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Asia. Ne other tree ever measured a tithe of five acres in the ground inclosed by the circumference of its branches, HAY BROTHERS, nor affords shelter from the sun at one time to a thousand men. Under its vast shadows one may stroll leisurely for hours along avenues and footpaths Manufacturers, bordered by flowering shrubs and cooled by gurgling streamlets. There is a ban-

ter of a mile. Under the shade of a still larger tree on the banks of the Merbudda, in India, which measured a circuit of 2200 feet. whose large trunks number 354, whose small ones exceed 3000, and whose foliage makes a home for thousands of birds and monkeys, the chief of Putnah used to encamp there in magnificent style. Here he would entertain his guests on his tiger-hunting expeditions. Separate tents were gorgeously fitted up as Sheet Iron Wares bed chambers, and each guest having one had three servants at his command Saloons, drawing rooms, dining rooms, HEATING, PARLOR and COOKING

The majestic and mighty banyan fig

tree lords it over the vegetable world of

yan in Ceylon which measures 1500 feet

around the branches-more than a quar-

smoking rooms, kitchens-all were perfectly appointed. Including all the animals and servants, there were seven thousand individuals in the retinue, yet the great banyan easily sheltered them Here, when the glow and flush of the fierce sun has given way to the cool dews of evening, the guests of the Oriental Prince sipped there sherbet or chamthe dancing girls, while the monkeys chattered and the night birds sang in the leafage above, and the pale moonshine glinted through the openings in the vast roof.

When the banyan first springs up its method of growth is normal, and during the first century of its life, indeed, i shows no disposition to do anything eccentric. But when the great branches of the tree have reached such a height that it can no longer support their weight horizontally, the end begins to bend downward, and they lower from the tips one or more roots, which entering the ground send forth rootlets, and themselves become fresh stems. So the horbreaking by their own weight, are as acres of ground. Lateral branches shoot out from the main limbs, while the latter are constantly growing until they reach gigantic size. These lateral shoot out branchlets, until it comes to pass that instead of one tree, there is a marvelous celonade of stems supporting as many natural rafters, on which repose dense masses of foilage. Such is the gigantic fig tree of India, truly one

GREAT SALT LAKE.

of the wonders of the world.

The lake from which this town, says a correspondent, takes its name, is the 'City of the Great Salt Lake"-is a very curious and interesting body of water. It is about one hundred miles long from north to south, some twentyfive to thirty-five broad, from east to Its greatest depth is sixty feet, but it is generally very shallow, being in many places not more than two or three feet lesp. At one time it must have been vastly larger than it is now, spreading, an inland sea, for hundreds of miles The water is transparently clear, but so selt-it contains twenty-two per cent, of chloride of sodium-as to form one of

the concentrated brines. It was long thought that it contained no living thing, but recently a kind of shrimp and several species of insects have been found in it. Large flocks of gulls, geese and swans frequent its borders and islands, one of the latter-Antelope island—being eighteen miles long. It is so bueyant that a man may float in at full length, his head and neck, his egs to the knees and arms to the elbow being entirely out of water. In a sitting posture, with arms extended, his show ders will rise above the surface. But swimming is hard as the legs can hardly be kept under water, and the brine is so strong as to nearly strangle him who swallows it, and causes severe pain if it gets into the eyes. Nevertheless, a bath in the lake is refreshing, although fresh wate water is required, although fresh water is required afterward to remove

the salt from the body. The lake was first made known to the white race nearly two hundred years ago, through Baron La Hontan, who had learned of its existence through some Western Indians. It was formerly named Timpanagos; was supposed to be much biggsr than it is and to have an outlet into the Pacific, Fremont was the first man to navigate its waters, and he described it in 1843. The lake reminds one in many respects of the Dead sea, and the resemblance had its influence in deciding the Mormons to settle here, associating the neighborhood with Judea, and prompting them to name the strait connecting Salt and Utah lakes the River Jordan. They have copied various features of ancient Isreal, and claim to believe that they, like the old Jews are under the immediate direction of God.

POTATO PICKINGS,-What did people eat before they had potatoes? This inquiry suggested by the fact that the annual crop of this vegetable in America is estimated at 200,000,000 bushels-one eighth of which are grown in this State. The potato is a modern vegetable, the first mention being that of Pedro Cieca (1586), who says the people of Quito eat a root which they chill popus. This city consumes and exports 25,000 bushels a day, and yet old Rome with thrice our population did not have a potato. You cannot find mention of the article in Gibbon's "Rome," not in Virgil's Georgies which is and agricultural work, Few families would feel comfortable if deprived of potatoes for a week, and yet the world had to do without them for more than 5,000 years. The principal potato district, in addition to Renssalaer Saratoga and Washington counties, is the western part os the State bordering the Central and Erie roads. Potato varieties are constantly changing. Some of our readers may remember the oldfashioned "pink-eye" and the "early Junes," which were succeed by the "Western reds," and then came the "peach blow." This was a high popular variety, but like others was transitory, and then came the "early rose," which also soon proved unreliable There is a dozen new varieties before the public at present, some of which put forth extraordinary claims .- New York

WOULD it not pay any farmer to give some seed wheat from his mow? We mean, select some of the fullest, finest heads, thresh and clean them, and put away for seeding a patch from which the ply ask the question, and suggest that it was in some such way that Clawson wheat originated .- Farm Journal.

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&c., &c., while his stock of GROCERIES will compare favorably in extent, qual ity and prices with any grocer's stock in Ebensburg or elsewhere. He has also in store a large assortment of

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In conclusion, it may be said, and said truly, that while the stock of DRY GOODS, DRESS GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CAPS. NOTIONS, &c., &c., kept at the LLOYD STORE may not be the largest pagne, and watched the mo vements of in Ebensburg, it is always choice and choice and fresh, as the proprietor is constantly buying and constantly selling, and consequently accumulates no old goods,

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Comparative Value of White Bread and MRS. LYDIA E. PINKHAM. OF LYNN, MASS. Brown.

The earliest agitator in the matter observed two years ago, while traveling in Sicily, that the laboring classes there lived healthily and worked well upon a vegetable diet, the staple article of which is bread made of well ground wheat meal. Nor are the Sicilians by any means the only people so supported. 'The Aindoos of the northwestern province can walk fifty or sixty miles a day with no other food than "chappatties, made of the whole meal, with a little 'ghee," or Galam outter," Turkish and Arab porters, capable of carrying burdens of from four hundred to six hnndred pounds, live on bread only, with the occasional addition of fruit and vegetables. The Spartans and Romans of old lived their vigorous lives on bread made of wheaten meal. In northern as well as southern climates we find the same thing. In Russia, Sweden, Scotland and elsewhere the poor live chiefly on bread, always made from some whole meal-wheat, oats or rye-and the peasantry of whatever climate so fed, always compare favorably with our stout English poor, who, in conditions of in-digence precluding them from obtaining sufficient meat food, starve, if not to death, at least into sickness, on the white bread it is our modern English habit to prefer. White bread alone will not support animal life. Bread made of the whole grain will. The experiment has been tried in France by Magendie Dogs were the subjects on trial, and every care was taken to equalize all the other conditions-to proportion the quantity of food given in each case to the weight of the animal experimented upon and soforth. The result was suffi-ciently marked. At the end of forty days the dog fed solely on white bread died. The dogs fed on bread made of the whole grain remained vigorous healthy and well nourished. Whether an originally healthy human being, if fed solely on white bread for forty days, would likewise die at the end of that time, remains, of course, a question The tenacity of life exhibited by Ma gendie's dogs will not evidently bear comparison with that of the scarcely yet forgotten forty days' wonder, Dr. l'anner. Nor is it by any means asserted that any given man or any given man or any given child would certainly remain in vigorous health for an indef nite length of time if fed solely on wheat meal bread. Not a single piece of evidence has been produced, however, to show that he would not; and in the only case in which the whole meal bread has been tried with any persistency, or on any considerable scale among us-to wit, jails-facts go to show such bread to be an excellent and wholesome substitute for more costly forms of nutritive food, -Nineteenth Century.

SOME HINTS ABOUT ROAD-MAKING, -The public roads of a country, says the Valley Spirit, show the spirit and enterprise of the people in the county to a certain extent, and all will admit that good public roads add to the value of the land as much, if not more, than anything else of equal cost. A bad road means a small load with great wear and tear to a wagon and team, and bad roads swers its own interrogatory very sensibly by remarking : First, they are badly drained, and not enough work done on them; there is but little thought given BOTTOM PRICES! to making roads, and the work is often done late in the fall; third, men scrape and plow more than there is need of and make a narrow, poor road when they get through. It is cheaper to make a good wide road when the land will permit, than a narrow one from the fact that in making a wide one you simply bring the dirt from the ditches upon the road bed, which should never be plowed or disturbed. A public road should be 35 feet from the outside of ditches, highest in the centre, and curving gradually to the outsid of ditches. The road bed (that is the part between the ditches) should be twenty-five feet wide and one foot deep on the outside, and deeper, it necessary, with sufficient drain to draw off the water, otherwise there will be a bad muddy road. Now, with such a road the bed is solid, and the soil scraped on top will soon pack and become There is no danger in being tip ped over, and travel is not obliged t llow in a single rut, as it must in a narrow road. Dry roads mean good litches. To fill up mud holes without draining, is simply putting on more dirt

to make more mud. IMPORTANT TO HOUSEWIVES .-- A cerrespondent of the Country Gentleman says: "I send you a recipe for a washing preparation which I have used in my family for some time, and find very valuable, as it saves time and labor and dies not injure the clothes in any way. but keeps them of a clean and beautiful color. To make fifteen pounds of the soap, take seven pounds of firm, tough soap (home made hard soap will answer) cut into thin slices, two pounds of salsoda and one pound of unslacked lime, Put the lime and soda into a dish, pour over it two gallons of boiling soft water, stir it well and let it settle, Pour off the clean water into a dish containing the soap; put it on the fire and let it remain there until the soap is dissolved. Dissolve one ounce of alum and two ounces of borax, and put it into the soap as it is taken from the fire. Let the scap cool a little and then add one ounce of benzine, When the soap is perfectly cool it can be cut into bars. Soak the clother over night. Cut one pound of this soap into seven gallons of water, put the clothes in and boil without rubbing. Wash them enough after boiling to get the soap out, and rinse thoroughly. Use the same water for second boil.

NAMES OF STEEL .- A brief account of some of the most common names, in use at present, will be of service. Blister steel is made by causing the carbon of charcoal to penetrate iron in a heated state. German steel is blister steel rolled down into bars. Sheet steel is made by hammering blister steel. Double shear steel is made by cutting ap'blister steel and putting it together and hammering again. Crucible steel is made melting in a hot vessel blister steel and wrought iron, or unwrought iron, and charcoal and scrap. Bessemer steel is made by blowing air through east iron, burning out the silicon and car-Open hearth steel is made by melting pig iron, and mixing wrought iron, or scrap steel, or iron ore to reduce the silicon and carbon. - Exchange.

IT is asserted that the nutritiousness of apples has never been properly appreciated and that they are far more nourishing than potatoes. Cornish workmen say that they can work better or baked apples than on potatoes. There is a dish in Cornwall called squab pie, mape of mutton with slices of potatoes apple and onion, and, strange as it may seem to many, it is excellent. Cornwall for meat pies, as the miners carry their dinner with them in that

CURE FOR TOOTHACHE, -At a meeting of the London Medical Society Dr. Blake, a distinguished practitioner, said that he was able to cure the most desperate case of toothache, unless the disease was connected with rhenmatism, by the application of the following remedy: Alum, reduced to an impalpable powder, two drachms, nitrous spirits of ether. seven drachms. Mix and apply to the tooth.



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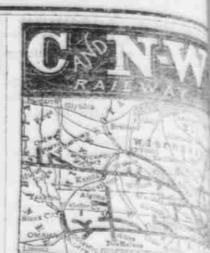
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