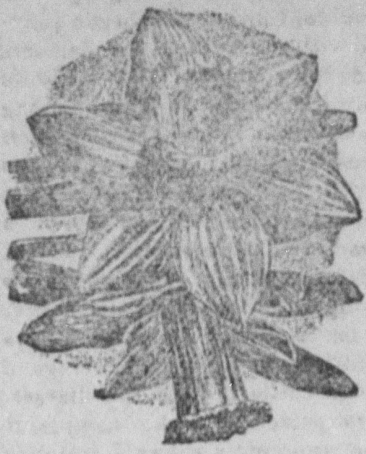


FLOWER GARDEN.

WORK FOR SEPTEMBER.

Now in the pleasant fall weather arrange beds of crocuses and hyacinths...



TRUMPET NARCISUS.

described each year, and they will find that they have an excellent meadow...

GARDEN NARCISUS OR DAFFODILS. There are many varieties of these beautiful and fragrant flowers...

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We are indebted to Messrs. Ellwanger and Barry, of Rochester, N. Y., for our illustrations of these beautiful flowers.

Vermont is 100 years old. The Green Mountain state is the ballet dancer of this glorious republic.

The people of Thessaly, Greece, were the first to break horses for service in war, and their proficiency as equestrians probably first gave rise to the ancient myth that their country was originally inhabited by centaurs...

An electric car in St. Paul, Minn., while passing the end of a bridge in a heavy rain recently, was struck by lightning. The car was set on fire and the machinery rendered useless.

Among the novelties is an inflatable rubber chamber for bathers. It passes around the bust underneath the arms, making it possible for a bather to float in an erect position without fatigue.

A correspondent of the Practical Farmer offers a word of advice in favor of the alsike clover. One of the most profitable honey producing plants...



There's danger in a cough—more than ever when your blood is "bad." It makes things easy for Consumption. But there's a cure for it in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

There's a cure for Catarrh, too, no matter what you've been led to believe. If there isn't, in your case, you'll get \$500 cash.

Funny, when a man starts out on a business career the more checks he receives the sooner he gets there.

An excited English military exchange asks: "How shall we get rid of our smooth bores?" "Why not fire them?"

The fireplace in Robert Louis Stevenson's island home in Samoa is the only one in the land.

All functional diseases are attended with congestion and torpor of one or more of the great organs of digestion.

A number of short railroads have been built in Paraguay, the Government assisting largely in their construction.

The British House of Commons membership was increased to 670 under the operations of the Reform bill of 1885.

A wealthy St. Paul (Minn.) lady provided in her will that \$5 a week should be spent in caring for her favorite dog.

It is reported that flax makes thrifty growth in Colorado, where flaxseed is much used as a valuable acquisition to the feed ration.

The heaviest wool production in the United States in the last decade was in 1884, when the total clip amounted to 308,000,000 pounds.

More lobsters by two to one, are sold this year than last year.

Can's Kidney Cure for Dropsy, Gravel, Diabetes, Bright's, Heart, Urinary or Liver Diseases, Nervousness, etc. Cure guaranteed.

Closest—"I told that good-for-nothing boy to-day that he would have to paddle his own canoe."

HUMOROUS.

Convicts make a grate study of life. Talking of hardships, there are stone-boats. Tends to please—An obliging salesman.

Feeblewit wonders if soldiers who are being drilled do not feel bored. The board of health—Three square meals a day.

Merely a species of pitchfork—A tuning fork. The executioner is a man who takes life easily.

The man who is hanged ends the race of life in a tie. It is human to err, and it is human for your wife constantly to remind you of it, too.

The sea has a net population of several thousand millions. A grocery clerk puts down an order and then he puts it up.

It is because the turtle is slow that he is so often in the soup. Never ask a woman her age, unless you desire to witness her rage.

Adam was proudly conscious that he never made a mistake in his boyhood. The work of a tramp is very scarce, and the demand for it is very great.

The detective who is going around all hours reminds one of a hunting case watch. Women look into the back of a book first, because they always want to have the last word.

How much more detestable a fault appears when we can trace it to some one whose station in life we envy! When you begin to argue with a man and he talks loud, walk off and leave him. You can't convert him.

"Tramp—"Can you put me on to something?" Farmer (whistling)—"No, but I can put something on to you."

Art Professor—"What is a medium tint or color usually called?" Pupil (timidly)—"Medi-ochre, isn't it?" Riches have wings. What they need, according to the average man's idea, is a tail that will steer them his way.

"I am going to Venice," said the banker. "What for?" asked the cynical friend. "To see how they keep backs afloat." She—"So you loved and lost, did you?" He—"No, she returned all my presents."

A Life Saved

Mr. Geo. Raymond, of Seneca Falls, N. Y., is a pump setter in the employ of Ramsay & Co. He is a member of Ramsay Engine Co. He says: "My wife without doubt owes her life to Hood's Sarsaparilla. A few years ago she was at death's door, due to blood poisoning, or as physicians say, pyaemia. After everything else failed Hood's Sarsaparilla brought her out of the crisis all right. Since then she has suffered at times with numbness and headache, but continuing Hood's Sarsaparilla and is gradually getting over these troubles. She clings to Hood's, take nothing else, and we believe it will effect a complete cure."

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Even a girl who realizes how thoroughly wicked it would be for her to flirt, cannot help feeling a little flattered by admiring glances from that horrid young man across the way.



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