

A SUMMER MORNING.

The storm is over; calm as an angel's breast is the atmosphere; white foam on high, snow-capped clouds set the sky ablaze.

A Narrow Escape.

Frederick Gerstaecker describes the following adventure on the Mississippi: I was in New Orleans, and wanted to go to Cincinnati, but had no money;

Country Churchyards.

An English journal of recent date complains of the unimproved state of the country churchyards in the plots, set apart in villages and towns for the interment of the dead.

We do not of course refer to those magnificent cities of the dead which adorn our great towns, and which have been so sprightly lavished; but to the simple acre or two of land, which either surrounds the rural church or else is fenced off, solitary and alone, on the outskirts of the populated quarter.

It is a beautiful idea, taught us by science that, our bodies after being buried in the ground are consumed and reappear in the shape of the fragrant flowers that bloom over our resting places.

Niggardliness of space within the limits of a city may be a matter of necessity, but in the suburbs, the prescriptive limits as to the number of monuments and the planting of a few ornamental trees an impossibility is without reason.

In laying out a piece of ground for a burial lot, paths should be at first formed, and then the avenues or some trees should follow. Among the latter the weeping varieties, from the habit of growth they display, consort best with the character of the place.

The carpenter lay unconscious the whole day, talking incoherently to himself, and occasionally crying for help in a hoarse, broken voice.

To Bathers. The Humane Society of London has issued the following advice to bathers: Avoid bathing in hot water.

"James," said a gentleman to his servant, "I have always placed the utmost confidence in you; now tell me, James, how is it that my butcher's bills are so large, and I almost invariably have such bad dinners?"

AGRICULTURAL.

Robinson Crusoe's Island To-Day. All who have read the story of Robinson Crusoe, will be glad to learn how that island looks to-day.

First: That early fall seeding, without grain, should be adopted in preference to seeding in spring.

Second: That, as a general rule, it is poor economy to take any grain crop after winter, or immediately preceding the seeding down to grass.

Third: That wherever from any local reason it becomes desirable to take a crop of spring grain, it is more economical to sow the grain alone in the spring, and to plow up the stubble and sow the grass seed alone in the early fall.

Fourth: That in cases where it seems desirable to sow grass seed in spring, it is better to sow it alone and let it take its chance, without compelling it to struggle for existence under the disadvantage of a grain or other crop.

Fifth: That in seeding down in August or early in September we are following nature as to time, and that, unless the ground is already rich and in high condition, it is necessary to give the seed the benefit of an application of manure on or near the surface to which the seed is applied.

Sixth: That in the selection of seed for mowing lots and hay, we should select varieties to mix that blossom at or nearly at the same time, and not mix very early and very late varieties together.

THE INCREASING DEMAND FOR HEAVY DRAFT HORSES in this country has induced considerable importations of Percheron stallions and a few mares from France.

Wet and Dry Bathing. If any one in these days will exercise in the open air so that each day he will perspire moderately, and if he will wear thin undergarments, or none at all, and sleep in a cold room, the functions of the skin will suffer little or no impediment.

AMERICAN STEAM PLOWS.—There is a good deal of interest manifested in regard to steam plows and plowing in this country—not as much as there should be, we are satisfied.

THE "HEATHEN CHINESE."—The San Francisco Bulletin says: "A manufacturer of bird cages and other wares in the city, a short time since, thought to enlarge his revenue by substituting Chinese cheap labor for the white workmen he had in his employ."

BEANS A REMEDY FOR GARGET.—We had two valuable cows, which for a couple of years had been much troubled with garget in the bag, and last spring it set in again, bidding fair to destroy them.

SHORT PLEASURE OFTEN BRINGS LONG REPENTANCE. Information about any Railroad Bonds can be obtained if you will write to CHARLES W. HASSLER, No. 7 Wall Street, New York.

Table with columns for various commodities and their prices. Includes items like Butter, Cheese, Cotton, Eggs, Flour, Grain, Hops, Lard, Oil, Sugar, Tea, Tobacco, etc.

SURPLUS STOCK.—The National Live-Stock Journal speaks of the advantages of "sale days" in stimulating improvement in the character of the farm animals and to promote a market for surplus stock.

CONTINUED.—A captain of a whaler, in alluding to the severe climate and various privations suffered by the inhabitants of Spitzbergen, told one of them that he sincerely pitied the miserable life to which he was condemned.

THE PUREST AND SWEETEST GOD LIVER OIL. The world's largest and finest supply of pure cod-liver oil is now being prepared by the process of the late Dr. Caswell, made on the sea-shore, from fresh, selected livers, by CASWELL, HAZARD & CO., New York.

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TRUTH AND POETRY.—Milton puts into the mouth of Lucifer, in "Paradise Lost," these memorable words: "TO BE WEAK IS MISERABLE."

NEVER WAS A TRUER SENTENCE than this—supposed to be written from the Arch-fiend in his impotence and agony. Every victim of nervous debility, or of that depressing languor which is one of the accompaniments of dyspepsia and indigestion, is a victim of the motive power of the system is partially paralyzed; the mind is haunted by anxiety and fear, and the sufferer is at a desperate point.

A gentleman in the eastern part of the State, who was about having his leg amputated on account of its being bent at right angles, and which was attended with a dangerous Anodyne Liniment. After using it a short time his leg became straight, and is now as serviceable as the other.

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Advertisement for The Rising Sun Stove Polish, featuring an illustration of a sun and text describing its benefits for cleaning and polishing.

Advertisement for Iron in the Blood, featuring a circular logo with the text 'PERUVIAN SYRUP' and 'IRON IN THE BLOOD'.

Advertisement for The Peruvian Syrup, describing it as a 'Protected Solution of the Protoxide of Iron' and listing its various medicinal uses.

Advertisement for Dr. O. W. Holmes' Asthma Remedy, highlighting its effectiveness and the endorsement of distinguished men.

Advertisement for J.P. Dinmore's Blees, a 'Laxative, Lumb-tonic, Lock-Stitch' medicine, with a list of ailments it treats.

Advertisement for Sewing Machines, featuring an illustration of a woman sewing and text describing the quality and variety of the machines.

Advertisement for Watches, featuring an illustration of a pocket watch and text describing the precision and durability of the timepieces.

Advertisement for Albert Craps, a 'New Patent' product, with text describing its features and availability.

Advertisement for Tarrant's Seltzer Water, featuring a logo and text describing it as a 'Genuine Seltzer Water'.

Advertisement for Dr. Whittier's 'The Nectar' medicine, featuring an illustration of a bottle and text describing its benefits for various ailments.

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