Miscellaneous.

Playing It on Mr. Fouchee.

'About the sharpest bit of gambling that I have seen for some time occurred up at our town a short while ago,' said a Lexington sport to a little crowd of congenial companions."

'You all know Earnest Fouchee. I guess every sport in Kentucky knows Earnest. He is the last man in the world to be picked up for a sucker. Well, a short time ago Earnest went to Chicago to lay in a supply of cards and chips for his poker room. He went to one of the big card houses and bought his goods. He gave directions were to send them and left. That evening he steered straight for home. He had hardly left the card store when two men came in and asked if Mr. Fouchee's package had been sent. The clerk replied that it had not, and they said that Fouchee had changed his mind about sending it, and as they were going to Lexington they would take charge of the cards. They asked what the bill was and paid it. Of course the clerk had no idea of any job, and as the men paid for the cards he let them take them off. The two men took the cards around to their rooms and marked them or put marked cards in their places. They then took the package down to the express office and left word there to have the goods sent to Lexington. They then got on board the first train and started for the Blue Grass capital. The sports of Lexington were surprised and dazzeled by the way the strangers spent their money. None of the poker players made their bets half so recklessly, and none of the faro players piled their chips up so carelessly. In two days they got rid of about $1,000. On Friday night the Chicago cards came, and Fouchee gathered a little party in his room to try the new stock. Luck ran towards the strangers, and as the night began to wane the piles of money in front of them grew steadily. At length, 10 o'clock Saturday morning, Earnest rose from the table. He had lost everything, and as the strangers counted over their winnings they found themselves $6,000 ahead. Fouchee doesn't keep a poker room now.'

How Fast They Stick Hogs in Chicago.—I arose early this morning and we saw a piebald pig grunting and snorting in his pen, a quarrelling member of a quarrelsome family. Now, what happened to that pig was this: He was suddenly seized by the hind leg and jerked upon a small crane. This swung him swiftly through the fatal door through which no pig ever returns. On the other side stood a man with a long, glittering knife in his hand. One plunge of the long cruel weapon in his fair fat neck, and the dead pig shot across a trough and through another doorway, and then there was a splash. He had fallen head first into a vat of boiling water. Some unseen machinery passed him along swiftly to the other end of the terrible bath, and there a waterwheel picked him up and flung him out on a sloping counter. Here another machine seized him, and with one revolution scraped him as bald as a nut, and down the counter he went losing his head as he slid past a man with a hatchet and then presto! he was up again by the heels. In another dreadful handful another man emptied him, and while another squirted him with water, the pig—registering his own weight as he passed the teller's box—shot down the steel bar from which he hung, and whirled around the corner into an ice house. One long cut of a knife made two 'sides of pork' out of that pie-bald pig. Two hacks of a hatchet brought away his backbone. And thus in 35 seconds from his last grunt—dirty, hot headed, noisy—the pig was hanging up in two pieces, cleaned, tranquilled, *iced*.

Think of it. That poor and most unfortunate porker, who, before he had quite made up his mind whether to resent the first liberty taken with his hind leg, was as dead as a door nail, and half a minute later was actually ready for the cook.

—In France a shopkeeper sells adulterated goods at his peril, and the buy is almost certain that when he pays for sugar he does not buy sand, and that his Johnny-cake is not made of a mixture of cornmeal and sawdust. In the goldsmith shops the articles are labelled and the imitation tells its own story and the genuine article its own quality and fineness. Adulteration of articles of consumption as food or medicine, is punished severely, and in a way which effectually prevents any repetition of the offence. A late case was of a druggest who was convicted of adulterating sulphate of quinine. He was sentenced to a year's imprisonment at hard labor, to pay a thousand francs in fine to have his name published in twelve political and twelve professional papers, and if he should ever again open his shop, to have the notice conspicuously posted on the door "Sentenced for adulterating sulphate of quinine." Such a notice would be equivalent to a prohibition of ever undertaking the drug business again, since it would frighten the boldest customer, and was the severest part of the sentence.

—Patti has been communicating a few personal reminiscences to the Paris *Figaro*. Among them are the following: 'Once during a performance of *Lenda*" she says, "I received a number of boquets, the last of which was composed very oddly. One of the flowers fell out on the stage, making a regular thud. It consisted of an enormous ball of lead, which, if it had been more firmly tied to the bouquet, must have struck me on the head. As it was, the bouquet hit my shoulder." On another occasion the curtain fell on Mme. Patti's head, and she was saved only by the fashion then prevailing of rolling up hair high upon her head; but it was not a mere accident. She has had matches put into the water she drinks, and has even received poisoned gloves with a request to let the maker call them by her name.

Agricultural.

Watering Horses.

One of the best agents in keeping the horse in good condition is water. It is commonly the practice to feed a thirsty horse first, watering him afterwards. The stupid groom has learned that horses will usually drink morefreely after feeding than before, hence he reasons that the horse should have water given him at the period when he will take the most. It saves trouble, too, if water is given at the time when most will be taken, for if a horse requires two pailfuls in a day, and will be take this amount at one drink, the attendant reasons that he may as well take it at once and have it over with. While it is proper to give the horse access to water while at his meal, upon a plan we will refer to farther on, still permiting a gorge of cold water to be taken into the stomach upon a full ration of grain and hay, in a measure interrupts digestion, by distending and chilling the stomach, diluting the gastric juice in too great a degree at the same time. Cold water taken before eating acts as a tonic, in the same manner that going from a warm room into a frosty atmosphere acts as an invigorator upon the whole system of man and beast alike. It is well known that hot water applied to the surface relaxes the tissues, while cold water used in the same manner, constringes, braces up, and gives tone. Hence it will readily be seen that as the effect is quite alike upon all tissues. The drinking of a large amount of warm water before a meal would relax the coats of the stomach, rendering its coats flabby, hence in a condition the opposite of that likely to give rise to an appetite for food. Therefore it is correct to give the horse cool water before feeding him. It is a better plan to keep water within reach of the horses at all times. By adopting this rule the horse will at no time take enough to chill the stomach, so to speak, but will, while eating his grain and hay, take just enough to moisten the dry hay, greatly promoting digestion thereby. A regular and continupus supply of water is required, that the stomach and small intestines be not required to throw out too abundantly of fluids to counteract the binding nature of a large ration of dry feed taken suddenly into the system. This is also required so that the refuse portions of food taken may pass more readily along the alimentary canal, the water keeping the feces in a duly softened condition, thus ahling in counteracting a tendency to hardened feces, and constipation, well known to be damaging to the spirits and to the energy, as well as to the enduring qualities of the horse. When a large amount of water is taken after a full meal, digestion is in a great measure suspended until the bulk of this water is disposed of, which is done mainly through a slow process called endosement, which plainly rendered means the passage of the superabundant water directly through the coats of the stomach, which are, very fortunately for such emergencies, to a degree, porous. What of the excess does not not escape in this way is hurried out by the route which the food takes in advance of the latter. It is true of the digestion of food as of the maceration and disolving of substances outside of the digestive organs and of the body, that warmth favors, and a cold solvent agent retards the process in either case.—*National Live Stock Journal.*

The Value of a Compost Heap.—The gardnerer and farmer are not apt to sufficiently appreciate the importance of gathering into heaps vegetable substances of all kinds to convert into manure. *Land and Water*, calling the attention of its readers to the subject, suggests the following plan for the compost receptacle:

In some convenient place lay down a sound floor or concrete, and have a roof to cover it, but open at the sides. Upon the floor collect weeds and every other kind of waste vegetable matter, road scrapings, border edgings, in fact the greater the variety and the more of it the better. Keep it moist (not over wet), and turn it over occasionally—at the same time a little salt may be sprinkled over it with great advantage. When sufficiently decomposed this will form a most valuable manure, highly rich in nitrogen in such a form as to be readily taken up by the crops. Use the liquid of cattle and the domestic liquid waste from the house, and it will surprise many what a store of good manure will soon accumulate.

Drying Pumpkins.—Pumpkins may be put up in the oldfashioned mode of cutting them into rings, paring and drying them on poles: or the may be cut in small pieces and dried on plates in the sun and oven. A better plan, however, is to pare, stew and strain them, just as if for pies; then spread the pulp on earthen dishes and dry quickly in a hot sun or partially heat-oven. If dried slowly there is danger of souring. Store in a dry room. Kept in this manner, they retain much of the freshness and flavor of newly gathered fruit. The dried pulp should be soaked in milk a few hours before using. In making pies they are greatly improved by stirring the pumpkins in scalding milk, especially if eggs be not used; but without eggs they fall far short of the true 'pumpkin pie.'—*Germantown Telegraph.*

Sand Crack.—Sir,—I have a valuable young horse that has got one of his front hoofs split from the hair half way down to the toe. My blacksmith put on a shoe with a clip that comes over the top of the hoof and tightens with a screw which I think will not let the crack go any lower down, but is of no use up next the top of the hoof. Please let me know if there is any remedy that will cause the hoof to grow together again.

A Subscriber.

In addition to the band round the foot you should get the farrier to cut away the hoof entirely from the coronet—the extreme upper edge of the wall, so that as the new horn grows it will prove solid and free from crack. Dress the whole foot with pine tar.—*Montreal Witness*

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Annapolis, Oct. 4th, 1882—1y

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
ALL persons having legal demands against the estate of DANIEL WOOD, late of Wilmot, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested to, within three months from this date, and all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment to
EDMUND WOOD, } Executors.
D. M. TAYLOR, }
Wilmot, July 1st, 1883. 3m

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Miles.	GOING EAST.	Express Daily.	Pas. and Freight Tue. Thurs. and Sat. only.	Passengers and Freight Daily.
		P.M.	A. M.	A. M.
0	Annapolis—leave	1 15	6 15	.....
6	Round Hill	1 40	6 40	.....
14	Bridgetown	2 03	7 10	.....
19	Paradise	2 19	7 40	.....
22	Lawrencetown	2 28	7 45	.....
28	Middleton	2 48	8 10	.....
32	Wilmot	3 00	8 20	.....
35	Kingston	3 09	8 40	.....
42	Aylesford	3 30	9 15	.....
47	Berwick	3 48	9 35	.....
59	Kentville—arrive	4 20	10 30	.....
	Do—leave	4 35	11 15	6 00
64	Port Williams	4 51	11 35	6 20
66	Wolfville	5 00	11 44	6 30
69	Grand Pre	5 11	11 57	6 43
			P. M	
77	Hantsport	5 38	12 30	7 12
84	Windsor	6 00	1 20	8 00
116	Windsor Junct	7 20	4 00	10 15
130	Halifax—arrive	8 00	4 40	11 00

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		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
0	Halifax—leave	7 15		2 30
14	Windsor Junc—leave	7 55	7 22	3 30
46	Windsor	9 15	10 15	5 23
53	Hantsport	9 40	10 44	6 01
61	Grand Pre	10 06	11 15	6 33
64	Wolfville	10 17	11 30	6 46
66	Port Williams	10 25	11 40	6 55
			P. M.	
71	Kentville—arrive	10 40	12 00	7 10
	Do—leave	11 00	12 30	
83	Berwick	11 36	1 20	
88	Aylesford	11 50	1 40	
		P. M.		
95	Kingsten	12 08	2 08	
98	Wilmot	12 18	2 20	
102	Middleton	12 30	2 50	
108	Lawrencetown	12 48	3 13	
111	Paradise	12 58	3 27	
116	Bridgetown	1 15	3 50	
124	Roundhill	1 40	4 20	
130	Annapolis—arrive	2 00	4 45	

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ADELIA ROBERTS,
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Torbrook, Nov. 5, '83.

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Notice of Sale.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that under and by virtue of a power of sale, contained in a certain indention of Mortgage, bearing date the second day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, duly Registered among the records of deeds and wills, for the said County of Annapolis, on the twelfth day of October, A. D. 1882, Lib. 79, Folio 660, 661, 662 of said Record, and made between Stephen Oicle, of Springfield, in the County of Annapolis, and Province of Nova Scotia, farmer, (the Mortgagor), of the one part, and the undersigned William Warwick of Law enectown in the County and province aforesaid, gentleman, (the Mortgagee,) of the other part. The e will for the purpose of satisfying the moneys secured by the Mortgage, default having been made in the payment of the principal and interest secured by the said Mortgage, will be sold at

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WILLIAM WARWICK.

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Barristers, Bridgetown, N. S.
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For the Ladies.

Cooking Notes.

If salmon is not put in the water in which it is to be boiled until the water is boiling, the meat will be nicer in every way. It will be firm, and keep its shape better.

An excellent recipe for muffins is here given. Four quarts of sifted flour; one teacupful of sugar, one teacupful of butter, one cup of yeast, four eggs, a little salt, and two quarts of sweet milk; let this rise all night after mixing thoroughly. Of course the quantity here mentioned can be reduced, keeping the same proportions. Bake in muffin-ring in a quick oven.

A very appetizing sauce to serve with broiled mackerel is made by melting a little butter, adding the juice of one lemon, and a teaspoonful of chopped parsley. This may be poured over the fish, or served in a bowl and added by each one at the table to his or her portion of fish. An authority on cooking recommends letting mackerel lie in enough milk to cover it for an hour before broiling; this to be done, of course, after the fish has been freshened over night in cold water.

For hygiene waffles take one quart of flour, one quart of sweet milk, five tablespoonfuls or about half a medium sized cup of yeast, at least one teaspoonful of salt. Mix well, and let it stand all night. In the morning stir in one tablespoonful of melted butter and two well beaten eggs. Bake in waffle-irons, and eat without fear or pain or distress.

Scotch cakes are economical as far as eggs are concerned, and, if made with care, will melt in the mouths of children. To one pound of flour allow half a pound of butter, and a quarter of a pound of sugar; let the butter stand in a basin near the fire to soften, but not melt; when soft, rub it and the flour together; then knead in the sugar. Roll out in a sheet half an inch thick; cut out cakes about two inches square; bake until they are a light brown. Put them away in a stone jar, and they will in a day or two gather moisture enough to be soft.—*N. Y. Witness.*

Hints for Furnishing Farm Houses.—Many farmers' wives and daughters have an instinctive sense of beauty in regard to the adornment of their homes, yet feel that their income is too limited to do anything. But if they look around for what nature will freely supply, they will be surprised at the transformation which can be easily wrought in rooms that before seemed dull and plain. Ferns gathered in summer, and leaves in autumn, pressed, and pinned on the wall in irregular sprays, beginning at the cornice, look very graceful. Let white tarlton, costing eighteen or twenty cents a yard, be cut in white strips about half a yard wide and tacked over parlor and sitting room windows for lambrequins. On these pin some brilliant autumn leaves scattered here and there carelessly with perhaps a border of ferns, and you will be astonished at the fairy-like appearance presented. I remember gathering great quantities of ferns while staying one summer at a New England rural home, and the satirical remark of the farmer, that 'he wished he could turn all the Philadelphia ladies loose into his field and have them pull up all the 'brakes.'' But even this practical man was impressed by the arrangement above described.—*American Agriculturist.*

A Shelf Lambrequin.—If you have a rough, uncouth shelf in your kitchen or sitting room, first cover the top neatly with some dark, smooth cloth; then take a strip of dark but bright double faced Canton flannel about eight inches in depth (more or less, according to length and width of shelf), and long enough to reach across the front of the shelf and around at either end; paste a pretty, contrasting stripe of cretonne through the centre, any stitch it on with the machine: hem the lower edge of the flannel, and finish with as pretty a worsted fringe as you can afford; bring the upper edge up over the edge of the board and make fast with minute iron tacks, and you will have not only a convenient receptacle for lamps, books, or vases of flowers, but an addition to the furnishing of your room in the shape of a very artistic and eye pleasing shelf.

Brilliants.

For life is one, and in its warp and woof
There runs a thread of gold that glitters fair,
And sometimes in the pattern shows most sweet
Where there are sombre colors. It is true
That we have wept. But oh! this thread of gold.
We would not have it tarnish; let us turn
Oft and look back upon the wondrous web,
And when it shineth sometimes we shall know
That memory in possession.—*Jean Ingelow.*

The Pilgrim spirit has not fled,
It walks in noon's broad light;
And it watches the bed of the glorious dead,
With the holy stars by night;
And it watches the bed of the glorious dead,
With their holy stars by night;
It watches the bed of the brave who have bled,
And shall guard this ice-bound shore,
Till the waves of the bay, where the Mayflower lay,
Shall foam and freeze no more.
John Pierpont.

I call that people blest which in its manhood's time,
Still keeps the memory green of young life's golden prime,
Which, ever born again, its old life doth not lose,
But still from its own soil in higher form renews. —*Wisdom of the Brahmin.*

Let us, then, be what we are, and speak what we think, and in all things
Keep ourselves loyal to truth, and the sacred professions of friendship.
—*Longfellow.*

Through the hush'd air the whitened shower decends,
At first thin wavering, till at last the flakes
Fall broad, and wide, and fast, dimming the day,
With a continuous flow. The cherished fields
Put on their winter robe of purest white.
—*Thomson.*

—A set of doylies or small fancy napkins, worked with a pretty design of fruit in the centre, makes a pretty Christmas gift.

Joker's Corner.

Sitting Down on Him.

'I don't altogether like this young man Millikin who comes to see you so often. I hear he is nothing but a poor dry goods clerk,' is what the head of the family said to his daughter one day at the dinner table.

'He is a very nice young gentleman,' replied the daughter, 'besides he is something more than a poor dry-goods clerk.' He gets a large salary and is manager of one of the departments, and expects some day to have an interest in the business.'

'I hope he may,' responded the old man, 'but he strikes me as a very flippant, impertent young person, and in my opinion he should be sat down upon.'

'Well, I have invited him to take tea with us this evening,' said the daughter, 'and I hope you will treat him politely at least. You will find him a different person from what you supposed him to be.'

'Oh, I'll treat him politely enough,' he said.

That evening Mr. Millikin appeared at supper, and made a most favorable impression upon the old gentleman. 'He is a clever young fellow, after all,' he thought. 'I have done him an injustice.'

It was just here that Bobby spoke out. Bobby was a well-meaning little boy, but too talkative.

'Papa,' he ventured, 'you know what you said to-day at dinner about Mr. Millikin, that he was an impertinent young man and ought to be sat down upon——.'

'Silence, sir!' shouted the father, swallowing a mouthful of hot potato.

But the little boy wouldn't silence, 'It's all right,' he continued, confidently, but in a whisper loud enough to be heard out of doors, 'he *has* been sat down upon. Sister sat down upon him last night for two hours.'

After this the dinner went on more quietly, owing to Bobby's sudden and very jerky departure.

Encouraging a Tramp.

A tramp who had asked a citizen of Jersey City for a cash lift was met with the reply: 'Sir! I began life on thirty cents and am now worth $50,000, and no man ever gave me a cent in my life.' 'And I, sir,' added a second citizen, 'have made a fortune of $40,000 by my down unaided efforts.' 'While I,' modestly remarked a third, 'began life as a shoeblack, and now live on the interest of my money.' Gentlemen,' said the tramp, as he looked from one to the other, 'I thank you. You have planted new courage in my fainting heart. I will begin this very hour to amass a competency. Which of you can post me on how to fail in business and get my start by beating my creditors?' One man gulped down something and entered a grocery. The second grew red in the face and said he had to see a man. The third grew a shade paler, made a ghastly attempt to laugh, and dropped a cent on the walk and got away while the tramp was hunting for it.

—The late Judge Black had one of those 'ears for music' that cannot tell one tune from another. Once he heard his daughter Becky, who is a fine pianist, play a piece that pleased him, and enquired its title. She replied that it was 'Lucy Neal,' and the Judge ever after declared it to be his favorite. Whenever Becky would be playing for visitors the Judge would say, 'Now, Becky, give us my favourite, 'Lucy Neal,'' and Becky, slyly winking at the guests, would play 'Old Dan Tucker' or 'Old Hundred.' As she concluded the Judge would tip back in his chair and exclaim: 'That's my favorite!' and would wonder what the people were laughing at.

—'My Grandmother,' says Hugh Boyd in his most entertaining 'Reminiscences of Fifty Years,' 'once awoke my grandfather in the middle of the night, and told him that she much feared their son Willie who slept in the next room to them had become deranged, as she had been listening to him for some time talking loudly and rapidly to himself. Her husband listened, and they forthwith hurried into their boy's bedroom to know what was the matter. Willie's explanation was that, as they were going to the seaside next day, he wished to save time, and was saying his prayers over and over to last him during the holidays.

His Turn Again.—'I heered on the streets dat Sam Johnson gib you a kick las' night?' 'He did fur a fac.' Ise suffering from de effec' ob it yit.' 'Hey?' 'Why didn't yer kick him back?' 'Bakase dat was nobody dar but us two.' 'I don't see no sense in dat ar.' 'Yer don't? Well I does. Dar being only two of us present, of I had kicked him back, deu hit would hab been my turn to be kicked agin right off.'—*Texas Siftings.*

—'Lay off your overcoat or you won't feel it when you go out,' said a landlord of a western inn to a guest who was sitting by the fire. 'That's what I'm afraid of,' returned the man. 'The last time I was here I laid off my overcoat. I didn't feel it when I went out, and I havn't felt it since.'

—The body of a fox was found near Newport the other day after a fashionable hunting party had returned from the chase. The verdict of the corner's jury was, 'Died from fatty degeneration of the tissues, caused by lack of exercise.'

'I'm glad Billy had the sense to marry a settled old maid,' said Grandma Winkham at the wedding. 'Girls is hity tity and widders is kinder overrulin and upsettin