

A FRODIG AND MONSTER.

Nature often gives such enormous twists to her productions which afford hope of being rare and valuable pieces of human clay, that she only provokes by tantalizing us with her hints of what, if she had chosen, she might have done.

Thirteen years ago a boy was born in Paterson, New Jersey, whose head on the day of his birth attracted attention, and which, when he had reached the age of four, had reached the size of the head of a man.

With all the amusements and pleasures he found, he had moments of profound sadness, in which he would speak of his early death in terms and tones that touched his friends and hearers to tears.

His mother tried in vain to reform him, but for daily occupation prevent her from watching over him, and he was making himself a habit of coming home at night intoxicated, or not coming home at all.

The law of PARTNERSHIP.—The following may be of interest to many of our readers, as it is probably not generally known what takes place in the following cases:

A case was decided at Philadelphia lately by which one of a party of four persons, who had spent the evening at a public house, was compelled to pay the whole, his companions having neglected to "pick up" their proportion of the expenses.

When the partnership dissolves, whether it be mid-day or midnight, every partner is responsible for the debts contracted in the partnership. If one man breaks a glass, it is nothing to the landlord.

TITLES OF SLAUGHTERED ANIMALS.—Why is it that when bullocks, calves, sheep and hogs are killed and prepared for sale as food the meat is called beef, mutton and pork instead of by the names of the live animals?

These words show the conjuncture condition of our language. They are in a certain sense monuments of the Norman invasion.

WILLIAM BURROUGHS.—Three cups grain, four cups meal, and half cup Indian meal, half cup corn, and half cup wheat, and a little salt.

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CULTURAL USES OF LIME. The advantages of the use of lime are so many that it is almost impossible to enumerate them.

1. Upon deep alluvial and clay soil it increases the crop of potatoes and renders them less waxy.

2. Lime eradicates the finger and disease in turnips and gives greater soundness to the bulbs.

3. It acts powerfully upon some of the inorganic parts of the soil, especially on the sulphate of iron.

4. It destroys or neutralizes the acids in the soil, hence its adaptability to our soil.

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AGRICULTURAL WISDOM. Corn alone is not good feed for any breeding animals.

Feed the poorest fodder first and follow with a better quality. Three pecks of boiled potatoes fed warm each day, is a remedy for diarrhoea in cattle.

Agricultural crops are like children; they need nursing and careful looking after every day.

Mowing the grass of every year impoverishes the soil, while grazing of the sheep will enrich it.

Plant cabbages. If they bring a good price sell them; if not, feed them to sheep or swine.

Stagnant and impure water which cows drink while at pasture is one of the most prolific causes of bad colic in milk.

The small farmer is the mainstay of the country's agriculture, since he continually works upon the quality of his soil.

Many trees become hollow, or fall in premature decay, from the water penetrating through old saw rents made in pruning.

When saturated with kerosene and applied to cucumber and squash plants in the hill will be a great help in keeping off striped bugs.

CURE FOR COLDS.—We published some time ago in this magazine a paragraph upon bronchitis.

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A MILKY OCEAN. The phenomenon of a milky ocean has been known to occur in various parts of the world.

The milky look was first noticed in the motion of the ship and was characterized by a peculiar shimmering appearance.

Some 400 of these corpuscles were held in a clear night and were seen to be held in a clear night.

THE PROPRIETORS OF WHICH MAKE IT THEIR CONSTANT AIM TO KEEP A STOCK AND SELL AT PRICES WHICH FEW CAN EQUAL AND NONE CAN EXCEL.

THE AUTHOR then prescribed this simple remedy to several of his patients, all of whom were benefited in the same way.

CAUTION! The undersigned and his associates are not responsible for any loss or damage to property.

AN AFFECTIONATE COULD read in your paper lately an account of a man who had been abandoned by his wife.

A SINGULAR INCIDENT. The rival candidates generally elected, through the newspapers, the candidates for the office of Mayor.

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