaspoon; twist your heel into the toe of your boot; make postmasters perform their promises and subscribers pay the printer; send up fishing hooks with balloons and fish for stars; get astride a gossamer and chase a comet; when the rain is coming down like the TERMS, NET CASH. ONE PRICE OF cattaract of Niagara remember where you left ame identical soil you have all cultivated, brickbat: hold Gibraltar at arms' length; in your umbrella: choke a musquito with a short, prove all things heretofore considered impossible, but never coax a woman to say she will, when she has made up her mind she won't.

"You've GONE OVER IT." -- One Sunday morning an old gentleman was going to church. He was a happy, cheerful Christian, who had a very great respect for the Sabbath. He was, however, somewhat singular in his manner of giving reproof. As he was going have been pushed ahead "for a market;" are along, he met a man driving a heavily loaded Rasa fo sq or population SO 1HO cart through the town.

When the old gentleman came opposite the DECCEST AND STATIONER, and lifted in poth and AMAIN STATEMENT AND STATEMENT OF THE STATEMEN hands, as if in alarm, he exclaimed, as he

"There, there, you are going over it; you have gone right over it.

The driver was frightened, and instantly cried out "Whoa, whoa," and brought his horse to a stand.

He then looked under the wheels expecting to see the mangled remains of some innocent child, or at least some poor dog or pig, that had been crushed to death.

But, after gazing about, and seeing nothing under the wheels, he looked at the gentleman who had so strangely arrested his attention, and anxiously asked, "What have I gone

"Over the fourth commandment, my friend." was the reply; "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy."

Good for Forty Tunes. - The Shelby (Ind.)

Courier says. Organs in the churches have become very ments. A friend of ours, who lives in a

He said, to be in fashion, they must have former State to twenty-five and twenty-seven an organ. The congregation could not afford

The sexton had instructions how to set it oing, and how to stop it; but unfortunately of forgot the latter part of his husiness, and Taming Bees.—The whole art of "taming he forgot the latter part of his business; and after singing the first four verses of a hymn Taming Bees.—The whole art of taming the sees' is embodied in the following:—

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Bees may be frightened thus:

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5.26		9.14	Cove,	10.02	4.24
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