## Who is Your Doctor.

BY REV. T. A. RIDDER.

Of the many physicians of note,
Who practice from day to day—
Of the wise old heads,
And the hearts that feel—
Of the searching eyes,
And the nerves of steel—
Who is your doctor, pray?

Who tempers your flying pulse?
Who quiets your throbbing brain?
Who mildly endures
Your obstinate will,
As he orders your drugs,
And—makes out his bill?
Ah, the question seems in vain!

Yes the question is in vain,
For "men are of many minds,"
The world is large,
And the world is strange,
Given to moods
And given to change,
Like the sea or the doubtful winds.

But the world turns round and says:
"Why shall my doctor be?"
"Who shall I call?"
Says the man or wife;
"Who shall I trust
With my precious life,
When the doctors can't agree?"

Ah, "there is the rub," you see—
Though drugs are good in their way—
If you now but ask
For a friend's advice,
It shall come forth with,
And end in a trice,
And I shall have had "my say."

Drink plenty of God's good air,
And plenty of water pure;
From fiery drinks
And from wines abstain;
On Heaven-sent food
Live well and plain,
For this is the best life cure.

And this is not all, my friend,
That I would prescribe for you;
Keep the body clean
And the conscience clear,
And of honest toil
Have no holy fear—
Thus be your own doctor, true!

## ODDS AND ENDS.

"Sally, what time do your folks dine?" "Soon as you go away—that's missus' orders."

When was England to be bought cheapest—When Richard the Third offered his kingdom for a horse.

California housewives describe soda as "that are stuff which you put in biscuits to make 'em get up and Grecian bend themselves."

There are some men so exquisitely selfish that they go through life not only without ever being loved, but without even wishing to be.

What is the difference between a prize-fighter and the leader of a forlorn hope? —One attacks the head, and the other heads the attack.

A pupil in one of the public schools recently revised an old saying found in his grammar as follows: "It is better to give than to receive—a good licking."

NOTIONS OF NOBILITY.—A man of birth is commonly one whose remote ancestor did something, and his immediate predecessors, for many centuries, nothing at all.—*Punch.*

ADVICE GRATIS.—Two things you should never borrow: Trouble, and a copy of the SIGNAL. The former will be sure to come; the latter can be had for the paltry sum of five cents.

A western paper describing the effects of a terrible storm, observed, "that it shattered mountains, tore up oaks, dismantled churches, laid whole villages waste, and overturned a hog-pen."

"Why don't you wheel that barrow of coal along more lively, Ned?" asked a coal-dealer of his hired man. "It's not a very hard job—there is an inclined plane to relieve you." "Ay, master," quoth the man, who had more relish for wit than work, "the plane may be inclined, but hang me if I am."

An artist who has painted a portrait of a gentleman noted for his frequent libations, invited the gentleman's friends to see it. One of them, who was rather near-sighted, approaching it too closely, the artist in alarm exclaimed, "Don't touch it; it isn't *dry*." "No use looking at it then," replied the gentleman. "It can't be my friend."

A lazy dyspeptic was bewailing his own misfortunes, and speaking with a friend on the latter's hearty appearance. "What do you do to make yourself so strong and healthy?" inquired the dyspeptic. "Live on fruit alone," answered the friend. "What kind of fruit?" "The fruit of industry; and I am never troubled with indigestion."

A little girl was sent to the pasture to drive home the cow. While thus engaged she treated herself to climbing an unnecessary fence, from which she fell, and was severely scratched and bruised. On returning home she was asked if she cried when she fell. "Why no," she replied; "What would have been the use? There was nobody to hear me."

That was a good, though rather severe, pun which was made by a student in a theological seminary (and he was none of the brightest of the class either,) when he asked: "Why is Prof.——the great revivalist of the age?" and, on all giving it up, said, "Because, at the close of every sermon, there is a great awakening."

A sign-painter recently decorated the side of a new house in an English town with these words in staring capitals:—"Mrs. Brown, dealer in all sorts of Ladies." The town was in a tumult of wonder as to what might be the nature of such a business until the painter, recovering from a week's illness, finished his work by adding, "and Gentlemen's Wearing Apparel."

The Rev. Dr. Smart, minister of the Secession Church, Stirling, thus accosted a clerical brother, detected of plagiarism:—"I hear you have become a Sabbatarian." "Have I not always been so?" responded the person addressed. "Oh, you have got beyond us all," was the reply; "for I hear you neither think your own thoughts, nor speak your own words on that holy day."

Boswell once asked Johnson if there was no possible circumstances under which suicide would not be justifiable. "No," was the reply. "But," said Boswell, "suppose a man had been guilty of some fraud that he was certain would be found out?" "In that case," said Johnson, "let him go to some country where he is not known, and not to the devil where he is known."

A school girl in one of the rural districts of Pittsfield was overheard trying to convince a school-fellow that she liked him better than she did some other urchin of whom he seemed jealous. "Of pouse I like you better than I do Bill," said she, "for don't I mine words in my spelling lesson on purpose, so as to be down to the foot of the class where you are."

A friend, visiting in a minister's family, where the parents were very strict in regard to the children's Sabbath deportment, was confidentially informed by one of the little girls that "she would like to be a minister." "Why?" inquired the visitor, rather puzzled to understand what had given the child so sudden an admiration for that calling. She was quickly enlightened by the prompt reply: "So I could holler on Sunday!"

"Madame," said a very polite traveler to a testy old landlady, "if I see proper to help myself to this milk, is there any impropriety in it?" "Sir—I won't know what you mean, but if you think for a minute that there is anything nasty in the milk, I'll give you to understand that you have struck the wrong house. There isn't a cleaner cow than mine, and in Dorothy Ann told me that the cat was drowned in the milk, I want straight and strained it over." The young man fainted.

Max Adeler says they tell a story about a man who put the saddle kind part formed upon his horse while in a state of distress, occasioned by fire-water. Just as he was about to mount, a German friend came up and told him to hold on a minute, because the saddle was on wrong and wanted adjusting, and, however, he was sober at the intruder, as if in deep thought, and then said: "You let that saddle alone. How in thunder do you know which way I am going? And the gentleman from Germany went on.

## THE FARM.

### Improve your Farm and Farming:

Every agriculturist, however large or small the domain which he has to till, or of which he has the oversight, ought to resolve every year to make a decided advance in his farming and in the value and appearance of his farm. The idea of merely digging a living out of the ground without regard to the manner in which it is done, or the state in which the soil is left after each successive crop, or the real and market value of the ground, is beneath an intelligent being. There is nothing that we do, or with which we have to do, that is not susceptible of improvement, and it should be the ambition of every one, whatever his business, and not least, of every one who is engaged in the ancient and honourable occupation of farming, to be constantly improving upon the past in the work of the present and the future. Good taste, duty to society and self-interest, all combine in spurring him on in the march of progress.

The farms of this country very generally, unlike those of old countries which have been cultivated for centuries, need a great amount of actual clearing—not the removal of timber, which on the contrary requires cultivation and renewal—but in the way of removing brush and rubbish of various kinds. The adornment of farms by the removal of blemishes has been greatly neglected in the pressing struggle for immediate returns. But it is not at all unworthy of any farmer to have an eye to the general appearance of his land and buildings and fences.

If he has not taste to admire these things himself (and any one who has not should be ashamed of it), he will find it to his account, when he come to sell, to have looked after them. No one in buying overlooks the general aspect of the farm. This strikes the eye at once, and so affects the price. Every one, too, should have regard to the claims of good neighbourhood, and should feel it his duty to gratify public taste by such improvements and adornments as strike the eyes even of the passers by.

But beneath the surface there is a work to be done constantly, in bringing the soil and every part of the farm up to a higher degree of fertility from year to year. It cannot all be done at once, but it should all be done, and it may be done by devoting special attention and labour and expense, now to this portion and now to that, and by degrees going through the whole.

This month of January is the very month in which to begin the work of improvements. The first part of the process is to have a plan which shall reach through the year and into future years, and just at this season every farmer has more or less leisure which he can profitably devote to a general supervision of his farm, a study of its needs and capabilities, and to a systematic arrangement of the work that is to be done when the season for more active work shall open. Nothing is wanting on farms in general more than system—a settled plan covering the farm and covering the year. Now is the time to arrange it, and so to begin the work of universal improvement.—*Observer.*

POTATOES FOR SEED.—The following are the ideas of an old farmer in Maine on seed potatoes, as given in the Lewiston *Journal*:—We use too ripe seed when we propagate from tubers that have lain in the ground till dead ripe. Plants that are propagated by tubers require different treatment from those propagated by seeds. Our corns and grains that we use for seed we like to have stand a little longer than the main crop, and become perfectly matured. On the same principle our corn is selected from the ripest, best developed ears and kernels. Put potatoes in a cool dark cellar, just as soon as a majority of them will slightly crack open in boiling. This is most invariably while the tops are yet green and growing fast. The tubers are then in their most vigorous state. Disconnect them from the parent stalk at that time and that they retain their vigor. Instead of deteriorating, as most all of us know the older sorts have, their vitality is increased, and they yield better, with less tendency to rot. As long ago as 1815, and subsequently, observations led him to make some experiments to test the theory, and he finds it the proper course to pursue. Is is not often said that the late planted potatoes are better for seed than those planted early? The lateness of their planting, presumedly, prevents perfect ripening, hence the principle of the above reasoning would be in force.

HOW CLOVER IMPROVES THE SOIL.—Professor Voelcher, the eminent agriculturist, thus explains how clover improves the fertility of the soil:—All who are practically acquainted with the subject must have seen that the best crops of wheat are produced by being preceded by crops of clover grown from seed. I have come to the conclusion that the very best preparation, the very best manure, is a good crop of clover. A vast amount of mineral manure is brought within reach of the corn crop, which otherwise would remain in a lock up condition of the soil. The clover plants take nitrogen from the atmosphere, and manufacture it into their own substance, which, on decomposition of the clover roots and leaves, produces abundance of ammonia. In reality, the growing of the clover is equivalent, to a great extent, to manuring with Peruvian guano; and in this paper of mine I show you that you obtain a larger quantity of manure than in the largest dose of Peruvian guano which a farmer would ever think of applying. It is only by carefully investigating subjects like the one under consideration that positive proofs are given, showing the correctness of intelligent observers in the field.

COOKING FOOD FOR STOCK.—The advantage of cooking food for stock, especially milch cows and young stock, is fast becoming one of the settled questions in agriculture. We hardly know a dairyman who does not pour boiling water over his cut hay and meal or bran, even if he does not cook it by steaming. It is found to economize feed, to increase the flow of milk, and promote appetite. Cows will eat much more of cut hay and feed steamed or moistened with boiling water, than they will of dry food; and we hold it is the true policy of the dairyman to induce his cows to eat as much as possible, as the more they take in by way of food, the more will be given out in the form of milk. To stint cows at all in an ample supply of proper food to keep up nutrition, and promote milk secretion, can only be called "a penny wise and pound foolish" policy. It will not pay. When roots are also boiled or steamed, the nutritive matter they contain is more fully developed, and the same weight of roots produces larger results, both in the condition of the cow and in her milk secretion.—*Practical Farmer.*

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EFFECTS OF INSANITY.—A young man named Mitchell, a resident of the town ship of Huron, made several attempts to destroy himself within the last few days. Yesterday morning he tried to hang himself, but was prevented, and in the evening in an attempt to commit suicide, cut off his hand above the wrist, with one blow of an axe. Drs. Secord and Ross put the unfortunate man under the influence of chloroform, and amputated the arm further up. The man is in consciousness, is well educated, and well connected. He was at one time a resident of this town, and was highly respected. The cause of his insanity is unknown. An effort will be made to place him in the asylum.—*Review.*


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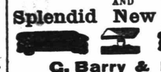

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Goderich, 10th June, 1872,

Referring to the above Notice, the GODERICH FOUNDRY AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY beg to inform the public that they are prepared to contract for
*STEAM ENGINES AND BOILERS, FLOUR, GRIST & SAW MILLS, SAWING MACHINES, &c.*
On Hand
*IRON AND WOODEN PLOUGHS*, with steel boards, *GANG PLOUGHS, CULTIVATORS, STRAW CUTTERS, &c.,*
*SUGAR AND POTASH KETTLES, GRATE BARS, WAGGON BOXES, &c., COOKING, PARLOR & BOX STOVES* of various kinds.
SALT PANS Made to Order.
-ALSO-
Iron and Brass Castings, and Blacksmith Work.
BOILERS AND SALT PANS REPAIRED on short notice,
Twenty to thirty Horse-power Tubular Boilers
Generally on hand for Sale.
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ROBERT RUNCIMAN, General Manager.
HORACE HORTON, President.
GEORGE NIEBERGALL, Manager Agricultural Department.
ARCHIBALD HODGE, Secretary and Treasurer.
Goderich, Ont., 10th June, 1872. 1025

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Added largely to their Manufacturing Machines.
And all having been entirely refitted,
Are now Prepared to Execute Orders
In Tweeds, Full Cloth, Satinette, Flannels, Winceys, Blankets, Horse Covers, Stocking Yarns, &c., &c
WITH GREATER DESPATCH, OF MORE DURABILITY, and Neater in Pattern Than Formerly.
They would also call attention to
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For which their machinery is specially adapted. Parties coming from a distance with wool to get carded, by leaving the same with Mr. D. Ferguson, Merchant, Goderich, can rely on getting their rolls home with them the same day. Those wishing to exchange their wool for goods will find it to their interest to give the wheel here a call.
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Scales repaired promptly and reasonably
For sale, also, Trescinner's Coffee and Drug Mills, Composition Bells, all sizes Letter Presses, &c., &c.
THE MOST PERFECT
ALARM CASH DRAWER.
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AS YOU GO TO THE POST OFFICE
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for the sale of which he is the agent in Goderich. He has on hand a very large stock of this reliable timekeeper which he can sell cheap, and to guarantee satisfaction to the purchaser. There is nothing more tantalizing than a bad watch and there is no watch that can be with us at all, when the RUSSELL is to be had cheap.
☞ A complete assortment of gold and plated jewellery, Watches and Clocks repaired in a workmanlike manner. Call and See Us.
DOUGLASS MCKENZIE,
Goderich, March 20th, 1871

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ABRAHAM SMITH.
Goderich, 11th Oct. 1871.

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MARBLE CUTTING WORKS,
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Tombstones,
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at the best rates and workmanship and on reasonable terms.
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