EOT LEEDLE FABY.

Whist! Gretchen's got a paby!
Id vas a leedle poy.
Shoost look out in dot gradle—
Yaw! How ish dot mit hoigh?

Dot poy was mine und Gretchen's!
See dot! Aind him shoot pose!
O, don't you eary now, paby—
You make 'em tinks you gross.

Sh-sh, sh-sh—Oh shtop dot!
Look out und see der mans
Vhat room to see der paby.
Dot's—— Oh! vhat leedle hands!

Dot's mine und Gretchen's paby—
Fy Krashus! Dond you see?
Dot nose vas shoost like Gretchen's,
Der rest vas shoost like me!

See dot now—Id vas laffin,
Und gickin' up its toes.
Gomm here you leedle rascal
Und shtrike your fadder's nose.

Vell, maype I vas foolish
To take me on so bad,
But dot vas Gretchen's paby—
Der first one vhat she had!

LETTER FROM PIT KNOKWORSHIP.

WULGROUTVILLE, Merts 19.

MR. DRUKER.—De woch hob ich net fel zu shriwa, in fact wider gor niks os we dos ich g'sund bin un huf dos doo un di subicribers ol'same sin. Ich bin ork bisy om geld kollecta un soch uf sthratena fun miner fendu har, un won ich fertich wara kon we ich man os ich wut un we aw sut will ich d'r bis 's naichst mol 'n bref shreiwa fun d'r Herlichkeit. Mr. Druker un e'r las'r fum ADVOCATE mist m'ch don excusa for d's mol un mi besht respects nema we se kuma fun iram f:ind

PIT KNOKWORSHD.

De Les's'ta Fendu in d'r Season

We ich for ethicha wochn zurik im ADVOCATE g'sana hob hut der Squire Pit Knokworshd aw fendu gemocht, un sell hut mich aw uf de noschen gebrocht ouszuferkawfa; un wile der ADVOCATE iwerall g'lasa wert, will ich howa dos du's publisha doosht grawd we's do g'shriwa is.

J. John Seesomloch's Fendu.

Wile ich mi mind uf g'mecht hob ous der United States zu gah un noch d'r Sthate Indiana zu moofa bin ich zu d'r konklusion kumma mi gous'r bourastog uf effentlicher fendu zu ferkawfa on meim hous in d'r bis kotza valley, dri mile fum ledera ck pusht, un zwa mile fun sellem hiwel woo ols d'r olt krumb hnich batchl r un de wit fraw sparka duna, Kumpt sphote om Fridog, Mertz 45, am 14 uhr nochmitogs. Mi stock besthat ous folgendem property, un wert so gwis ferkawft ols em ferkawfsdog d'r mont unersich schina werd. Now kumpt olla. 2 schimert gile woo oliwer schwarts sin, 1 groser gaul, 15 bis 120 hond hoch, 2 yunga filler 20 yahr olt, gut gebroche zum brotwersht fressa,6 frisha melkicha keh. woo shun 40 yahr long drooka stha, 2 Rin'r, 8 dafun mit genata hinerfert'l un de iwericha 6 sin gut for nixs, 4 kelver woo bal ke grenge, 1 dr stock'r bull, una ous frame in d'r mid ous stha un das owera stuckwerk ous isa, 716 frish melkicha breet berg, de bald holwer grega, 1 dri-bauicher Ewer, 20 shof woo de swhins ferma un de ke o hina hun, 1 drokender shofbuck g'mocht ous eisa, 1 lot hinkel woo ich mi lebdog net g'sana hob, 1 Hirshlederna welshhona mit dop eta fees, 1 hulsshlita mit rader,6 pawr frucht sok ous eisa g'mocht, 1 harlicher stok frishes sower-krout woo mi gros-fowter i g'mocht hut. En hausa misht un stroh beim stuk, grumbara bi d'r yard, hoi beim bushel, 100 pund horta safe bi d'r quart, shmeersafe beim stig, brotwershd beim bushel, frisha shnits ous huls g'mocht, 1 mes'r una klinka on dem der stheel failt, un 'n gons'r doodle sock fol on'rascha zu unobadiic'i zu melden. Wile on dem dog ken on'ra fendu geholten werd hob ich ol de kroyrs fum county. Wer bi d'r fendu beete dut werd g'punished un wer net beet dut der mus de party dreeta.

J. JOHN SEESOMLOCH.

FARMERS' COLUMN.

March Work.

FRUIT GARDEN.

Prune all grapevines yet unpruned, remembering that the best fruit is always borne on the most vigorous wood of last season's growth; at the same time see that all long canes are properly supported. Remove all old fruiting canes if not already done, and cut back laterals upon new growth to six or eight inches. Leave only a few strong canes in each hill for fruiting.

KITCHEN GARDEN.

Very little can be done here but to prepare for the work to come. Seed of cabbage and lettuce may now be sown in hot-bed and cold-frame, or in boxes in the house. If in the house, the boxes should be kept in a cool room with good exposure to the sun. One who has never used frames for forwarding early vegetable plants would really be astonished to see how much may be done with a few well-cared-for frames. Plans should now be matured for work—how much is to be planted of each kind, the time for doing it so as to meet the wants of the market—and the necessary seed and manure provided. Good gardening will be a failure without a liberal pile of manure.

FLOWER GARDEN.

Shrubs of all kinds should be examined, and all dead wood removed, and the strong shoots shortened to cause a more branching growth. Sow seeds of pansy, verbena, petunia, sweet alyssum, centaurea (for dusty miller), golden feather, daisy, this month, in boxes or frames, as they do better if planted the last of April or early in May. Pansy seed is a little delicate to manage, requiring a cool, airy place a little shielded from the full sun. Cover all seeds a little more than their thickness, and press the soil closely around them. Keep the soil as nearly as possible in the condition of the garden during the month of May. Never let it become dry until the seeds are up, but make holes in the bottom of the boxes, so that the water may pass off readily. Should the seedlings begin to decay or "damp off" place in the full sunlight, and give plenty of air. House plants are now enjoying the owner for the care received. Those that have had good care are thriving, and giving an abundance of bloom, while the neglected ones are weak and puny, and giving no blossoms. The two most important things in the care of house plants are careful watering and a proper temperature for the different kinds of plants. With a little care many plants may be propagated for bedding purposes. The best way to do this is to take a deep earthen baking-plate or saucer, and fill nearly full with sand, which must be saturated with water so that a little will stand on the surface. Put in cuttings of the plants to be increased, and place upon a shelf in the window in the full sun. The only care needed is to keep the sand thoroughly saturated with water. Cuttings need not be over one inch in length, while pieces one-half inch in length will make good plants. With a little experience in propagating in this way, and the growing of seedlings, one may supply all the plants needed for a respectable flower garden with little expense. —"*M.*" *in Scientific Farmer.*

ORCHARD.

The work of pruning must be pushed so that it may be completed before growth commences. In renovating old orchards, beside cutting away dead branches, it is always best to cut back from the ends rather than from the middle of the tree as is generally done, leaving long bare branches exposed to the hot, burning sun. The form of the tree may be very much modified in this pruning by cutting so as to leave more branches in the centre. All wounds should be covered with oil paint, of the same color as the bark of the tree. Pruning alone will not improve an orchard very much if the soil has become exhausted, but a liberal supply of compost must be applied, if liberal returns are expected. During the warm days of this month will be a good time to apply soap-suds, potash-water, lye, or a mixture of strong wood-ashes and water, to kill the moss and the insects which have found shelter under the bark. The scale insects generally found upon weak-growing trees may be destroyed by brushing over lightly with linseed oil. Cut back the last season's growth of the peach trees; two objects are thus attained—the removal of a portion of the fruit buds, and at the same time keeping the tree in good form. The eggs of caterpillars are best destroyed, especially upon young trees, while the foliage is off, by raising under the tree and looking upward, when the clusters of eggs may be distinctly seen.

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