Improved Teo Fast,
Mrs. Smith (thoughtfully)—I'm afraid
I shall have to stop giving Bobby that
tonic the doctor left for him.
Mr. Smith (anxlously)—Why, isn't he
any better?
Mrs. Smith—Oh, yes! But he has slid
down the banisters six times this morning, broken the hall lamp, two vases, a
pitcher and a looking-glass, and I don't
feel as if I could stand much more.—
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while these chean convenience axis are in leaf.

If money is to be made from cown it as essential that they be milked at regular hours morning and evening, regular hours morning and evening, the control of the contro There is every encouragement to the one who wishes to keep poultry for eggs and market, writes S. N. Wolcott, in the American Agriculturist. The road of the amateur fancy chicken dealer is sure to be a rough one for many years at least, for there are so many well-known dealers, and advertising and booming are overdone and disappointing. A dealer in one little town shipped during the month of February 3000 dozen eggs. An average of \$250 worth of poultry was shipped weekly last winter, and there were other dealers in the same town and at nearly every other town in the county. No one, to my knowledge, makes a speciaity of poultry. It was the surplus from the farms. A farmer near Arlingfon Junction had a fine flock of Brahmas, which are heavy weights to sell at maturity but do not feather early enough for broilers of carly pullets. Neither did they lay as well as he wished. He bought last year some pure White Leghorn cockerels and has an all-purpose chicken hard to beat. In three weeks in December he sold fifty-five dozen eggs from ninety hens and pullets at the time of year when eggs are searce and high. They still keep up the record. This year he bought pure Brahmas cockerels again, for the chickens soon get too small for market purposes. The Cochin and Brown Leghorn makes a fine cross, or Plymouth Rock and White

sgain, for the chickens soon get too small for market purposes. The Cochin and Brown Leghorn makes a fine cross, or Plymouth Rock and White Leghorn, and they feather early for brollers. Early broilers are the most profitable, and they should weighl or 1½ bis. by the first of May at least.

The next best thing to an incubator for hatching early chicks is a dozen Cochin hens, and this is about all the good I could ever get out of them. Langshans are pretty fair early sitters. One must have a dry, comfortable place for them or bowel disease will surely take them oil—a henhouse sixteen feet long, half the south side hinged at the southwest corner to swing back and be a windbreak for the house. Tack screen across the doorway to keep the chicks inside, fand you have shelter, sun and fresh air. A shed attached to the east end of the henhouse, covered and sided north and east with straw or constalls and lathed on the south, is a cheap and comfortable place. Put the coops along the north side and the chocks can scratch and grow during the cloudy wet days of spring without danger of chill or drowning. A board a foot broad at the ground keeps the wind off of them and keeps them under the shed. I had eleven hatched the 23d of February and they are

A great improvement can be made in most orchards by regrating those that are found to be of undesirable varieties. It can be done during this month with greater certainty that the crafts will live than if cut and set later. Grafts of the cherry and plum must especially be cut as early as possible. If kept in a cool, moist place they can be set even after the trees are in leaf.

The Biblical contrast between the sheep and the goats came up oddly at Buffalo, N. Y., when Market Clerk Roesch announced he had discovered

Who hypnotized me with her ways
Until my heart was all ablaze
With love, and every nerve appears I
To be, like lightning, double geared?
Lucinda,

Who listened to my earnest pleas, And warmet toward me by degree Until she called me Sam, and said I'd sort o' turned her little head? My sweetheart,

Who let me kiss her one sweet night
Beneath the moon's white metal light,
And sald she'd ever cling to me
As clings the bark unto the tree?
My betrothed,

Who left the altar at my side Dressed in the trappings of a bride,
And said again and yet again
I was the king of all the men? My wife.

And now who often calls me down. Upon her face a vicious frown, And if to answer her I dare Entwines her flugers in my hair? Same girl.

HUMOR OF THE DAY.

Orator—"My friends, what is the price of liberty?" Binthare—"Three oten dollars, according to the judge."
-Judge.

"Hor sweet humility," he wrote—
"Hor sweet humility," he wrote—
They read it with avidity,
And o'er the printer's break did gloat—
And o'er the printer's break did gloat—
Cleveland Lender,
—Cleveland Lender,
And you like

——Cleveland Leader.

Deacon Black—"How did you like it down at Bloomtown?" Rev. White —"I tell you they're wide awake down there!" "Oh, then you didn't preach for them?"

If you're a cyclist, sir, you know
If makes a difference where you go:
For there are regions of retreat
Where rubber tires won't stand the heat.
—Detroit Free Press.

Where rubber tires won't stand the heat.

"Hear about Timmins writing a poem to Dollie Fliptoe's foot?" "No; did he?" "Yes, and when he read it to her her foot went to sleep, so she says."—Indianapolis Journal.

Alice—"Well, Maud, I hear you are engaged to Jack." Mand—"Yes," Alice—"Well, I congratulate you. He was about the nicest fiance I ever had."—Newcastle (England) Chronicle.

Freshman—"Isn't young Rush brawny enough this year to play football?" Senior—"Oh, yes; he's all right physically, but a recent spell of fever caused his hair, to fail out."—Judge.

Miss Shorthair—"What changes

Miss Shorthair—"What changes have taken place in the world!" Professor Longhair—"Yes, indeed, my dear. In the days of Methuselah it was the men who used to lie about their age."—Judge.

"I'll teach you to play pitch and toss!" shouted an enraged father. "I'll flog you for an hour, I will!" "Father," instantly replied the incorrigible, "I'll toss you to make it two hours or nothing."—London Tid-Bits.

Mrs. Mimms—"George, are you sure you locked up the house?" Mimms—"By Jove! I can't remember about the front door." Mrs. Mimms—"Never mind about the front door. How about the coal bin?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

mind about the front door. How about the coal bin?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

New Roomer (sarcastically)—"Is this all the soap there is in the room?"
Landlady (decidedly)—"Yes, sir; all I will allow you." New Roomer—"Well, I'll take two more rooms. I've got to wash my face in the morning."—Baltimore News.

"Dearest," he said, "I live upon my love for you." "Then," she coldly returned, "I suppose you've been eating cloves to throw others off the seent." And when he got outside he knew that the last words had passed between them.—Cleveland Leader.

Fond Wife—"What are you worrying about this evening?" Husband (a young lawyer)—"An important case.

My client is charged with murder, and I can't make up my mind whether to try to prove that the deceased was killed by some other man or is still slive."—New York Weekly.

Passenger (alighting from cab)—"What's the charge?" "One doller."

Passenger (alighting from cab)—
"What's the charge?" "One dollar."
"That's quite reusonable. I knew by
your face that you wouldn't try to be
extortionate." "Thankee! "I knew
by your face that you'd be too mean
to pay more than the legal fare without a law-suit."—New York Weekly.

Helen—"Oh week healways thought

ut a law-suit."—New York Weekly.

Helen—"Oh, yes; he always thought
the world of me. Before we were married he used to say he was willing to
die for me. Nellie—"But he didn't,
Helen--"Of course not. He was so
thoughtful, you know. He said that
he did not dare to do it lest I should
be unable to replace the loss."—
Household Words.

LONG DISTANCE RACE.

Louis Gimm, Who Has Ridden 486 Miles in 231-2 Hours.

Louis Gimm was born in Germany, but came to this country at an early age, and to all intents and purposes i an American. As such he has don more to popularize long distance cycle racing than any other wheelman in this country. Aug. 14 and 15, 1895, at Cleve-land, Ohio, he reduced all American records from nine to twenty-four hours, paced, by riding 452 miles 1,715 yards in "twice around the clock." Las September at the Coliseum in Chicago in competition, he created a new American record for one day's riding by covering 486 miles 1,157 yards 1 foot, ex



LOUIS GIMM.

eeding his former mark by 33 mile ceeding his former mark by 33 miles 1,195 yards and 2 feet. He did not ride the full twenty-four hours, thanks to the officials, who, guided by humane sentiments, had him withdrawn from the track at the expiration of twenty-three and one-half hours. Had not that been done it was probable that his half-conscious form would have had to be borne away by his attendants. Gimm's finish in that race was one of the most plitful sights that was ever beheld on a race track. He seemed to be a physical wreck. His eyes were glassy and his form limp.

al wreck. His eyes were glassy and his form limp.

One at the many wonders of the great Faris exposition of 1990 is to be a telescope of gigantic power. We hear from Paris, says the New York Herald, that the object lens is to be fifty-one inches in diameter, and that the huge instrument will bring the moon within an apparent distance from us of one mile. To accomplish this, however, the telescope must embody other new features than merely gigantic size, as reports from leading astronomical centers in the country show. For comparison's sake the diameters of the object glassies of the greatest telescope in the world are here given: The largest in existence is the Lick, whose object glass is thirty-six inches across. The second largest is at Pulkowa, Russia, with a glass of thirty inches. The third is at the University of Virginia, its glass being twenty-six inches. Harvard has the fourth largest, with a twenty-four inch glass, and the fifth in size belongs to Princeton College. The famous Yerkes telescope glass, the latest of the celebrated productions at Cambridge, Mass., is rated at forty inches diameter.

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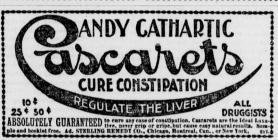
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