

"GAB."

I reckon it speed had sprawl,
He'd a' clim' to the very top notch.

There was men didn't know half as much
And hadn't the science o' gab.

For years his good wife kept him propped
As he sat there a-staddle that limby.

His neighbors they propped him a spell
When death had loosened her hold.

A FRIEND IN NEED

By ROE L. HENDRICK.

When a mature horse "goes ugly,"
there is so little hope of reformation

The difficulty is to tell when a really
ugly horse will display all his viciousness.

Prince Charley, a Clydesdale belonging
to the Parker Stock Farm, cost \$3000

Then he began to grow morose,
sometimes striking or biting at strangers

Four men were needed to get him
back into a box stall, and they had

When he was in a paroxysm of rage,
no ordinary partition could hold him,

All this, however, did not protect
the stock farm employees, who had to

A few days later the county agent
of the Society for the Prevention of

The two officials were shown all
over the place, and were treated very

"I appreciate your position, Mr.
Parker, and sympathize with you up

They had just filled the first milk
pail, when a scream from Billy—

pain or terror—called their attention
to the foot of the slope.

They ran to the brow of the hill
and part way down before an opening

Mrs. Bradway had heard of Prince
Charley's viciousness, but for the moment

She cried out, and shook her apron
at the horses as they passed.

With her heart in her mouth, Mrs.
Bradway recognized the horse.

But for an unexpected intervention
it would have gone hard with the two,

Grip was a homeless mongrel, a
cross between a collie mother and an

He had sneaked up to the Bradway
farm house two months before,

There are but ten main groups of
big trees. They are among the

Yet with all these means of maintenance
the big trees have not increased

The largest belt of big trees is in
the Sierras in Tulare County, some

In 1855 some enterprising men in
California hit upon a scheme where-

he could not appreciate how much
the woman was ashamed of him—

Grip had followed the backboard
unperceived, and was enjoying a lively

Rushing across the slope, he saw
a huge monster, with open mouth,

Mrs. Bradway could almost feel the
hot breath of Prince Charlie on her

Trembling with fright, Mrs. Bradway
thrust Ruth into the branches of

Grip had a badly injured fore leg,
but he also had earned a permanent

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WHY THE REDWOODS SURVIVE.

Nature Throws About Them Her Own Protection—If
Man Could Have Marketed Them at a Cost Not Pro-

'How did it happen that any of the
big trees of California escaped the

Nature seems to have protected
many of these trees from slaughter

Before the glacial period the
sequoia flourished in the temperate

The second largest tree is called
the Abe Lincoln. This tree has a

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MARKETS.

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Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Wheat, Corn, Oats, Flour, Hay, Clover, Feed, Bran, Straw, and Dairy Products.

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LIVE STOCK.

Union Stock Yards, Pittsburg.

Table with 2 columns: Cattle and Sheep prices. Includes Extra, Prime, Good, Fair, Common, and Heavy cattle, and various sheep.

THE LABOR WORLD.

A Central Labor union has been
organized at Augusta, Ga.

San Francisco Barbers' Union has
a membership of more than 700.

Allaby labor unions have erected
and opened a tuberculosis pavilion.

The various central bodies of Orange
County, New York, have joined a

A reorganization of the building
trades unions has been brought about

It has been decided by the leather
workers to make a universal demand

In Liverpool, England, 10,000
longshoremen are idle, and the docks

The accident report of the Illinois
Bureau of Labor shows a list of 109

The strike of the operatives in the
textile industries of India has ended.

International Cotton Spinners'
Union has presented Samuel Ross,

The paper mills of the International
Paper Company in Franklin,

The spinners and cardroom workers
in Manchester, England, adjusted

People who have little knowledge,
snears the Chicago Record-Herald,

It is estimated there are 60,000
sequoias in the forest, the big trees

While nurseries have been established,
no marked success in the

Mr. Muir says that no other sierra
conifer produces nearly so many

All the sequoias in the giant forest
are monster trees, but the greatest of

The second largest tree is called
the Abe Lincoln. This tree has a

Some time after she had taken the
capsules she was asked by her son

An elderly patient in the Tennessee
mountain region was suffering from

A feature of the current issue of
the Manufacturers' Record, of Balti-

The gloom cast over New York by
the height of its buildings has been

Members of the colony had neglected
to file on the land on which

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himself to eight hours of work a

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