

Man's Fall.
Since the original fall of man we have had some signal examples of great falls—not to include Niagara or the immense fall in values which the times have brought about—in the nature of accidents which waylay men at all times. One such is that of Mr. George W. Lord, Olania, Pa., who says he fell down stairs and suffered four weeks with a sprained neck. The use of St. Jacobs Oil completely cured him. Mr. G. Toeder, 609 S. 17th St., Omaha, Neb., relates that he jumped from his engine in collision and sustained a very bad sprain to his ankle; he had to use a cane for weeks, but was finally cured by St. Jacobs Oil. Never fall out with so good a tonic.

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WHEN HORSES BITE THE HARNESS.

This bad habit may be checked by steeping some bitter aloes in warm water and sponging the harness with it. This is also disgusting to rats and mice, which often gnaw the harness for the salty taste it has from the perspiration of the horses. This shows how right and proper it is to wash and grease the harness frequently, using carbolic or tar soap, and adding a little carbolic acid to the grease, which should be pure vaseline.—New York Times.

SMALL BUT SURE PROFIT.
Farmers make a smaller percentage on their investments probably than any other class. The merchant, banker and manufacturer would go out of business if his visible income from his investment was no more than the farmer's, yet notwithstanding that this is indisputably true, it is a fact, nevertheless, that there is a smaller percentage of failures among farmers than any other class. More than this, there is a large percentage of farmers get well to do in the world's goods and pride themselves and families a good living than any other class. This being the case, we certainly conclude that it pays to work for a small income. Especially is this true when in the case of the farmer the income is steady one year with another.—Rocky Mountain Husbandman.

FRESH BUTTER.
Foreigners who come to this country universally complain of American butter. They do not find it good, because it does not suit their palate, and Americans on first going abroad complain that the "butter is so insipid." The writer has often seen salt added at table. It is remarkable, however, how quickly they, too, learn to prefer the fresh butter to that which is heavily salted.

The demand for slightly salted butter is growing in this country, and it is to be hoped that it will spread rapidly, and remove one great objection to "American butter" in the eyes of Europeans. We are hardly aware how much it has hurt our foreign market. There is really no necessity for so much salt. Good, firm butter can be kept for two or three months fresh, and if done up in neat, new packages, will command high prices. This is the dairyman's opportunity. It means winter dairying, of course, and it also means big profits to the energetic man.—New York World.

FARM AND GARDEN NOTES.
At this season fowls do better if confined on rainy days.
Hogs at nine months should weigh from 250 to 300 pounds.
Both breed and feed are required to make a good dairy cow.
Hog-raising and dairying form a good combination for profit.
Feeding Brahmas all they will eat will usually stop them from laying.
If sulphur is given at all it should be given sparingly and never in damp weather.
Give a little oatmeal or stale bread soaked in milk as a first feed to young chickens.
Fifth and lack of ventilation cause more disease among poultry than anything else.
Road dust and finely sifted wood ashes in equal parts make a good material for the dust boxes.
Sell from the young stock and do not sacrifice fowls that have proved satisfactory unless very old.
Breeding and handling are of equal importance in attaining success with horses. They should go hand in hand.
The man who now shows his faith in sheep by staying in or going in that industry will surely come out on top.
Keep the cows from temptation by having the fences in such condition that they cannot get through or over them.
In a brooder each duckling chooses its own quarters, squats quietly down and remains there until morning without crowding.
Lung fever often results from speeding horses when the mercury is low that are kept in warm, close stables most of the time.
In removing dead branches care should be taken to make the cut close and smooth. If a stub is left it will not heal over readily.
In the application of lime to land thirty to fifty bushels to the acre are generally used. Forty bushels is generally the best quantity.
A cold surrounding temperature is apt to reduce the temperature of the cream, which must be raised to a higher temperature before the butter will come.
If a piece of land is to be double cropped next season, fertilize it freely and plant crops which mature quickly, such as wheat followed by millet, or sweet corn followed by buckwheat or turnips.
Practicing rotation in the production of crops is not only a most excellent course for preventing soil exhaustion, but the best means for preventing the multiplication of weeds and insects.
The two earliest breeds of turkeys are the bronze and the Narragansett. The former is a dark bronze color, with a luster approaching gold, while the latter is a metallic black, with salmon-colored legs.
The blanketing of a horse may seem like a small matter, but attention to it at the proper time would have saved the life of many a valuable animal and would have prevented a great deal of suffering and loss.
If the land of our farms could be brought up to the highest point of productivity, the yield of the various products would be immensely increased and profits would proportionately increase. The great need of our farms is more manure, and the need is so pressing that it should serve to emphasize the importance of saving all the manure that are made on the farm.

HOUSEHOLD AFFAIRS.
THE BEST WAY TO BEGIN DINNER.
A doctor says that the proper commencement of dinner should be the old-fashioned dish of soup, and for the reason that it is necessary for the first food taken at dinner should be quickly absorbed, so as to stimulate the nervous system and give tone to the stomach.—New York Journal.

TO COLOR SAUCES.
Caramel, so much used to color sauces, gravies, etc., is made as follows: Heat half a pound of brown sugar in a small kettle and stir it until it is smooth, dark brown butter, but be careful that it does not burn; add gradually a pint of hot water, let it simmer while the sugar, which is scraped from the kettle, dissolves, and then bottle and cork.—New York World.

TINY SHOES.
The material to be employed is chamois leather; cut the shoes into the shape of a tiny sock. Sew them up with the seams on the inside, and then turn them so that any edges may be on the outside. Do not make an opening in the front, but rather let the top be wide enough to admit the little foot and ankle easily. Now crock a scallop with bright wool or silk around the edge, and cut a few little slits just under it, at a distance of about half an inch from each other. Run a ribbon through these, the same color as the scallop, and, drawing it enough to keep the little shoe firm, tie a bow in front. These make nice house shoes for little folks.—Detroit Free Press.

USES FOR FLOUR SACKS.
Housekeepers who have no room for a flour barrel, but still are thrifty enough to bake bread at home, accumulate in time a number of empty sacks for which at first glance there seems no manner of use. A moment's reflection, however, will show many ways in which they can be turned to account. Perhaps the easiest way to dispose of them usefully is to hem them for dish towels, or to cut them in two and hem for dish-cloths.

If there are small boys and girls in the family they will come in nicely for pants and sleeve linings. Very dainty housekeepers sew up their pillows in a close-fitting case, thus keeping the ticks fresh and clean, the regular pillow case to be slipped on over it and this under case to be washed two or three times a year. Flour sacks are excellent for this purpose.

Country housewives, who are proverbially thrifty, perhaps because they cannot so easily run "on the avenue" and buy a thing the moment they want it, do not disdain to use these sacks for aprons, faced with turkey red, or leather-stitched with red marking cotton they are sufficiently dainty.

There is a knack in ripping and washing them. Cut the threads with which the sack is closed at the bottom, then, by taking one of the two threads in each hand and pulling you will find the seams unravel easily. Wash out the flour and sizing in several waters, soap the letters well and boil in suds.—Yankee Blade.

RECIPES.
Fruit Johnny Cake—Boil a pint of salted water in a saucepan. When it comes to a boil, stir in a half cupful of rolled oats and boil fifteen minutes, then add a cupful of granulated meal. Spread thinly in a baking pan and strewn with chopped raisins and dates, or Zante currants. Cover at first, and bake twenty to forty minutes, according to thickness.

Barley Broth—Take a quart and a pint of stock. Have your barley soaking all day; then add it to the stock one hour before dinner time and allow it to simmer on the back part of the stove until the barley is tender. Just before serving time rub a tablespoonful of butter and two of flour together; add slowly to them half a pint of scalding milk; when smooth turn into the barley broth; bring to boiling point; season and serve.

Eggs with Cheese—Put into a stewpan about two ounces of grated Parmesan or Gruyere cheese, with one ounce of butter, two sprigs of parsley, chopped, and two small onions, chopped, a little grated nutmeg and half a glass of sherry. Put it on the fire and keep stirring until the cheese is well melted. Break six eggs in a basin, put them in the stewpan, stir and cook them on a slow fire. When done, serve with fried sippets of bread around.

Toasted Rusk—Take a portion of the bread dough, roll it out on the board, then add a suitable amount of sugar, say to each pound of dough a tablespoonful of butter; fold the dough over and work carefully until thoroughly mixed, and then bake this in a long, flat pan, so that when it is light and ready for the oven it will not be over two inches high. After it has been well baked and is perfectly cool cut it into slices; toast these slices in the oven until they are a golden brown.

Quick Mullins—One pint of milk, one ounce of butter, one teaspoonful of salt, three cups of flour, two heaping teaspoonfuls of baking powder or a half teaspoonful of soda and one of cream of tartar, three eggs. Beat the eggs separately until light; add the yolks to the milk, then the flour, which must be sifter or less, according to the quality. The batter must be thin and poured from the spoon. Now add the baking powder and the well-beaten whites; stir until thoroughly mixed. Make in muffin rings in a quick oven or on the griddle.

Height of an Eagle's Flight.
The imperial eagle, the largest of the species known, flies to a height of from 10,000 to 15,000 feet. It is a native of South America, and its habitat is among the lofty mountains of that country. Its power of flying to high altitudes is only exceeded by the condor of the Andes, which is said to have attained the height of six miles or within one mile of the greatest height ever attained by a balloon. The eagle sails in the air at heights ranging from three to five miles, and when seen to soar upward by an observer on the earth's surface disappears from sight in about three minutes.—Brooklyn Eagle.

A Looking-Glass for the Canary.
The following interesting story of how a canary was cured of homesickness was told by W. G. Evans: "Not long ago my wife purchased a canary at a bird store. It had been accustomed to companions of its kind at the store, but at our house it was entirely alone. The pretty little songster was evidently homesick. It would not sing, it would not eat, but just drooped and seemed to be pining away. We talked to it, and tried by every means in our power to cheer the bird up, but all in vain. My wife was on the point of carrying the bird back to the store when one day a friend said: 'Give him a piece of looking-glass.' Acting on this suggestion, she tied a piece of broken mirror about the size of a man's hand on the outside of the cage. The little fellow hopped down from his perch almost immediately, and, going up close, looked in, seeming delighted. He chirped and hopped about, singing all the pretty airs he was master of. He never was homesick after that. He spends most of his time before the glass, and when he goes to sleep at night he will cuddle down as close to the glass as he can, thinking, very likely, that he is getting near to the pretty bird he sees so often."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Well Doing Makes Merry.
Everywhere many women learn the lesson that work well done and useful occupations not despised are peace-giving, ennobling and uplifting. We hear it witnessed by the low humming of Mary in the laundry as she sings to the measure of her hands flying up and down the washboard over which she bent before daylight this morning, although the washboard is a mile's journey from the place where Mary slept last night.

One knows instinctively that Mary's washing will be done, for never does a grudging laundress sing over her work. We see it in the springy step and bright face with which the woman with something to do passes the one of leisure out for a promenade for health or on her weary round of selfish pleasure. Health even chooses its favorites in the world of work and no time to think of pains or aches is often worth a whole medical fraternity for driving away nervous twinges and imaginary ills.—Buffalo News.

How to Prepare Manuscript.
Some years ago, London Notes and Queries, in answer to a question from a reader as to how to prepare manuscript for publication, published some little verses which we reproduce below. Our readers will find them helpful: Write upon pages of a single size; Cross your top and neatly dot your y's; On one side only let your lines be seen— Both sides filled up announce a verdant green.

Correct—yes, recorrect—all that you write, And let your ink be black, your paper white, For spongy foolscap, of a muddy blue, Betrays a mind of the same dismal hue. Punctuate carefully for on this score Nothing proclaims a practised writer more. Then send it off, and, lest it merit lack, Betrays a mind of the same dismal hue. But first pay all the postage on it, too. For editors look back on "six cents due." And murmur, as they run the effusion o'er, "A shabby fellow and a wretched bore." Yet, ere it goes, take of it a copy clean— They should own a copying machine; Little they know the time that's spent, and none in hunting "copy" vanished—who knows where? Bear this in mind, observe it to the end, And you shall make the editor your friend.

It requires an order from the President of the United States to procure an impression of the great seal of State.

CURES OTHERS.
Mrs. J. H. LANSING, of South Glen Falls, Saratoga County, N. Y., writes: "After my third child was born, I barely gained strength enough in two years time, so as to be able to crawl about to accomplish the little house work that I had to do, and that only by lying down to rest many times each day; had sick headaches and very often, many pains and aches all the time. After I had taken one bottle of your Favorite Prescription I could see a great change in my strength and less sick headaches. Continuing to take the medicine until I had taken seven bottles of the 'Favorite' I was now able to do household work and to take care of my husband and two children aged nine and five. I also take dressmaking and enjoy walking a mile at a time, when I can have the time to do so. And I am sure it is all due to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as I know I was falling fast before I commenced to take it." Sold by medicine dealers everywhere.

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A Terrible Reptile.
The Connecticut River Valley and many other portions of New England were inhabited in past ages by gigantic species of two and four-footed reptiles. At one of the brownstone quarries near Portland tracks of these terrible reptiles have just been found, and geologists are now eagerly awaiting the further working of that ledge, for it is quite possible that petrified remains of these saurians will be found. Some of the tracks are twenty inches from heel to toe and almost as broad. Figuring on this basis, the reptile must have been at least twelve feet high.—St. Louis Republic.

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