

MISCELLANEOUS.

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—Beynon Haden, the English actor, recently arrived in this country, says that just before he left England he asked Sir George Dainton if he had ever been in America, and, on his saying he had, asked him to tell all about it. He said he could tell nothing about it; he had no impression about it. What did he think of New York? He didn't think anything about it. Had he been to Niagara? Yes. What did he think of it? He didn't think of it at all. When was he in America? Sixty-four years and three months ago, and he is now sixty-five.

—Fitzmole is a Nimrod who goes out very often, and brings in a rabbit or two. Fitzmole is an enormous eater, and no body else gets much of the rabbit. "I wonder why nobody gets any of the rabbit except me," says Fitzmole, taking a grain of salt out of his mouth. "Because nobody else gets any of the rabbit, I suppose," replied his wife, with a laughing air.

—A debtor, who was sued by his creditor, acknowledged that he had borrowed the money, but declared that the plaintiff knew that it was a Kathleen Mavourneen loan.

—Farmers and others desiring a general, lucrative agency business, by which \$2 to \$20 a day can be earned, send address to one, no postal, to H. C. WILKINSON & Co., 193 and 195 Fulton street, New York.

—Ignatius Donnelly, in a recent work, devotes a whole chapter to explaining the "Nature of a Myth." The thing can be done up in four lines. A myth is a dry old well run in the interest of six men who use it to work the market and enrich them selves at the expense of six or seven thousand "lambos."

—On Thirty Days Trial. The Electric Belt Co., Marshall, Mich., will send Dr. Dev's Celebrated Electro-Vibrating and Electric Appliances on trial for thirty days to men (young or old) who are afflicted with nervous debility, lost vitality and "neuritic troubles," guaranteeing speedy and complete restoration of health and manly vigor. No fee—No risk is incurred, as thirty days' trial is allowed. July 15.

—A California boy stood an umbrella in a hole in the doorway during a religious meeting, the umbrella was attached to a strong cord, the end of which the boy held in his hand. Eleven different people are said to have carried the umbrella the length of the string.

—All the money that Gambetta left behind him has been found in his newspaper business. All the money he has left is also in the newspaper business. In fact our money has been in it so long there isn't any of it left.

—The most obstinate cases of Catarrh and Hay Fever are cured by the use of Ely's Cream Balm the only agreeable remedy. Price 50 cts.

Apply into nostrils with little finger. From Major Downs, Military Instructor, Ft. Pleasant, Colorado, Aug. 2, 1881. "I was suffering from the very old trouble, Ely's Cream Balm was suggested. Within an hour from the first application I felt relieved, the pain began to subside. In two days was entirely cured. W. A. Downs, Feb. 13, 1881."

My son, aged nine years, was afflicted with Catarrh, the use of Ely's Cream Balm effected a complete cure. W. E. Halbach, Druggist, Easton, Pa.

—One of the saddest moments in life is when a man is looking through an old vest and thinks he has found a ten cent piece, which, when brought to light, turns out to be a cough lozenge.

—Half the fools in the world think they can prescribe for the sick better than the doctor; two thirds think they can preach better than the ministers; and all of them know they can edit the papers better than the editors.

—In presenting to the public a mode of treatment for the cure of any of these terrible diseases that killed mankind, it is but just and proper that the principles upon which it is founded should be set forth in as clear a light as possible. This time for mercy in such matters is past, and any plan of treatment or remedy that will not bear the closest scrutiny of scientific investigation must be regarded with suspicion. It is rarely in the history of medicine that all the indications of disease have been met by a single remedy or combination of remedies. But after a continued and accurate observation of all the phenomena attending the course of an almost countless number of cases of Rupture, and extending over a long term of years, a preparation has been gradually perfected, which, in a most surprising and satisfactory manner meets the exact requirements for the permanent Relief and Cure of Rupture, even in its most obstinate forms. For the benefit of those of our readers who have not had the opportunity of testing the merits of Ely's Ointment, we send them a copy of our Free Book on Rupture.

—Poor Psyche! A New York millionaire, in showing his new house to a friend, said "Here is a niche for a Pish."

—Woman is a miracle of divine contradiction.—Michelet.

—Eli Perkins and S. J. Tourist. Tourist met the other day. It was the first time that Eli met truth ever since so near to each other.

—Don't wear dingy or faded things when the two new Diamond Dye will make them as good as new. They are perfect.

—Somebody was telling Jopell that a brewer had been drowned in his own vat. "Ah," was Jopell's remark, "drowning on his own water."

—Does he know anything? anxiously inquired a friend beating over the body of a man who had just fallen from the roof of a house. "Don't know, I'm sure," the physician replied, "the never did know anything, but you can't tell what will be the result." —Jopell.

—"I have found Brown's Iron Bitters to be a great appetizer and health restorer in dieting."

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FARMERS' COLUMN. Sunlight in Stables. D. D. Slafer, M. D., writes in the Agriculturalist for February.

All barns, stables, sheds and other buildings, intended for the shelter of domestic animals, should be so arranged as to command all the sunlight possible. For this purpose, invariably place the stalls on the eastern and southern sides of the building. The windows should be large and sufficiently numerous. There is no fear of too much sunlight, either in the house or barn. We have no right to deprive our animals, any more than our children, of that which has been diffused so liberally. There is no objection to placing animals in the basement or cellar of a building, if due care is taken to provide against dampness and darkness. In fact, if the stable is properly constructed, the ground floor should be the warmest in winter, and the coolest in summer. Every animal seeks the sun, and will comfort itself by basking in its rays. Let them pour freely into barns and cellars, and build yards so that while sheltered from the cold winds, they may be open to the winter's sun, from the rising until the going down of the same. Some object to the direct sunlight falling upon the head and face of the horse as injurious to the sight. It is much more to be feared that the animal will shy and start upon the road, if he is kept in darkness and then suddenly exposed to a bright light. The use of blinds, or curtains during the hot months, may, under certain circumstances, be advisable. Darkness is sometimes conducive to repose, and indirectly, this repose to the process of fattening, but with darkness, both filth and neglect are too apt to be found. The barn, cellar, or basement, is not only a convenience, but often a necessity. If this is commodious, with ample means of light and ventilation, easy of access for the removal of manure, then the farmer has all that can be desired in this way. In most stables the provisions for proper ventilation are deficient, and consequently ammonia vapors from the fermenting manure heap, penetrate the apartments above, which are too often ill ventilated, and exert an injurious effect upon the animals there confined, and do much damage to harness and carriages. When the basement, or cellar of a barn is needed for other purposes, as for the storage of vegetables, or where it is not practical to have a cellar, a pit may be dug at the side of the building, over which a shed may be erected. Thus, in my own stable, a pit, or outside cellar, receives the horse droppings through a sliding door, on a level with the floor of the stable, while over the pit is the cow stable, the dung from which is thrown through an opening protected by a sliding door. The pit may also receive for a pig pen, if covered and protected at all the same time open to the sunlight and air, elements essential to the well-being of swine, as of other animals.

Be Ready Early. A season of activity is near at hand. Spring is coming, with its pressing work. Are farmers ready for sowing and planting? Every implement should be provided beforehand, that so time may be wasted in making purchases or repairs after the work had begun. We have known a half-day of plowing to be lost because the whiffletrees were not at hand. Some farmers start out with their spring plowing without a single plow point in stock, and when one is needed, the team is taken from the field and driven to the store. Such a loss of time is a serious matter, and should be thoughtfully guarded against by ample provision of all such articles of the farm. It is a poor time to send a harrow when it should be at work in the field.

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CONONDRUMS. What did Jack Frost say when he kissed the violet? Wilt thou? And it wilted. Why does a man permit himself to be henpecked? Because he is chicken hearted. If I were to see you riding a donkey what fruit would I be reminded of? The pair.

Why was Ruth very rude to Boaz? Because she pulled his ears and trod on his corn.

If a Colt's pistol has six barrels, how many ought a horse pistol to have? We give it up.

What is that a cat has, but no other animal? Kittens.

How long did Cain hate his brother? As long as he was Able.

Why is a steel trap like the small-pox? Because its catching.

What is that we often return yet never borrow? Thanks.

How do you spell blind pig in two letters? PG—without the I.

What is that which put on the table and cut, but never eaten? A pack of cards.

Why are hogs more intelligent than human beings? Because they nose (knows) everything.

Why is a man hung better than a vagabond? Because he has visible means of support.

Why is a pair of skates like an apple? Because they have both occasioned the fall of man.

Why is an umbrella like a pancake? Because it is seldom seen after lent.

Why is a shoemaker like a true lover? Because he is faithful to the last.

Why is a dog's tail a great curiosity? Because no one ever saw one before.

When a boy falls into the water what is the first thing he does? He gets wet.

When will water stop running down hill? When it gets to the bottom.