

THE BLACKSMITH.

Cling clang, cling clang! Went the blacksmith's hammer, While his brazen voice outrang High o'er all the clamor.

be here to tell the story. I have since learned that eighty miles at least is supposed to be the best tornado can do.

Farm Notes.

With the cows in the stable. It is much better than the way of outdoor milking. The flies are not so troublesome, and the cows are not so cramped around the yard.

How Miss Up-to-Date Shops.

The real fin de siècle girl is a curious production of the period. Belonging to the Up-to-date family, she is thoroughly independent, and entirely self-possessed.

THE DEADLY RATTLESNAKE.

No Known Cure for the Bite of the Genus. "Out of a thousand people bitten by rattlesnakes," said E. D. Bourne, of Palm Springs, to a Pomona (Cal.) Progress man, "I am sure to recover."

CHASED BY A TORNADO.

"I don't believe that white ever turned a person's hair fright over," said Henry Wetherell, an engineer of the Jackson Central R.R. track.

Advertisement for St. Jacobs Oil, featuring a woman and text: "If you're neuralgia, take St. Jacobs Oil—rub it on—rub it on hard—keep rubbing it on—it has got to stop the pain—thab's what it's for."

Advertisement for Lenape Springs, featuring a woman and text: "IS YOUR FAMILY DEAR TO YOU? IS YOUR HEALTH A LIFE DEAR TO YOU? THEN DON'T BE WITHOUT A CASE OF THE BEST & CHEAPEST TABLE MINERAL WATER IN THE MARKET."

Advertisement for Sapolio, featuring a woman and text: "Thoughtless Folks Have the Hardest Work, But Quick Witted People Use Sapolio."

Advertisement for Ripans-Tabules, featuring a woman and text: "FACE TO FACE. The pleasure of a confidential chat is doubled by the sweet breath that goes with a well-ordered system."

Advertisement for W. L. Douglas's \$3 shoe, featuring a man and text: "W. L. DOUGLAS'S \$3 SHOE IS THE BEST. \$5. CORDOVAN. \$3.50 POLICE. \$3.00 WORKMENS."

Advertisement for Furniture and Bedding, featuring a woman and text: "GREATEST EVENT IN HISTORY. All goods at 10% below cost."

Advertisement for Linen Collar, featuring a woman and text: "The 'LINENE' are the Best and Most Economical."

Advertisement for Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, featuring a woman and text: "WE GIVE AWAY Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. To any one sending name and address to us on a postal card."

Advertisement for MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, featuring a woman and text: "FOR FIFTY YEARS! MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP."

Advertisement for DENSON'S PASTILLES, featuring a woman and text: "DENSON'S PASTILLES. For Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, etc."

BREEDING OFF THE HORNS.

It is a futile hope to expect to breed hornless cattle by the practice of disbudding. There have been instances in which an artificial peculiarity in the animal has been inherited.

DEAR SIR.

For three years, says a New York farmer in the Tribune, our drilled corn has yielded from 106 to 130 bushels of ears per acre, whereas we get but seven to ten to 100 by the checkerboard method.

THEIR LANGUAGE IS A LEGACY.

The conquerors have gone, but their language, the only legacy they left behind, remains in Africa.

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Two young girls on the porch of a waste land, in which they had been guests all summer; near them was a gentleman who had just arrived.

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There is to-day not a single Makololo in that region, but strange to say, during the two years of their domination, this tribe their language, a little corrupt, became the language of all that immense territory.

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It is necessary here to utter a word of caution in regard to the use of these concentrated feeds, sugar meal and especially cream gluten meal. They are both exceedingly rich concentrated feeds, and like condensed milk should be fed sparingly.

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Plants in your trees. A great deal of difficulty is experienced in handling young trees that have been bought at a nursery, and especially if they have been transplanted a long distance.

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One of her errands was to get velvet gloves, and also for a winter-ling. She bought Velutina, because she liked the name. Just like Lyons silk velvet, wears much longer, and cost one third less a yard.

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People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action, but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently cure habitual constipation, well informed people will not buy other laxatives.

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Before storing honey in trees, bees will clean the tree of all rotten wood and refuse. They never do anything by halves.

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Landlady: Why do you wish to leave my house, Mr. Starboarder? Don't you like the table? Mr. S.: Oh, yes, very much indeed. I don't know that I ever saw a better one. It's what you put on it that I can't stand any longer.—Detroit Free Press.

THEIR LANGUAGE IS A LEGACY.

How's this! We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the best medicine.

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They absolutely cure Trick Headache, Biliousness, Constipation, Coated Tongue, Poor Appetite, Dyspepsia and kindred derangements of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

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