

FACTS AND COMMENTS.

Useless as the pistol is in most every respect, it occasionally vindicates its right to existence in a very satisfactory and righteous fashion.

The Persian shah is mentioned as having exhibited himself lately in the attitude of a mighty hunter.

Statistics lately laid before the congress of brewers at Versailles show that there are in Europe about 40,000 breweries, producing nearly 2,500,000 gallons of malt liquor.

Poor's Manual gives some interesting railroad statistics. The mileage at the close of 1880, in this country, was 93,671, a gain of 8.2 per cent.

A board of trade return just issued shows that the mortality in British merchant service from all causes was 4,100 last year, an increase over the year before of 408.

A Chinese funeral occurred in New York the other day. With one exception the attendants were all male.

Skid's Kicking Machine. The facts were these: Mr. Skid's neighbor kept a goat, and that goat had often got at Mr. Skid and butted him.

The Carson (Nev.) Appeal tells how Doc. Benton and Hank Monk brought a ten-pound trout down from the lake and vowed that the President should be the only man in America to get a knife into it.

Those grave-yard torpedoes which were invented to blow holes in the direction of kingdom come have as yet failed to return a report.

THE FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

Feeding and Care of Chickens. Many go out early in the morning and give their fowls a hearty meal of corn and grain, leaving them to peck all the fore part of the day at a stuffed anaconda.

The Surrender of Yorktown. At noon of the 19th (October) we have the first act of surrender.

Cultivate During a Drought. Cultivating the soil in a dry season helps to retain the moisture.

COEN Cakes for Two.—Sift a cupful of coenmeal into a bowl or tray, make a hole in it, put in salt, soda and shortening, as for bisuit, break in two eggs, stir with a strong spoon until the eggs are well broken and mixed.

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Feeding and Care of Chickens. Never keep an old hen. After the second year hens, as a rule, diminish in laying power.

It is claimed by some feeders that 100 pounds of cornmeal and 400 pounds of bran mixed will give a greater gain in flesh than 200 pounds of meal fed alone.

The one-year-old grapevines set this spring should be allowed to grow but one shoot. If older vines were set they should not be allowed to bear.

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(Harrisburg (Pa.) Independent.)

For five years, says Mr. J. Echter, this city, I have been afflicted with rheumatism, and for two years have had a sore on my leg the size of a silver dollar, which nothing would heal.

It is worth a trial. I was troubled for many years with Kidney Complaint, Gravel, etc.; my blood became thin, I was dull and inactive; could hardly crawl about, and was an old worn out man all over.

Wanted Land's Views. Mrs. C. F. Fleming, State Lecturer of Missouri, and also an artist of rare merit, whose picture of Adelaide Nelson is prominent by the press to be the most beautiful portrait in the United States.

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HOW TO SECURE HEALTH. It is strange and new to suffer from derangements of the system, when the system is so simple.

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At the commencement of exercise of one of the colleges this week, a young man was asked "What is love?" He thought a minute and then said: "It is a sort of a feeling that you don't want any other fellow going around with her."

Wicked for Clergymen. "I believe it to be all wrong and even wicked for clergymen or other public men to be led into giving testimonials to quack doctors for their so-called medicines, but when a really meritorious article is made up of common valuable remedies known to all, and that all physicians use and trust in daily, we should freely commend it."

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