Old Jim Beatty came to here with the

starving. Just then old Jim came along, it to change from good to bad, walking leebly and looking weary and baggard. One of the boys asked him if he was hungry, and he went off into a io ig and weird story about a discovery

you help me a bit?" The old man appeared to be almost planting by burying them completely gone, and one of the men handed him a with earth in a dry place. Eask of liquor, of which he partook sparmaly. Then another offered some bread, and he devoured it with wolfish avidity. Jun starve in that way," observed a would prevent much suffering and exyoung and stalwart prospector. "Let's

They took him to a cabin near by and made him a meal, and when he had about his name. Two or three days later stance that may be in it. The irritation a party of them went with him to his gold mountain, as he called it. It was just mountain, as he called it. It was just wented, and the annoyance may soon be vented, and the annoyance may soon be denotion. They fed him and gave him strength, and told him to dig away. They would help him after a while

accomplished. This satisfied hom, and he | tailion of mind started out mappy. That night he failed surgeon. to appear. The next day came and went without idm, and the men began to wonfor him. They found the place at last beyond a doubt. They got others to help

Re had been killed to his first drift. Funerals are expensive in this part of the country, and none too elegant at best. It was agreed that a funeral would do him go good. They left him in the hole he a big stone which was rolled in place on the mountain side they scratched the in scription. "Old Jim Beatty's mine."

## Blumonds Beyond Price.

Master Thomas Nichols of Jesus College, Cambridge, the earliest English writer on the subject of pivelous gems, said: "There is nothing more admirable in this lower world than precious stones, seeing they are the starres of the earth. and shine in competition for beautie. splendor and gloric. Nature produces nothing more rich, and sufficiently conesseth it in her most careful laying them up and hiding them in her private exhinets and repositories in the inner part of the earth, so that they are not easy to come by; but their value and price Imake them worth scarching for, even through the bowels of the world." "Are there many expert judges of dismonds outside of men who make it a business?" a leading diamond dealer was

"Not to reality, although there are many persons who flatter themselves they know a deal about it, but it is simply rediculous to expect to become an expert in chamonds without careful study, and a great deal of experience is necessary to pursue such study." What is the first thing an expert

looks for in a diamond?" The snap and peculiar fire, an effect of hight and sparkle to be found in no other article. Next we study the color, and finally we took for tiaws. An amateur expert reverses things. He looks for flaws first, color next and the fire last, R is a faculty-this judgment of dismonds sequired much as a bank teller comes to know, instantly, a counterfeit bank note or com." "What is the most dangerous counter-

feit of precious stones?" "It is called a "doublet," that is, a genuine coating of veneer is put on over a counterfeit stone and the whole is put into a close setting with the edges covered. Such false gems are made in every style except opuls and pearls."

"How is a novice to know, then, whether he is being swindled or not?" 'In ninely-nine cases out of a hundred he cannot know, and must rely on the honor of those with whom he does his business.

A bad workman quarrels with his

A good way to get rid of money is to

To prevent the loss of infrogen during the fermentation of farmyard manure Braume proposes the formation of pits in statues, cow houses are, a metre or a metre and a half to depth, with cemented sides. In the bottom of these pits he would place .30 to .40 metres of very light dry earth covered with .06 to metro of straw and similar refuse. As a convenient "ammoniahe recommends a small stopbottle filled with asbesto saturated with glacial acetic acid, Such a bottle if unstoppered only when examining manure heaps will remain fit for use for five years. He maintains that farmyard manure can never be superseded by chemical manures and the wdery manures of commerce. These, atler, save in certain limited cases, con never become more than adjuncts, and will often require substances of the for-

mer kind to render them assimilable.

## AGRICULTURE.

WORKING BUTTER. -Butter should be big nesh last Spring. He was out of mesay when he got into camp, and, as so could not pick up gold in the streets, went crazy. His insanity was of the in the crumby or granular form, and it harmless kind. He was quiet, and never to the thoroughly washed in clean watroublesome. Sometimes he seemed to forget to eat. All the other unfortunates for working it to get out the buttermili were always hungry. Whether flour was as there will be none to remove. Butter \$10 or \$100 a barrel made no difference. that is spread out on a butter worker, They had to be fed. Old Jim would go or any suitable platform, and pressed around looking pale and weak, with his into thin sheets, and then folded upon loosely and his clothes itself three or four times as the sait is daily growing too big for him, but he sprinkled on, will be very evenly salted. never asked for anything. It was known Butter that is unevenly salted will be that he had nothing, and that he was streaky and marbled, because sait butnot right in the head, but everybody ter has a deeper color than unsalted. took it for granted that somebody else If a mass of butter is worked in a bowl or worked so small that the butter can-One day several of the men were dis- not be spread out into thin sheets, it is cuseing the less means of ridding the possible to paddle it over a long while of the beats, when a bystander without getting the salt into every said they had better not touch old Jim. part. Butter that is gathered in the ile del no harm, and he never asked for churn before the buttermilk is drawn grub. It was agreed that he should not off, may be worked to advantage for e molested. Then somebody expressed the purpose of squeezing out the milk a currouty to know how and where he that should not have been allowed to got his meals. No one in the crowd be shut into it, but such a process regas anything about him. One of the quires hard work, while at the same men said he would make it a point to time it injures the quality of the butter. find out. Perhaps the old tellow was It is the milk in butter that first causes

FALL PLANTING. -Aside from the stone-fruited kind, all the harder orthat he had made. The boys gathered should trees may be planted in the fall should him and listened, plying him with questions occasionally.

"Gentlemen," he said. Two get a claim.

A spring set one have use the said trees may be planted in the fall should bread with this yeast, wet one quart of flour to a thick batter with warm water fall will start up better ordinarily than or milk, or half of each, for each loaf. "Gentlemen," he said, "I've got a claim a spring set one because the roots are Stir in the yeast and set to rise over up the creek here a ways that will make in position at the opening of the season night; in the morning knead up with us all rich. I haven't said anything about to supply the tree with food at once. If drawback to fall setting is that in pans, raise till light, or about 40 minit all out one night when I was asleep on very severe winters the trees suffer from utes in a warm place well covered with have grown somewhat fleshy. the mountain. It came to me just as plain the wood drying out and the roots beas anything. I know there's gold there, coming undisturbed. To guard against and I want to get you boys to belp me a this as much as possible, early planting little with it and we'll divide. There's a should be resorted to, in the North, mountain of it, with just a crust of rock thetober being the best mouth for the on the outside. If I can get through the work. Then some strength can be ac- dust, for often the germs of disease crust that is all I want. I'll run tunnels cumulated before cold weather, When float about, aye, and ripen and grow in all through it and you can help yourselves. I everything is in readiness for planting. "Touched," said one of the boys, point- if the trees are still in leaf, the leaves ing to his own head, and the rest of the should be stripped. The ends of the crowd needed. establishment herself, for servants are main shoots should also be shortened a too often careless in the matter; per-"I've located it all," said old Jim, little. There will be no harm in orderslowly, "but I can't seem to do much ing all trees and shrubs in the fall from work on at 1'm getting too old. Can't the nurseries, and then the more tender

CINDERS IN THE EYE .- A very simple and effective cure for emders in the eye 'It's a shane to let an old timer like is within the reach of everyone, and simply one or two grains of flaxseed, These may be placed in the eye without slept a while they gave him more to they begin to swell and dissolve a glut-Then they told him to come there tinous substance that covers the ball of when he was hungry and they would see the eye enveloping any foreign sublike thousands of others, with no more agus of gold in its composition than of washed out. A dozen of these stowed dismonds. But they hun ored him with away in the vest-pocket may prove in ar e pergency worth their weight in gold.

To STOP THE FLOW OF BLOOD, Every day the old man would set out to Housekeepers, merchants and others, his work with some cheery remark. He in handling knives, tools and other had got almost to the gold. One or two sharp instruments, very frequently remore days would reves! it. Then he reive severe cuts, from which the blood began to hong home bandfuls of earth and flows, profusely, and often times endanrock and gravel to be examined. The gers life itself. Blood may be made to toys looked at the stuff patiently and said rease flowing as follows: Take the five stapp area promising. After a while he stust of tea, at all times accessible and oraged and eard they would resily obtained, and built close to have to help him. He knew it was there, the wound. After the blood has ceased but he feared he could not reach it. A to flow landamum may be advantageously day was set on which two of the men applied to the wound. Due regard to were to go with him and see what he had these instructions would save much agi-

ler where he was. On the third day two red damask tablecloth needs a careful of them volunteered to go out and search hand not to fade it. A large handful of salt should be thrown into weak, not there he had been digsing. A cive in sads, and the cloth should be speedity had occurred, and old Jun was in there rubbed out and scalded a few minutes, then run through a wringer, and starchthem, and after a little patient degring ed with bought, not flour, starch. This they came upon the old fellow's body. keeps it from soiling, as easily as it would without this precaution. If dried out of doors in the shade, it should be brought in as soon as dry, or the sun will help to fade it. With careful washing these tablecloths are very prethad dug, nowering it up once more, and on ty, as well as a great convenience; but nothing can be more easily ruined by careless washing that these high colored

Som of medium lather than extra fer tility is best adapted for nursery purposes. Rapid growth is not desirable that produced on porous especially scal rich in vegetable matter. Trees so grown are not hardy. It is also importsul to secure a location where extremes in temperature do not prevail and espe endly where the nursery is not liable to

a very low temperature in winter, WINDOW PLANTS.-If you have but one window for plants you cannot accommodate more than six average-sized plants without crowding them, in such way that each one loses its individualty, and misses its full share of sunlight. You can have a bracket on each side for ivies, and a hanging basket in the mid-These few kept in first-class condition will be more satisfactory than a windowful of sickly, spindling ones.

LARGE AND SMALL, -According to the best evidence obtainable on the subject there is more profit to the dairyman in medium and small cattle than in larger ones. Those who are now advocating the general-purpose cow, claim that she must be large in order to make a good paying beef. For our part we cannot see why a large steer is any more profitable than a small one Each animal sells by the pound and eats according to his size. Cuts from the careass of large animals cost no more in market than cuts from small ones.

THE Hoos. - In wearing young pigs it is not necessary to remove them all at one time. Take away the strongest first, leaving the weakest for a week or two louger. As each is removed it leaves a larger amount of nourishment for the remainder, and by thus weaning them the weaker pigs are cuabled to get a better start.

Fall, ploughing is a good means of destroying much vermin. The frost will kill millions that are thus exposed to its power. Only the heavier soils should be plowed in the fail as the fine particles of light soil may be blown away if plowed in the fall. These fine

particles are the most valuable portion. KEROSENE is better than crude petro learn for the softening and clearing out buy everything that comes along. You the gummed and hardened oil in the know it may "become handy in the boxes of mowers, reapers and other farm boxes of mowers, respers and other farm

> THE agricultural editor thinks that there is more reason for a treasury commission to stamp ont hydrophobia than for one to exterminate pleuro pneumonia, of which no traces exist

PROFESSOR BUDD, of the Iowa Agricultural College, the best authority on tree culture in the West, says the white tubes be used, one within the other. at several different observatories. Returned from Eastern Europe are much that is confined between the cently Dr. Huggins has succeeded in better adapted to our prairies than the birches native to this continent.

Som: interesting observations as to the relative value of fish and oysters as to the same brass couplings. But this corons of the sun. By an incenious food were made in the Chemical section device is hardly new. of the American Association at the recent Philadelphia meeting, by Professor W. O. Atwater. Pish was as nutritious as the meat of animals, declared the speaker, but oysters should be ranked far below fish, he thought, in nutritive

DOMESTIC. POTATO YEAST.—Boil a large handful The Wonderful Histrionic Developm f common hops, or an inch of pressed hops tied in a piece of muslin, for about tifteen minutes in one quart of water. Peel and mash five large, mealy, oiled potatoes, while bot; dissoive in the boiling water one cup of sugar and one-half cup of salt; add a pinch of ginger; remove the hops; add the grated or mashed potatoes; stir the mixture until it thickens, remove from the fire, and when mile-warm add one cup tof After fermentation ceases, it should be kept in a cool place in a covered jar of markable talent ?" was asked of Mrs. stone, glass or earthenware. Allow one Kimball. sup of this yeast for every loaf, and alwhen risen, allow two-thirds of a cup roles nearly everywhere." to a good-sized loaf of bread. To make flour, divide into loaves, put in buttered a woolen cloth; bake one hour in a

Dust.-No house can be healthy that is not kept perfectly clear and free from dust. The dusting of the room ought to be supervised by the mistress of the terrible, for I am devoted to my profession haps they commence operations soon after sweeping up, before the dust All articles of furniture, especially the carpets cleaned more often than they have recommended it have found it generally are. Therefore a carpet that beneficial as it has been to me." pense were it generally known. It is is not natled down, and probably covers only part of the floor, is best and health-

> nevertheless, HOUSEBOLD ACCOUNTS. - There are reasons why the wife or housekeeper should keep an account book. In the first place it would furnish interesting information of the number of pounds family were greatly surprised. A house on Exme, he says. dates of births and deaths will be found in the family Bible but there are other

things that transpire in a family worthy leaving the straight seam open nearly piece of braid on a band of the waterproof two inches wide and fasten on firmly for handles. The outside pocket can be made of any size, or left off, but is very convenient for papers. A person while traveling will never wish to be without one of the shawl bags after finding out how useful they are.

Tarmes Punning -Soak two ounces night before using; then put in a saucepan with one pint more milk, two ounces of moist sugar, ten drops of essence of which will take about twenty minutes; then best up the yolk of two eggs, add to them two tablespoonfuls of cream:

| Rome get this term 'plebelan,' from West t'olul at an early day. mix these carefully in with the laptoca; pour this in a buttered dish, set it in the oven, and bake fifteen minutes.

STEAMED OTSTERS,-You can steam oysters at home without much trouble, Get a wire basket, such as has been used for flowers will do very well; fill it with enough to completely cover the bas-ket of oysters. The oysters are done sonalities and things that had been accumaimost immediately. They must be ulating for fifty years, will remember the opened into a hot dish where there is subtle odor of the deceased past. (Exmelted butter, pepper and salt. You Theoysters should not stand, but should be eaten at once.

and turn the mixture into a buttered pudding dish. Bake thirty minutes. To be eaten without sauce,

TROPHY clocks, being a clock in th centre of a shield with a helme! above and two spears or battle axer crossed behind, are very attractive though not especially novel.

A PRETTY arrangement for an entrance door is to have a curtain suspended before the door in the room and a few from it, so as to form a sort of the room. It also serves to shut off a draft when the door is opened,

The punkah clock, upon which slender, bronze Hindu waves a fan not in the least like a punkah, is one of the novelties of the season. It is a pretty

To prevent the cracking of the glass tubes that are connected with steam boilers to show the height of the water swim to the other side," within, it is recommended that two glass two serves as a protection to the inner obtaining very good photographs of a tube against outside cold, and the outer | wonderful celestial powder which is inone against the high temperature of the

The experiments during the past in the atmosphere as to catch on a sen-Summer with the electric light in the sitiye plate the faint impress South Foreland, in England, indicate marvellons streamers of light that surits great superiority over oil or gas for lighthouse purposes, except perhaps in outward millions of miles from the surthe very thickest weather.

A MOTHER'S DREAD.

each way, the intermediate spaces being Chicago World. filled in with squares. In the centre of The New York public was surprised a each octagon is a double quatrefoil with ew years ago at the arrest, at the instigaa circle in the centre, and at each end tion of the Society for the Prevention of are pointed leaves. The tesserm are Cruelty to Children, of little Corinne, the child actress. The little girl less than small from 1 to 1 of an inch square, and the colors used are red, white, blue and "ight years old, was taken from her pablack. On one side of the pavement is ents and kept in confinement until rea broad margin made of Roman tiles, eased by order of the Court and Mayor of good yeast; or, if this cannot be obtain- the city. Mrs. Jennie Kimbali, the about 6 inches by 11 inches each, laid ed, a small yeast-cake dissolved in a mother of Cornne, who has been known herringtone fashion. So much of the original work as can be recovered is to cup of water, with flour stirred in to to the public for many years as vocalist be carefully removed and kept in a safe make a thin batter and allowed to rise and commedienne, has devoted the greattill very light, may be used for a first est care to the training and education of place for future examination and inspecbrewing of potato yeast. It should be Comme, and the result is a development sely covered and set warm to rise. of natural faculties really phenomena . When did you discover Corinne's rebark exises in two forms-first, as a tan-

"I can hardly remember the time when anhydrate of that seid called "philobaways reserve one cup for raising the her eyes would not sparkle at the sound of next yeast. Bread made with potato music; she began to sing before she could yeast has a superior lightness, a sweet talk. Before she was four years old she flavor, and keeps moist a long time, created a sensation and received the prize the anhydrate simply as "coloring mat-Hop yeast, Bott briskly a large hand- of a gold chain and locket studded with full of hops in three narts of water for diamonds, at the National baby show in half an hour; then mix in half a cup of Boston. Next she sang in a concert given brown sugar, one spoonful of ginger, by Brown's Brigade Band, and in 1879 treated with such barks. one spoonful of sait; botl all together made her debut as Little Buttercup in the slowly for ten minutes; then strain, and Juvenile Penafore Company. Since then when milk-warm, add one cup of yeast; she has sung in opers and played various Mrs. Kimball is a lady of fine presence.

asked the reporter. "She has given place to the person you see before you. Like so many others I have grown somewhat fleshy. Indeed I ssumed such proportions that I began to fear for my health. Why, at times I would have the most suflocating sensation in my heart; then again my head would be attacked and I have frequently fallen to the floor in a dead fainting fit. I con hear it. This is pwing largely to the new suited several eminent physicians and they told me I must abandon the stage if I expected or hoped to live. This seemed

and also to the development of Corinne." "And yet you appear perfectly strong?" "And so I am. my weight over twenty pounds within three months and I never felt better in my life. the nurseries, and then the more tender ones may be safely kept over for spring dust about, driving it off one place and it say who are troubled as I was questions giving it a chance to settle in another, this, let them try Warner's safe cure, the remedy I used, and they will, I am sure, cushions of chairs and sofas, should be be speedily convicced of its truth. I be taken out and dusted regularly. Mats lieve it is the finest medicine in the world, ought to have special attention, and any number of my friends to whom I can hardly hope to reach this

> "Is Comme's health good ?" "Perfect. The child has so much life iest. The floors themselves should be and vivacity she is overflowing with it, on frequently washed, but allowed to get and off the stage." good man whose most intimate friends are all good. The only previous lastance of such rethoroughly dry before the carpet is re-

> MERSMAN'S PERFORMEND HERP TONIC, the only preparation of beef containing its entire matrices properties. It contains also demaring, force generating and life-assistating properties; invation of indigesition, dyspepsia, nervous prostration, and all forms of general debutty, also, in all enfeebled conditions, whether the result of exhaustion, nervous prostration, over-work or acute disease, particularly if resulting from pulmonary complaints. Caswell, Hazard & Co., proprietors, New York. Sold by druggists. placed. A really good carpet is the markable precocity which history chronicheapest article in the house. That cles is that of the famous Peg Woffington, may seem a paradox, but it is the truth who first appeared in "The Beggar's Opera," when but a little older than

Bill Nye says we arrived to Rome via the Rock Island road, and an old esttle of sugar, spice, flour, meat, etc., that a triend of mine from North park, who is family of a certain size consumes. How staying here, invited me to come and near the Oracle, many know anything definite about visit him during my stay in the city. these things? Again, such a record He is here, he says, to obtain that polish would suggest changes in the living in which he was unable to obtain on the one way or another, and furnish a basis range. It has long been his heart's for calculation of the requirements of dearest wish to go abroad and complete the coming year. We know of a lady an already thorough education. He was who went so far as to keep an account always pretty fair in antimetic, and of the extra meals she furnished in a could cipher the socks right off our most year, and when it was announced the embent men, but he was a little rusty

hold account is a startling revealer of He has been showing me the town facts. As a matter of family history, a and telling me all about it. Home, he record should be kept—of course, the county for upwards of 2 500 years, and still they haven't got a first-class hotel in the place. Romulus filed on Rome under the desert land act 600 years before Christ, and built a lunance asylume SHAWL BAGS. - A bag is a capital thing on the Capitoline hill. In those days to save a shawl from dust of a journey. everybody was highly educated, and and if of good size, can be used for every common Dago on the streets could holding tollet articles, etc. The best talk the dead languages like a Normalmaterial for making a shawl bag is school graduate. Greek and Latin were brown waterproof. Cut two round end talked just as common at a prize fight or pteces, eight inches in diameter, and a church sociable in Rome, among the piece twenty inches wide by twenty- middle and lower classes, as cigar-box five inches long. Stitch close together, Spanish is in Southern Colorado to-day. Before the Christian era Rome was all the way across, and bind its edges ruled by kings who were elected for and the edges of the end pieces with life or during good behavior. This worsted braid, sewed on with the ma- was done to curtail campaign expenses. chine. Close the opening with three buttons and buttons holes. Stitch a so that the surplus runds could be frittered away on bread and other Roman delicales. There was also a Senate and a follege of Pontifices and two-inch augurs

(Etruscan relic found near a Roman For many years there was a squabble between the patricians and the plebians. The patricians were people who had made a good deal of money, and whose blueblooded daughters showed their proud and of tapioca in one pint of cold milk the high lineage by eloping with the family coachman. The plebelans, as a rule, were not checked up so high, but they generally got their Eli with both feet, as a proud

who explained the will of the gods.

These augurs became at last a great bore

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitts, Catarria, Asthina and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Networs Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has left it has duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to releve human suffering. I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with fail directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. Noyes, 149 Power's Elock, Eochester, 3. Y. lemon: put this on the fire and let boil Roman told me yesteday as he socked his until the tapioca becomes quite clear, Roman nose into a tumbler of Roman punch. Rome got this term "plebeian," I learn They had pretty hot times from that on

for tour nundred years more. Sometime one was on top and sometimes the other. could give a long and glowing resume of the history of heathen Rome in my own crude way, if I had space, but I have not. The present Rome is built over forty or fifty feet of debris that is between two and oysters in the shell, and immerse in a three thousand years old. Those who vessel of boiling water, which is deep have been in Carcago when the street cuse me a moment while I go and eat a may add broken crackers if you choose. little asstoctids to take the taste out of my mouth.) Well, Rome is older, and therefore, it is worse. I hate to speak about 't, but when they are excavating for RICE PUDDING.—Boil half a cup of a new building here and turn up a few rice in one pint of water thirty minutes, discarded socks of the time of Romulus, then add one quart of new milk, and along with other relics of a forgotten era, boil thirty minutes longer; then beat the excavists run and stick their noses together one cup of sugar, three eggs, into the bosom of a Limburger cheese, two teaspoonfuls of sait and a little lem- and the people flee to the mountain till it on or nutmeg: stir this into the rice is safe to come home again. This puts a kind of damper on building, and real estate is rather dead. At least, it is not feel ng well. So they only build a new house every fifty or sixty years. Then it takes half a century for the air to get fresh again I have been trying for several days to find some Roman candles to take home with me, but have failed so far. 1 should feel ashamed of myself to make this long and expensive trip to Rome, the very hot-bed of Roman candles, and then go home without any.

A LADT who often changes her set vants found on the first day after the arrival of her new cook a dragoon concealed in the kitchen dresser. "Jane, how did the soldier get there?" really can't tell, Guadige Fran; I fancy he must have been left there by the former cook,"

THEY'VE thrown me overboardthat's rough!" the politician cried "But still I've got strength enough to The sun is photographed every day

visible to the eyes of a man, except corons of the sun. By an ingenious arrangement he so diffused the daylight tion of those round the sun and sometimes extend

Another fine specimen of a Roman payement has been uncarthed at Bridewell Lane, Beth, England, in the course of some excavating work. The pattern is composed of octagons 2 feet 7 inches And yet they growled. An old pocket. tence, where he dined and wined him ike a prince on the finest chins and the

ostliest plate. "Why, Jones," said his old friend, 'I thought you had failed." So I have—given up everything, bsolutely everything, to my creditors,

is an honest man should," replied the aukrupt in a tone of self-abnegation. "Why, you appear to be living pretty well," remarked the old friend. 'Ah, my dear sir, how mistaken re," returned the two-cents-on-a-dollar ailure. "Everything that you see is

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ter," and rejects bark containing too large a proportion of it on account of the very red color it imparts to leather "How is your health, and how did Silveroid is the trade name given to a new, close-grained, brilliant white alloy, regarding the composition of which little Instead of getting a city office I went s known beyond the fact that cadmium enters into it. It is intended to take the place of the brass, bronze and gungit, If I could have got some place metal classes of alloys, and if all turns where I could have stolen from the city out to be true which is spoken in its might have been at this at this moment a happy man, at home and in the favor it will soon do so, especially in the manufacture of articles which must bosom of my famity. Stranger, if you is ever go to the United States, don't go be strong and capable of taking a fine nto business; go into politics!" The Canadian was so touched that he imme-THE new opright Pianos of Mason & hately leaned the gentleman from Louisville \$5 and turned away to con-Hamlin are highly praised by good judges. The y possess a refinement of musical tone which charms the connoisseur and all who

system of their construction. The great ex-perience of Mason & Hamlin in their organ "WHAT is that wooden box for, sir?" isked the new stockholder of the presibusiness, with the aid of their large corplent of the just organized bank. of superior musical and mechanical experts has enabled them, after several years of That? Oh, that's for the securities expensive experiments, to produce a piano which bids fair to do more for their reputa-tion than even their famous organs have and money, you know. We must have living,

eal his emotion.

practical president. "Why certainly; I know that," reolied the astonished stockholder, "but sin't von going to have a safe?" No, there is no use going into fool-sh expenses," placidly replied the

"What, no sale?" "Why, no. When the eashiers go to Canada they always take the combinaion with them, and you cannot realize anything on a second-hand safe with a busted lock."

BROWN-"Ah, Smith! How are you?

How's business?" Smith (gentlemen's furnishing goods

aler)-"Splendid, old boy! splendid! "Brown-"How's that? Last time I mouth and talked of going into bank- taking it without asking afterwards ruptey." Smith-"Yes; but don't you see, my

boy, I've started a laundry since then. Poetry is the utterance of truth, deep Big thing! Collars don't last two heartfelt truth. The true poet is very weeks, cuffs used up in three ironings, and shirt bosoms rubbed threadbare in no time! Great scheme! Don't you see? Goods go off like hot cakes-almost impossible to keep up the demand. and the best of it is, you know, that the more laundry work we do the more stuff we sell, and the more stuff we sell Zeal without humanity is like a ship the more money our laundry brings in to us! Great scheme, my boy! Great without a rudder, liable to be strauded scheme!

> Sarra-"Beastly headache I got this morning. Too many brandies and soda last night, I'm afraid." Brown-"Don't feel up to much my-

self; had lobster salad for supper and The greatest pleasure I know is to do haven't slept a wink." good action by stealth, and to have it "Well, just look at the frightint cold I caught last night."

Brown-"Why, where were you?" "At the health exhibition," Smith and Brown (together)-"Why, so was I." [All groan.] If the nose of Cleopatra had been a

little shorter, it would have changed "I HEAR you called on your girl last night, Earl, said a down-town youth to one of Avondale 'Yes, I called," he answered, in a

"Have a nice time?" "No." "Did you see her." 'Yes, saw her leaving the house with a other fellow just as I turned the cor-

ner two squares away." "DID You read in the paper that a colored woman at Newport wears \$40,000 worth of diamonds?" asked Gilbooly, of an Austin drummer. "Yes, I have read that item, and

would like to know what her name is," "Want to be introduced to her?" "No: but you see I travel about great deal, and I would like to know on what line of railroad her husband is sleeping-car porter, so I could inveigle him into a little game of poker.

Convensation between a tenderfoot nd a native of the Lone Star state, "I don't see how you are able to raise any cattle in Texas,

"Why not?" "On occount of the Texas fever." "There is one peculiarity about the Texas fever that you may not have heard of.

"What is that?" "There has never been a case of it is Texas.

"I suppose you earn your living by ome sedentary occupation," remarked Justice Tegener, jocosely to a tramp, "You hit it, judge. When I am not on the road, I make a living sitting on Doctrines are of use only as they are a jury as a professional," practiced; men may go to perdition

CLERE-"What do you wish, little It G .- "I want to know how much your best pills are. Your best pills.

A LADY had been entertaining a friend of her husband, and the next day her little girl said to her; "Mamma, ain't we cannibals?" "Of course not," was the reply; "why do you ask?" "Because I heard papa say we had Jenkins for dinner yesterday."

A Norristows man has a cook so pretty and fascinating that the first day he employed her she "mashed" his potatoes. The next day she "mashed"

"That was a narrow escape you had last night, George. Just as pa entered the front door you escaped by the side door," "Yes, quite an escapade." She laughed heartily and placed his No. 5 hat where he could grab it at a moment's notice.

It turns out that the new anæsthetic, muriate of cocaine, which has been found so useful in delicate operations on the eye, was formerly used by specialists to blunt the sensibilities of the throat. The discovery of its new powers which was lately made by a Viennese medical student named Kolley was considered of sufficient importance to engage the attention of the recent congress of oculists at Heidelberg. Muriate of cocaine is muriatic acid combined chemically with the active principle of the South American coca plant.

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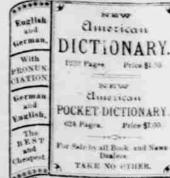
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