The Forthcoming Potato Crop.

It is worth the effort of some statistician to compute the amount of wealth added to the community through the influence of the agricultural newspapers, and the immense amount of human misery and want which it guards against and turns away. When the potato disease appeared in England, some thirty years ago, the result was starvation to thousands of people. There were no agricultural papers as we now understand them, if indeed there be any even now of the popular character, reaching almost every farmer's home, that America presents. No one knew anything of potato diseases or diseases of any kind; no one knew or had any idea of the approach of disaster; and when it come it was all lose—no one was prepared with an extra crop to supply any deficiency.

Such an event as a great famine like that which followed in Ireland, and to some extent in England, on the failure of the potato, is impossible in these days of agricultural literature. There is no better illustration of this than in the history of the Colorado potato-beetle, and the prospects of the crop to-day. Thousands and thousands of bushels of potatoes have been destroyed, or at least would have been raised, that were not, solely on account of the existence of this insect plague; and yet the price of potatoes has not materially increased during the past twenty years. As trouble originates it is made known and discussed by the agricultural press, its cause and cure exposed and large quantities planted in the uninfected districts, to take the place of those likely to be destroyed. In this way the equilibrium is maintained, prices kept at near uniform standard, and absolute want kept away.

The potatto crop of the present season is also a capital illustration of these truths. The information so widely spread of the advance of the insect, has led to an immense planting in some of the eastern States. The northern seaboard States, usually plant large quantities of these roots, as the facilaties for cheap water transportation is a great advantage over the planting far in the interior. But this year, as we have on good authority, there has been much more land given to potatoes than there has been for some years, in spite of the dry weather experienced in many districts, which somewhat injured the crop, and the complete loss by insects in others, the prospects are, that the market will be as well filled as ever next season, and there will be no material increase in price. It is of course to soon to tell yet how much, if at all, the crop will suffer from the rot, as this when it comes, makes its appearance later in the season; but so far as the foliage has been unusually healthy, and the indications of probable disease of this character very slight.—*Germantown Telegraph.*

EXTRAORDINARY PROPHECIES.—A German paper publishes the following prophecies of the Monk Tranquil Wolfgang, who died at Munich in 1873:

1874. Strengthening the Spanish Republic. Dissatisfaction in France. General armament in Italy. A new chief government in France. Death of Pius IX.

1875. War between Italy and France. The Italian army besieges Paris. Defeat of the French army. Italian occupation of Algiers. National plebiscitum in Corsica, Nice, and Savoy. Inundation of Austria.

1876. Paris surrenders in March. Ratification of peace in Corsica. Nice and Savoy and Corsica incorporated with Italy. Revolution in Spain and fall of the government. The pestilence in Russia. Prince Fritz German emperor. Revolution in England.

1877. Communism and famine in France and Spain. European Congress in Rome. The new Pope reconciled with Italy. General armament in Europe. France divided into four States. Inundations and hurricanes in Italy. Great cold in Germany.

1878. A new European Congress in Berlin. Death of Queen Victoria. New government in Spain. The Christians in Turkey are free. Dissatisfaction in Portugal, Poland, and Hungary. Cholera in France. Discovery of a remedy for cholera in Bavaria.

1879. Great storms in England. Universal peace. General disarrangements. Great discoveries at sea. The Pope reforms the Church and suspends the order of Jesuits.

1880 to 1890. Peace. The Pope blesses all nations.

WHITEWASHING.—There is nothing a woman is more deeply concerned in than her whitewashing, or nothing she is so conceited about as her own efforts in that line, if it doesn't "streak." To keep it from "streaking" is her highest ambition, and when she has succeeded, every woman within a mile is dragged to see it, and her unfortunate husband is forced to admire it until he hurts his neck. Every woman, too, has a natural desire to see her husband white-wash. When she has a job of it on hand she invariably proffers it to him with a strong expression of doubt in his ability to perform it—a distrust he hastens to confirm with a cheerful alacrity. Man's antipathy to whitewashing arises ma nly from having at some time or another stepped on the handle of a white-wash brush reposing across a pail, thereby throwing about two quarts of the mixture over himself and the furniture, besides tipping over the pail and emptying its contents in his shoes.

WHENEVER you see a couple of lovers walking home from church so slow that everybody behind them are freezing for the want of a little exercise, you can bet that he does not get invited in.

ATTENTION, FARMERS!!

IT gives me pleasure to inform you that I again have the agency this season for the

TWO BEST

Mowing and Reaping MACHINES

ever brought before the public.

THE SUPERIOR

has a SCREW POWER, has no cog gearing, is SIMPLE, NOISELESS, DURABLE, and a powerful Machine, and runs light. Although only three years before the public, there are over TEN THOUSAND of them now in use, and owing to the satisfaction they have given, it is expected the sale of these Machines this year will double those of any previous season. The REAPER ATTACHMENT to it also HAS NO SUPERIOR.

The Improved Iron Frame

BUCKEYE!

has been before the public about ten years, and the fact that there are over ONE HUNDRED and TWENTY THOUSAND in use at the present time, with a largely increased yearly demand for them, is a better recommendation than pen can indite. They are very simple, strong, durable and light running; and if you want a REAPER ATTACHMENT at any time, you can have a selection out of four different kinds which the Company manufactures—so you cannot fail to be satisfied.

GEORGE HUNTLEY, Agent.

Ebensburg, June 12, 1874.-tf.

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Money Saved is Money Earned

The undersigned are about introducing in Western Pennsylvania the celebrated **Randell Fanning Mill, Grain Separator and Grader Combined,** which has attracted marked attention in the Western States wherever exhibited among the farmers.

As a Fanning Mill it cannot be surpassed, and it is the only **real** separator and **grander** in the U. S.

It is simple, rapid and complete, and gives you perfect control in **chaffing, separating** or **grading** your grain.

The use of the Randell Mill will improve the condition of your grain, enhance the **price** from five to fifteen cents per bushel: and besides will largely increase the yield per acre, by the higher grade of seed you are enabled to obtain.

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This mill works on an entire new principle as applied to Fanning Mills, and does its work to perfection.

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HAVING recently enlarged our stock we are now prepared to sell at a great reduction from former prices. Our stock consists of Drugs, Medicines, Perfumery, Fancy Soaps, Leon's, Hall's and Allen's Hair Restoratives, Pills, Ointments, Plasters, Liniments, Pain Killers, Citrate Magnesia, Ess. Jamaica Ginger, Pure Flavoring Extracts, Essences, Lemon Syrup, Soothing Syrup, Spiced Syrup, Rhubarb, Pure Spices, &c.

Cigars and Tobaccos,

Blank Books, Deeds, Notes and Bonds; Cap, Post, Commercial and all kinds of Note Paper; Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, Arnold's Writing Fluid, Black and Red Ink, Pocket and Pass Books, Magazines, Newspapers, Novels, Histories, Bibles, Religious, Prayer and Toy Books, Penknives, Pipes, &c.

☞ We have added to our stock a lot of FINE JEWELRY, to which we would invite the attention of the Ladies.

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Manhood: How Lost, How Restored!

Just published, a new edition of **Dr. Culverwell's Celebrated Essay** on the *radical cure* (without medicine) of SPERMATORRHŒA or Seminal Weakness, Involuntary Seminal losses, IMPOTENCY, Mental and Physical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage, etc.; also, CONSUMPTION, EPILEPSY and FITS induced by self-indulgence or sexual extravagance: Pills, etc.

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The celebrated author, in this admirable Essay, clearly demonstrates from a thirty years' successful practice, that the alarming consequences of self-abuse may be radically cured without the dangerous use of internal medicine or the application of the knife; pointing out a mode of cure at once simple, certain and effectual, by means of which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately, and *radically.*

☞ This lecture should be in the hands of every youth and every man in the land.

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And Where to Buy It.

COUNTRYMAN—See here, neighbor, can you tell me where I can buy the sewing machine people talk so much about?

CITIZEN OF EBENSBURG—Yes, with pleasure. I presume it is the Singer Sewing Machine that you mean.

C.—Yes, that's the name of it.

C. OF E.—Well, just down there, two doors east of Zahm's store, is the place, and my word for it you will be well pleased with your purchase if you invest in one of those machines. Messrs. BAILEY & TATE, the agents, have now on hand all styles and sizes of these indispensable machines, from the cheapest to the most valuable, and are accommodating gentlemen who will be pleased to show you the ins and outs of their various machines, whether you desire to buy or not. They also keep thread, needles and all the other paraphernalia of a sewing machine, and are at all times prepared to attend to the repairing of machines in a substantial and satisfactory manner, and at very moderate rates. Don't forget the place—High street, two doors east of Zahm's store, Ebensburg [1-24.-tf.]

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John Fitzharris, - Proprietor.

HAVING leased and refurnished the above well known and popular hotel, the proprietor is now prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with their patronage. The best that the market affords will be served at the Table at all seasons, the Bar will be kept constantly supplied with the choicest liquors, and the commodious Stable will be under the charge of a careful and attentive hostler. No effort will be spared to render guests comfortable and well pleased in every particular, and by proper attention to business and a moderate scale of prices the proprietor hopes to win his way to public favor. [May 2, 1873.-tf.]

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This well known House has recently been leased by the unnersigned, who, having had many years' experience in keeping a first-class hotel, respectfully solicits the patronage of the public.

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☞ Arrangements will be made by which guests can be furnished with meals at any hour.

TERMS—$1.50 PER DAY: $10 PER WEEK.

Bearders taken by the Day, Week, Month or Year.

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HAVING introduced new machinery into our Woolen Factory, we are now prepared to manufacture on short notice, CLOTHS, CASSIMETS, BLANKETS, FLANNELS of all styles STOCKING YARNS, &c., &c.

☞ Wool taken in exchange for goods or worked on shares. Market price paid for wool.

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Are not over, but rather under, those of any other dealer in

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Ebensburg, Jan. 16, 1874.-tf.

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A CARD.

EBENSBURG WOOLEN FACTORY

AS interested parties have been reporting in the northern part of this county that our rates for manufacturing Woolen Goods, &c., are much higher than they really are we deem it necessary for our own protection and for the information of the public to publish the following

LIST OF PRICES.

Blankets	$3.50 per pair.
Flannels	30 and 35 cts. per yard.
Cassimeres	50 cts. per yard.
Satinetts	50 cts. per yard.
Carding and Spinning	20 cts. per lb.
Carding	7 " " "

T. M. JONES & SONS,

July 18, 1873.-tf. Ebensburg Woolen Factory.

Perspiration.

The amount of liquid matter which passes through the microscopical tubes of the skin in twenty-four hours, in any adult person of sound health, is about sixteen fluid ounces, or one pint. One ounce of the sixteen is solid matter, made up of organic and inorganic substances, which, if allowed to remain in the system for a space of time would cause death. The rest is water. Besides the water and solid matter, a large amount of carbonic acid, a gaseous body, passes through the tubes; so we cannot fail to understand that they are active workers, and also we cannot fail to see the importance of keeping them in perfect working order, removing obstructions by frequent application of water, or by some other means.

Suppose we obstruct the functions of the skin perfectly by varnishing a person completely with a compound, impervious to moisture. How long will he live? Not over six hours. The experiment was once tried on a child in Florence. Pope Leo, the tenth, on the occasion of his accession to the papal chair, wished to have a living figure to represent the Golden Age, and so he gilded a poor child all over with varnish and gold leaf. The child died in a few hours. If the fur of a rabbit or the skin of a pig be covered with a solution of India rubber in naptha, the animal ceases to breathe in two hours.

Bows.

Bows is a young man of lazy and easy habits. He is a graceful young man. He can owe a tailor's bill with more grace than Count D'Orsay, and put him off when he presents his bill with a suavity so delicious that the tailor feels like trusting him some more—when he pays that last account. Bows is a married man. His wife prevailed on him to go to church. The minister preached an eloquent sermon, and its telling truths would have brought tears into the eyes of Bows, but that he remembered that his supply of clean handkerchiefs was limited to one. The text of the sermon moved Bows most of all. It was, "Go to the ant, thou sluggard." He went home pondering deeply over this text, and next morning he packed his trunks, took all his family—including his mother-in-law and the tame parrot—and called on his aunt and stayed for two months. Now he is hunting for that minister. He wants him to preach something as interesting about his uncle, or his grandfather, or any of his cousins. The aunt, too, wants to see that minister. She just wants to give him a piece of her mind. One piece of it is that "he is a cabbage-headed old fool, who is about as able to preach sense as she is to build a railroad across the Atlantic ocean."

An Enterprising Agent.

An agent with a satchel under his arm entered one of our banking houses the other day, and presenting himself before the bookkeeper, he thus began.

"Pardon me, sir, for intruding, but I wish to show you my world-renowned salve which has attracted much attention from the crowned heads of Europe for the marvelous manner in which it cures corns, warts, sore eyes, boils, and will make the beard grow in forty-eight hours—try a box, sir?"

Bookkeeper—"No, sir; I have a beard, and none of the other complaints."

Agent—"But, dear sir, it makes a fine grease for a carriage."

B.—"I can't afford to keep a carriage, so get out."

A.—"Only one word now: this salve can be used as a substitute for butter, being harmless, warranted not to injure the most delicate constitution. How many boxes, sir?"

Exit agent in a very rapid-transit manner, closely followed by a paper weight and several words of comfort from his friend the keeper of books.

How the Indians Dun.

The Hartford *Courant* evolves the following theory:

"There has been some philological doubt as to the phrase 'After him with a sharp stick.' It may have occurred to many that the 'sharp stick' referred to is the much-feared 'January bill.' And it would seem there was some ground for this. The Neeshenan Indians of California have not the brutal and disagreeable habit prevalent among us of sending dunning bills. When one Indian owes another, it is considered bad taste, as it is, for the creditor to dun the debtor. He proceeds with more delicacy. He procures a certain amount of sticks, according to the amount of the debt, and paints a ring around the end of each. These he carries, tosses into the debtor's wigwam, and then goes away without a word. The debtor pays the debt and destroys the sticks; it is considered a reproach to have dunning sticks thrown into the wigwam, and the creditor never uses them except with hard customers."

Anonymous Letters.

It is impossible to foresee all the injury which may be done by an anonymous letter, while any good which it may accomplish can usually be effected by other and preferable means.

An old man named Jones was murdered at South Oyster Bay, last June. Abram Southard, of Freeport, had suspicions that a colored man was implicated in the crime, and the plan which suggested itself to his mind for unravelling the mystery was for him to write an anonymous letter on the subject.

Unfortunately the handwriting of Mr. Southard resembled that of a half-brother of the murdered man so closely, that experts concluded that the anonymous letter had been written by this half-brother, who was thereupon arrested, and only released after a long examination and on the testimony of the real author of the letter.

It is a safe rule, and one to be strictly adhered to, that a letter fit to be sent is fit to be signed.

A BROOKLYN young woman, who abandoned her old husband, says: "He was too soft. I couldn't be hugging and kissing him all the while—it isn't my disposition. I couldn't bear to sit on his lap and cuddle him every time I wanted a cent."

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PERCALES, for Summer Suits, very cheap.

The Celebrated "RIVERSIDE" HAT

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VENETIAN and GIRTHING CARPET.

Ingrain Carpet, all wool.

COTTAGE CARPET FROM 25 CENTS UP.

Mattings and Door Rugs.

Floor Oil Cloths 4-4, 5-4, 6-4, and 8-4 wide; Stair Oil Cloths and Table Oil Cloths; Window Shades at prices to suit everybody.

PRINTS AT 6 CENTS.

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MILLINERY GOODS!!

☞ The attention of the Ladies is invited to our Retail Millinery Department. Having engaged a first-class Milliner from the East and being constantly in receipt of the latest and handsomest styles, we are prepared to suit all tastes and meet all pecuniary circumstances.

NEW DRESS GOODS

OF FINEST QUALITIES.

Country merchants will find it to their INTEREST to call and examine our stock. We can fill their orders in Dry Goods, Notions and Millinery at the same prices they would have to pay in the east, and thus save freight and traveling expenses.

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of the most popular designs and of all styles, prices and qualities:

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such as Locks, Screws, Butt Hinges, Shutter Hinges, Table Hinges, Bolts, Iron and Nails, Window Glass, Putty, Table Knives and Forks, Carving Knives and Forks, Pocket Knives, Table and Tea Spoons, Meat Cutters, Apple Parers, Scissors, Shears, Razors and Strops, Hammers, Axes, Hatchets, Boring Machines, Augurs, Chissels, Planes, Compasses, Squares, Files, Rasps, Anvils, Vises, Wrenches, Rip, Panel and Cross-Cut Saws, Chains of all kinds, Shovels, Spades, Scythes and Snaths, Rakes, Forks, Sleigh-Bells, Shoe Lasts, Pegs, Wax, Bristles, Clothes Washers and Wringers, Patent Churns and, Patent Machines generally, Grind-Stones, Patent Molasses Gates and Measures, Lumber Sticks, Cast Steel Rifles, Shot Guns, Revolvers, Pistols, Cartridges, Powder, Caps, Lead, Horse Shoes and Nails, Old Stove Plates, Grates and Fire Bricks, Well and Cistern Pumps, &c., &c.;

Harness and Saddlery Ware

of all kind, in great variety;

WOOD and WILLOW WARE

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CARBON OIL and OIL LAMPS,

Fish Oil, Lard Oil, Linseed Oil, Lubricating Oil, Rosin, Tar, Paints, Varnishes, Turpeutine, Alcohol, &c.; Silver-Plated Ware, Glassware, &c

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such as Teas, Coffee, Sugars, Syrups Molasses, Spices, Dried Peaches, Dried Apples, Hominy, Fish, Crackers, Rice, Pearl Barley, &c.

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Paint, Varnish, Whitewash, Scrub, Horse, Shoe, Stove, Dusting, Clothes and Tooth Brushes, all kinds and sizes; Bed-Cords, Manilla Ropes, and many other articles, at the *lowest rates for cash.*

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made, painted and put up as cheap as possible, FOR CASH. ☞ A liberal discount made to country dealers buying Tinware by wholesale.

GEORGE HUNTLEY.

Ebensburg, July 25, 1873.-tf.

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Cooking Stoves,
Heating Stoves.

TIN, COPPER & SHEET-IRON WARE

Having recently taken possession of the newly-fitted up and commodious building on High street, two doors east of the Bank and nearly opposite the Mountain House, the subscriber is better prepared than ever to manufacture all articles in the TIN, COPPER and SHEET-IRON WARE line, all of which will be furnished to buyers at the very lowest living prices.

The subscriber also proposes to keep a full and varied assortment of

Cooking, Parlor and Heating Stoves

of the most approved designs.

☞ SPOUTING and ROOFING made to order and warranted perfect in manufacture and material. REPAIRING promptly attended to.

All work done by me will be done right and on fair terms, and all STOVES and WARE sold by me can be depended upon as to quality and cannot be undersold in price. A continuance and increase of patronage is respectfully solicited, and no effort will be wanting to render entire satisfaction to all.

VALLIE LUTRINGER.

Ebensburg, Oct. 13, 1870.-tf.

Loretto Marble Works.

PRICES REDUCED!

MONUMENTS, TOMBSTONES, BUREAU and TABLE TOPS; also, Designs for Scotch Granite Monuments. We desire to invite the attention of the public to our beautiful Designs for Monuments and Tombstones, made of the very best Italian and American Marbles, and which will be furnished at as low rates as similar work can be obtained in Philadelphia or elsewhere. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed, and work shipped to any point at our risk. All orders from a distance will be promptly attended to. Remember that our designs and our work will compare favorably with any in the State. WILKINSON & KELLY.

Loretto, March 13, 1874.-tf.

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MONUMENTS, HEAD and TOMB STONES, COUNTER and CABINET SLABS, MANTELS, &c., manufactured of the very best Italian and American Marbles. Entire satisfaction guaranteed in price, design and execution of work.

☞ Orders respectfully solicited and promptly filled at the very lowest cash rates. Try us.

Oct. 24.-m.* JOHN PARKE.

LOGAN'S MARBLE WORKS!

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JOHN W. LOGAN, - Proprietor.

MONUMENTS, HEAD AND TOMB STONES, COUNTER AND CABINET SLABS, AND TELS, &c., manufactured of the very best Italian and American Marbles. Perfect satisfaction in work, design and price guaranteed.

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Ebensburg, Sept. 1, 1873.-tf.

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Never say you will do presently what your reason or your conscience tells you should be done now. No man ever shaped his own destiny or the destinies of others wisely nor well who dealt much in presentlies. Look at Nature. She never postpones. When the time arrives for the buds to open, they open—for the leaves to fall, they fall. Look forward. The shining worlds never put off their risings or their settings. The comets even, erratic as they are, keep their appointments; and eclipses are always punctual to the minute. There are no delays in any of the movements of the universe which have been predetermined by the absolute fiat of the Creator. Procrastination among the stars might involve the destruction of innumerable systems; procrastinations in the operation of nature on this earth might result in famine, pestilence, and the blotting out of the human race. Man, however, being a free agent, can postpone the performance of his duty; and he does so too frequently to his own destruction. The drafts drawn by Indolence upon the Future are pretty apt to be dishonored. Make No your banker. Do not say you will economize presently, presently you may be bankrupt, nor that you will repent and make atonement presently, for presently you may be judged. Bear in mind the important fact, taught all by the history of nations, rulers and private individuals, that in at least three cases out of five, presently is too late.

When a whirlwind occurs out at sea it agitates the water contained within its diameter to such a degree as frequently to cause a column of spray to rise in the air. If the sky is cloudy, the upper strata of the whirlwind acts upon the lower clouds in precisely the same manner in which the lower strata acts upon the surface of the water, and thus causes a column of vapor to descend immediately above the ascending one. These two columns will, if the whirling motion of the air continues for any considerable period, become lengthened by the continuing pressure of the atmosphere, will ultimately join themselves together. What are termed waterspouts in island districts seem to be quite a distinct phenomena. They are nothing more or less than very heavy showers of rain confined within narrow limits. These showers may or may not be accompanied with a whirlwind motion in the atmosphere, but will, of course, come nearer our idea of what a waterspout should be when it is so accompanied.

It is remarkable how old-time superstitions crop out now and then and take root in the public mind. At present the "lucky horse-shoe" is the favorite emblem, applied in nearly every device to which it can be adapted, irrespective of the horse's luck. Horse-shoe pins in gold, bronze or other metal, are worn as ornaments by men and women alike. Small looking-glasses framed in imitation horse-shoes of gutta-percha or some other material, are in demand, and in some instances real horse-shoes, gilt, are used as frames. Most bar-rooms have a horse-shoe nailed up somewhere, and old women who sell newspapers at corner tables prefer horse-shoes to bricks for paper weights. The original notion of the talismanic properties of the horse-shoe arose from the supposition that an evil spirit, in traversing it, is sure to fly off at one of the ends. This absurd idea is doubtless worn out of the time and person with whom it originated.

Doctor Erskine, a celebrated Scotch divine, was remarkable for his simplicity of manner and gentle temper. He returned so often from the pulpit minus his pocket handkerchief, and could tell so little how or where it was lost, that Mrs. Erskine at last began to suspect that the handkerchiefs were stolen, as he ascended the pulpit stairs, by some of the old wives who loved it. So, both to balk and detect the culprit, she sewed a corner of the handkerchief into one of the pockets of his coat-tails. He got about half way up the stairs the good doctor felt a tug, whereupon he turned and said to the old woman whose was the hand, to say, with great gentleness and simplicity: "No' the day, honest woman, no' the day. Good Mrs. Erskine has it in it."

STARTING DAHLIAS.—Among the many things to be done as the season advances is the starting of Dahlias. We start our boxes by the kitchen fire, keeping very warm as soon as danger from frost is over. Place them in open ground in a warm situation, separate the tubers, do not have more than one in a hill. Have a good strong stake to each plant and begin tieing it when it is young with woolen yarn or strips of cloth. If your Dahlia has more than one shoot, select the strongest one; pinch off all the others, pinch all the side shoots up to two feet from the ground; then allow one or two branches to grow; mulch with fine grass; have a tub, save all the soap suds and put it on them and your flowers will repay you for all the trouble.

The oaken hull of a vessel supposed to date from the time of the old Vikings of the North, was recently discovered while digging a tumulus near Frederickstadt, in Norway. It was rather flat and low in the middle, tapering to a point at each end, with a keel of keel of 44 feet, and a breadth of beam of 13 feet. It is supposed to have been used as a war vessel for coast service, being propelled by oars and sails. An ancient practice in Norway was to place the vessel, with the remains of its captain, and fragments of dress, horse accoutrements, and armor, have been discovered under this. This is deemed quite a prize for the archæological and the entire lot is to be placed in the Antiquarian Museum at Christiania.

Those who are treated hardly fair generally fare hardly.

The subject of cremation naturally includes many grave considerations.

Why is a selfish friend like the letter I? Because though he is the first in pity he is the last in help.

William, who is an under-sized clerk in a drygoods store, objects to being referred to as "that little drygoods Bill."

A Parisian definition of a beautiful woman—The paradise of the eye and the purgatory of the purse.

"What comes after T?" asked a teacher of a little abecedarian. "You don—" Cousin "Liza," was the emphatic answer.