

bet me a pint. I can't prove that two of these yur prongs be furdur apart than t'others!"

"Ees fay will I, or a gallon if thee likes," cried Harry, laughing.

"Then," said Job, taking one of the outside prongs in his right hand, "these yur prong be furdur from that prong"—here he took in his left hand the other outside one—"than he is from heither one of t'others, now bain't he?" and Job looked triumphantly around.

There was a loud laugh at Harry's discomfiture, which seemed somewhat unfair, as all the company had been taken in as well as he; but he was the only one rash enough to bet. However, he had not to pay, as the landlord, declaring he would not allow betting in his house, magnanimously stood Job the pint.

"Where did 'ee get thickey evil too," asked John. "He looks as tho' he hadn't done much work eet."

"Nor won't neither, zo long as Job hath 'un," added the carpenter, getting the laugh on his side by this little sally.

"Geddout, 'Arry," exclaimed Job, "I only bought 'un yesterday, and I've dood more good work wi' 'un already than thee'st dood all the week. I sticked a furt old haidgyboar most zo big as thy haid, and wi' all so much zence inide un; he won't zuck no more cow's milk, I wat'nt."

"Nasty varmint they be, sure enough," said one of the company, whose velvetens proclaimed his profession. "'Tis terrible funny how they hincrase, zeeing that haidgyboars don't bear no young."

"What's thee mean, keeper, they has young zame as other creatures, don't mun?"

"No, they don't, I tell 'ee, and that I knows for zertain."

"What do mun do then," inquired Job, "lay haigs?"

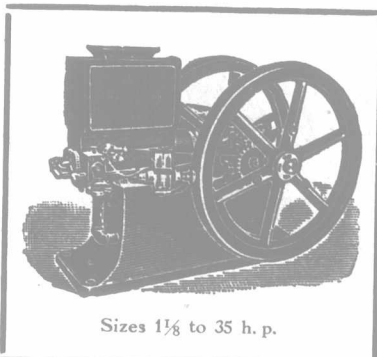
"No, my son, they don't lay haigs," said the keeper, "and since you'm so hignorant I'll instruct 'ee. The haidgyboar don't bear young, but the sow doth."

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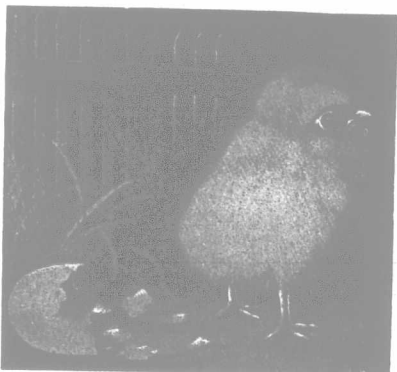
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"All zorts of sticks," said Stevens, shortly.

"Noi they only use two zorts," asserted Job.

"Get along with 'ee, I know better'n that; I've zeed mun breaking off bits of beech, and hoak, and hash, and sycamore, too, and carry mun to their nesteses."

"Rooks honly use two zorts of sticks," repeated Job dogmatically, "and that I can kiss the Book to."

"Well, what zort of sticks be mun, then?"

"Straight sticks and crooked sticks, and no others," said Job, with a very solemn countenance, "and I zim that keeper, being a keeper, ought to ha' knowed it."

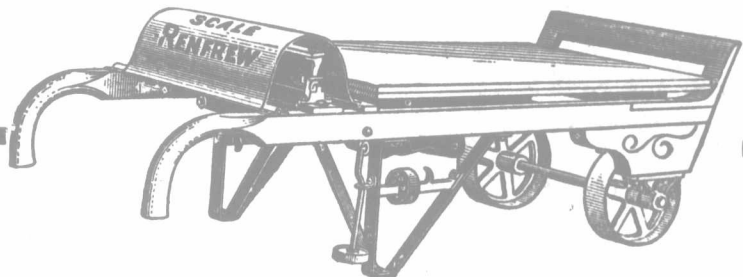
The latter, rather a surly individual, was evidently annoyed; and as it is always to the interest of farmers and workmen of a sporting turn of mind to be on good terms with the gamekeeper, a grimaced old man, commonly called, as I afterwards gathered, Foxie Jack, tried to give the conversation a more pleasant turn.

"I zeed you a-shutting on the warren this forenoon, Mr. Stevens, when I wor working to Grange; and I zaid to Jan Reddaway that I'd never zeed prettier sport. A rabbit you virod to come awhizzing droo the vearns (ferns) home by me. He wor travelling like a hexpress train; frighted most to death, he was."

"Ah, I believe I did miss one," said the keeper; "but he went like the vert same, twisting and turning, as Foxie saith. I reckon he was an old customer I've a-shot at before to-day."

"I reckon not," said Job in an undertone, which, however, reached the keeper's ears, as it was doubtless intended to do. He turned sharply upon the speaker, and demanded:

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