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-In the past fifty-four years Great Britain has tripled her wealth, France nearly jundrupled hers, while the United States, ince 1850, has multiplied in riches six-

-Norfolk, Va., claims the distinction of being the world's greatest peanut market. It disposes every year of 2,000,000 bushels of peanuts, most of which are grown in Virginia.

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—A suit for the possession of a red Irish setter is on trial in Atlanta. Last sprine dispute arose as to the proprietonship of he dog, and the animal was arrested and sent to the Fulton county jail, where it has been eyer since, awaiting trial. The dog occupied a prominent place in court, and was tied to a rope held by the bailiff.

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-Morphia was discovered in opium by Sertuerner in 1803. -There are \$1,000,000,000 worth of dianonds in the world.

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-A certain Philadelphia family seems to be of very fragile material. There are ten persons in it, and they have experienced 32 fractures of bones during the past few

-Two Protestant citizens of Madrid were lately condemned to six months' imprisonment for refusing to kneel before the Viaticum. The liberal newspapers are indignant at this display of intolerance.

-Mrs. Eliza Wilcox is the only person born in the White House. She was the only daughter of President Jackson's adopted son, and was born in the presidential mansion during the administration of "Old Hickory."

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-There are forty-three log school houses in Iowa. This is the number given in the report of the State Superintendent for 1887. -Alexander III of Russia is going to spend \$650,000 on a monument to his father in the grand court of the Kremlin at Mos-

-One hundred and twenty buil fights were given in the City of Mexico during the past year. Seventeen bull fighters were wounded, and one professional and two amateur fighters killed.

-A year ago Miss Clara Moore, of Uincinatti, went to visit friends in Los Angeles, Cal. She had a few hundred dollars with her, which she invested in Southern California lands, and in the boom that tollowed she sold out her property at a net gain of \$125,000.

-There is a man in the Kansas penitentiary who, beginning with a term at Sing Sing years ago, has served his time in regular succession in the penitentiaries of New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois and Kansas.

-There were lynched during the year 1887 in the United States no fewer than 123 persons. Of the various States and Territories, Texas heads the list with fifteen lynchings, and Mississippi is entitled to second place with fourteen to her credit. All the victims were males, eighty of them

being negroes. -Queen Victoria dislikes the electric light, and refuses to have it in her palaces. She has at length permitted one of the royal yachts to be fitted with electric lamps, except her sleeping cabin and saloon. It is said soft oil lamps best suit the com-plexions of alderly ladies. -Road the ADVOGATE

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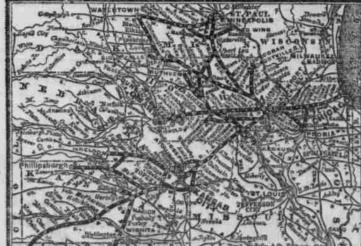
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of geraniums and such things. The Products Petained on the Farm-The value of a crop does not depend en irely on the market price, but partly upor he uses to which the crop is applied. A corn crop if sent to market, may bring buittle more than the cost of its production out it is equivalent to a certain amount of raw material, which can be converted into some other product more in demand, such as beef, mutton, milk, pork or poultry Nor can the real value of the crop be esti mated by the amount received for the neats sold, as a large portion of the crop i eft over and retained in the shape of nanure. Careful experiments have been made in order to determine the amount of potash, nitrogen and phosphoric acid lefin the manure after the food has passebrough the bodies of animals, but no cer ain resu is can be obtained owing to differences in the digestive capacity of animais, though in trials of two week suration, where green fodder and grain daye been fed, it was found that 62 pe cent, of all the nitrogen, 89 per cent, of at the phosphoric aci t and 63 per cent. of all he potash remained in the manure. This pows that the food is only partially di gested and assimilated, and that the valve of the crop must be considered not only in regard to its market price price and its product but also to its future use in providing a second crop. Where concentrated oods, such as linseed and cottonsee neals, are used the value of the manure till greater, and if the prices obtained for neat and milk be no greater than the cost of food and labor the manure alone will give a large profit, as from 25 to 40 per cent, of the food used is retained on the isrm in the manure, and the larger the oportion of nitrogen in the food (as with inseed meal) the greater the value of the nanure in proportion to its weight. If the total value of a ton of linseed meal be estinated at \$00, the feeding value may be tated at \$32, and the manure yause at \$25

but corn-meal gives a feeding value of \$25 at of a total of \$30, leaving \$7 to be returned in the manure. If the manure be not retained on the farm, but sold at its real value, it would, therefore, be as much reason that his removal adds to its cost Many cattle foods are really cheaper than beir manurial value, and may be applied irectly to the land; but this depends upon be quality of the soil and its deficiency in any particular element. The value of the nanure to the land depends upon its preponderance of some special · lement. Potash manures are valuable on nitrogenous soils. out possess little value on soils abounding in potash, and all these matters are to be

onsidered in the final estimates.

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