or two, and finally got to going hard against

he left hand and expectorated violently after every bid. As the contest waxed somewhat energetic, Burns reached for his pocketbook. His fingers ran down and down into his trousers pocket until they slid into a good big hole. The pocketbook was gone. You, who have found holes in your pockets where wallets ought to be, can, in some measure, appreciate

Burns's feelings. He stopped bidding, and while the redwhiskered man, still expectorating, was paying down an installment on the heifer, Burn shed forward through the crowd and got the auctioneer's ear. The functionary list ened intently. Then he arose erect once more, and in his professional drone commen

"This gentleman informs me that be has He offers a reward of \$10 for its return.

"I'll give twenty," broke in a voice in the

"Thirty," cried another. "Thirty five," came in determined tones from the red- whiskered man. "That was beyond what I could afford," says Burns, "and so I came away and left them bidding on it."-Lewiston (Me.) Jour-

The Heat Cure. Medical journals occasionally take up the method has not met with extreme favor be cause of errors in applying it. This form of alleviating pain and curing disease is by no means new, having been successfully prac-The heat must be extremely dry to have the best effect. Steam or moisture is incom patible with success, for as soon as a sufficiently high temperature is reached the One of the best and simplest ways to apply dry heat is to fill bottles or cans with boi ing water, wrap them in pieces of cloth and place them as near to the patient as can be borne. Neuralgia, rheumatism and digestlike magic under this treatment. All that as required. They must be absolutely water tight, and not a drop of moisture mus touch the wrappings, as this would create the steam which is so objectionable. Con been removed at once by this means .- New

Dr. Lyman Abbott on Books. Almost all families have books: few fami lies have a library. I put in here, wrote Dr. Lyman Abbott several years ago, a plea for a library in every household, and, as a foundation for the library, a cyclopedia. I place in order of importance in the fam-ily, for its literary food, in the formation of a library, the articles of diet as follows:

Firt-a Bible. Second a dictionary. Get the unabridged if you can afford it, but a smaller edition i

better than none. Third-a good weekly newspaper tha gives, comprehensively and fairly, the news of the week.

After these are purchased you may pro perly consider the purchase of other books,

but not before.

A Hint as to Teeth. People who are the victims of sensitive eth that crumble and acquire cavities read ily may do much toward checking this dental bottle of milk and magnesia should be kept on the washstand and each night, after brushing the teeth just before retiring, some of it should be held in the mouth for a minute, that it may reach each side of every tooth By this process a coating of the magnesia is formed over the sensitive enamel, which is that form in the mouth during sleep. The magnesia will remain on the teeth for three or four hours. Washing the mouth with a solution of bicarbonate of soda after eating dentists, as the soda, like the magnesia counteracts the injurious effect of the acid

Be Content. If the sun shines now, be grateful and con tented. Suppose it did rain yesterday, or

suppose we are to have a blizzard to-morrow You have got beyond the rain on the one hand, and on the other the time has not com to meet the blizzard. It is foolish to make yourself miserable now because you were miserable a few days ago or because you may be miserable a few days hence. One duty is any enjoyment to be had, take it with an eager grasp, for if you sit in the warm sunshine for only five minutes it helps you to bear the cold of the next five minutes. It is by worrying about the other five minutes .-

A Penny for a Priceless Book.

A workingman purchased for a penny an aged-looking volume, bearing date, 1540. attempt, apparently in disgust, and the volune was relegated to the cupboard. A friend of his happened to see the book and took it to the British Museum authorities, who promptly made an offer of £90 -the highest sum the librarian is allowed to expend withhave stood out for more, as the authorities would have paid almost any price rather than allow the volume to slip through their fingers. It was, in fact, the first book printed by Guttenberg, and was therefore almost

Clear Ice May be Dangerous.

One of the hardest things to convince one of the hardest things to convince most people of is that what looks to be clear, limpid iee may contain very dangerous impurities. One of the effects of freezing is to exclude such large and solid impurities as soil and other sediments. But this does not by any means guarantee that it is free from bacteria, which swarm in all impure water and are only made dormant by being frozen in ice. It is never safe to put ice in drinking water. If it is placed around a metal vessel filled with water it will cool it fit for drinking and with less waste of ice for the heat taken from the water than if the ice were put into it.

over a Jersey heifer, Burns chipped in a bid that a plow or spade will not reach them. The roots of growing vines or fruit trees a red-whiskered man who carried a whip in will soon find this mine of fertility, and will feed on the elements that will greatly pro-mote the growth of healthy wood and the developement of fair and luscious fruit.

are just as valuable as ground bone, although

brough the kitchen and bury them where hey will be turned to some profit.

Dairying Dots.

Never wash the dairy utensils at the well, for such a practice is sure to pollute the

Do not let the cows shrink too much in milk during late autumn, for it will take half the winter to get them back to a full flow. The chances are they will not be profitable In some cases buttermilk is held in filthy SORTS?

essels at the creameries, and in those still worse at the farm. When this product un lergoes a putrefactive fermentation, it should not be used even for pig-feeding. The butter bowl is another thing to b

carefully guarded. It is doubtful if wood butter but until there is something better. the bowl must be used. Bowl and ladle should be vigorously rubbed with salt very often, if not every time they are used, and à time as possible.

Many factorymen wonder why their chees or butter is not as fig flavored as that made in a neighboring factory, the quality of the places. Often such lack of the really fine lavor which a prime quality of cheese butter should have is traceable directly t he unsanitary conditions in and about the

milk once a day, an important responsibility rests. The reputation of the factory is largely in his hands, and also the amount of his own dairy returns. He is only earning noney for his own pocket by taking the most crupulous care of his milk. First, being aerated, if it stands in the delivery can over ight, the cream should be separated from he edges of the vessel in the morning and gently reincorporated with the milk. Morning's milk should not be mixed with the night, but should be carried to the factory n a separate can. Whey, whether sour or sweet, should not be carried from the factory to the farm in cans that have just conveyed

How to Make Bad Butter.

Mrs E. R. Wood tells, in the Jersey Bul in, what she would do to make poor butter. What she would do, agrees so well with what some people are doing, that we give it place

"I am not aware that I ever made any poor butter, and for nearly a score of years, butter, from my hands has brought 25 cent or more a pound, the year round, which is I think, evidence of merit. However, were I o set out to make poor butter, the first thing I should do would be to let the milk (if se n pags) stand until it was -covered with white spots, and the next would be to allow

the cream to remain until it was a mass of ermentation, before churning. Then, if th hermometer showed above 70 degrees, when serted in the cream, and the churn smelled iccidedly cheesy, I should know I was on the right track. When the butter had come" in a soft "squashy" mass, I would take it out of the churp, and make a feint after only half getting out the buttermilk, pack it away. There would be streaks and nottles caused by insufficiently incorporating the salt, the remaining buttermilk would soon become rancid (for what more quickly mold spores in the cream (in other words the bacteria) would begin to get in their work,

and I would have poor butter in a very short

Choosing a Location. The nearer a poultry man can get to his adopted market, where he disposes of his fresh eggs, poultry, etc., the better, for obbest to keep out of city limits, as in a small town or village land is much cheaper, taxes are lower, and there are less restrictions that without getting into it and have an eye to good, easy roads connecting your plant with your market. Time is money, and it is exare all that should be necessary. Then, as to site, highness and dryness are of principal importance. Cold is not nearly as bad and unhealthy for fowls as dampness, the fosterer houses if possible upon high and dry hills or knolls, with sandy or gravelly soil and free,

-Experiments recently made have shown that eggs are rendered highly unpalatable by being kept in brine, owing to the strong taste of salt imparted to them. Packing in bran. paper or wood ashes does not prevent their going bad, while a coating of parraffine, wax, isinglass, collodion or varnish has proved equally a failure. The only successful treatment appears to be to coat the eggs with this means they can be kept perfectly good and without any traces of staleness for as

terial developement, and nearly all diseases —Scrofula, hip disease, salt rheum, dys.

pepsia and other diseases due to impure blood are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

have their orgin in germ life, and consequently sickness results, in many instances, where it is least expected. have their orgin in germ life, and consequentSlow Piano Practice

Why He Didn't Bid Up.

THE PLIGHT OF A MAN WHO HAD A WEAK-NESS FOR AUCTION SALES.

There was a red flag out in front of a farm house up in the Swift River region in Ox ford the other day when Borns was driving paet the place. He can never get by an auction sale. There is something about a bargain at vendue that strikes him just where he lives. So Burns hitched his horse and stopped on the outskirts of the crowd. He remembered that at the last auction he attended, he bought two pod augers and an ox yoke, and this time he steeled himself lest he might commit similar egregiouenese. In fact he concluded that he would not bid at all.

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The roots of growing views or fault tree.

How to Use Waste Bones.

The bones of fish and fowl, and the large and small pieces of bones which are bought in tree bought with beefsteak and mutton, constitute the with beefsteak and mutton, constitute the store bought with beefsteak and mutton, constitute the with bard safe provides the bard of firsh and fowl, and the large and small pieces of bones which are bongs and mutton, constitute the with bard safe played, and the large and small pieces of bones which are bongs and grapevines if the fragments are only placed where the incompact of the muscular action. When the passage has been played, say, ten times in this manner without the slightest variation from the correct order of notes, figering, touch and sha quicker results if the passage in hand be memorized and thought out away from the piano before practising it upon the instru-

The Danger of Paint.

developement of fair and luscious fruit.

Many horticulturists and farmers buy bone-dust costing not less than \$20 per ton, simply to enrich the soil around and beneath their vines and trees. Fragments of bones are just as yaluable as ground bone, although yare buried three or four feet from a grapevine, the countless numbers of mouths at the
ends of roots will soon disolve, take up and
appropriate every particle.

When sast out of the kitchen door, bones
are a nuisance, but if properly used, they
become a source of valuable fertility.
Let every person who owns a grapevine
r fruit tree save all the ing, but a glance at the new tub silo gave the reason. It had been painted inside wit

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Administrator.

The Household.

Useful Suggestions. The Curative Onion-Dr. Allsworth says: -Eat onions in May, and all the year after Emulsion of Cod-liver Oil

> Cause of Sleep Walking-A correspondent of the New York Evening Post, referring to about something. Miss Stuart noticed his an instance in which a sleep walker was killed by falling from the roof of a house, "You'll get mad if I tell you," says: "Such accidents can easily be prevented by laying upon the carpet by the side of the sleep walker's bed a strip of sheet metal iron, zinc or copper, so wide and long that when he puts his feet out of the bed

> To Remove Ink Stains .- Get a large basin pencil, he carefully marked the chromo to and fill it with boiling water; lay the part read thus: of the cloth that is stained over the basin, letting the stain touch the water. Take as much oxalic acid as will cover the part and leave it in the water for a few minutes when the stain will disappear. This recipe will do for ink or iron mould stains.

Care of the Hair. - The head should be kept cool by night and day. The hair requires considerable attention if it is to remain a thing of beauty and a joy for ever. As a rule, it is too much intefered with. "Hands off," is a good motto as regards the hair. | magnify it beyond its true proportions, is Wash the hair about once a week with the only one of a large class of people who use yolk of a new laid egg in warm water; a up in one way and another a good deal of pinch or two of borax won't hurt, but use vitality which might be profitably applied. nothing else. Do not dry roughly. Afterwards use only a moderately hard brush. heavy overhanging eyebrows and wore big Harsh treatment of the scalp very often rc. spectacles with brass rims. One day sults in premature baldness, or in a scurfy | came rushing into his cabin and seizing his Hall, Bedroom and state of the skin. - Gordon Stalles, M. D.,

The Model Hostess. A woman may possess wealth untold, she may have the kindest of hearts and the brightest of minds, but unless she has abso lute control of her feelings there will be some time in her career as a hostess that she will display annoyance or flurry, and the contagion spreading to the guests, will cause an otherwise successsful entertainment to die out in undisguised failure. A model hostess must to all appearances be made of good humor so far as disagrecable happenings are concerned. Even though a guest tire set would but emphasize the pleasure of time handing the Irishman a piece of rope, the evening. Her well-bred calm inspires prepared to do all kinds of her guests with a feeling of confidence, and shall have some work." about certain important details of her dinner, if she does not show her anxiety, every everything will pass off to a happy conclusion. A flurried hostess or nervous host, worry felt, can do more toward making the of both ends of the rope, he threw it overguests uncomfortable than if the soup were served stone cold and the salad dressing were ruined by a too bountiful application of vinegar. An imperturbable calm and a ready tact are the two important factors in the making of a model hostess. Secure

> these and you need never fear for the suc cess of any of your entertainments. - New Walking as a Tonic.

The lack of proper outdoor exercise, walking briskly and inhaling plenty of fresh air, is the cause of fully one-half the ills that a shillin," said the man. "Let it be six-pence." "Niver," answered the messenger. feminine flesh is heir to. Walking, which also means standing er The way is that lonely that I'd never go it with shoulders thrown back, lungs expanded, under a shillin." "Lonely, is it?" said and head well poised, is the best tonic that Patrick, scratching his head. "Faith, an' can be prescribed for exhausted brains,

And appropriate dressing is an important item, in order to secure the fullest possible benefit. To walk in tight shoes, a snug fitting corset, and trailing skirts is disastrous rathe than beneficial to womankind. Club women, who have studied the situa tion, prepare for their walks by donning short bicycle skirts, short, light jackets, low-heel-

weakened muscles, and threadbare nerves.

asked who was there. ed, square-toed boots and light hats. The corset, tight or loose, is wholly discarded .-Demorest's Magazine. A Model Sick Room. In a model sick room described by a medi-

cal man there are two narrow beds of equal mattresses, low headboards, and are absolutely free from all abominations in the way of canopies. The patient may thus have a "But I mean it. He told me the other fresh bed for the night and another for the day to be more observant, to keep posted as to what we would need, and to do my buying day. In the morning the freshly-made bed, covered with one sheet, can be trundled up to the bed which has been occupied during | down and laid in a big supply of Christmas the night, and the patient can be easily slid on the same level on to a fresh bed. The since. mattress and bedding of the bed vacated can

be shaken, thoroughly ventilated during the day and made ready for the night. -An ingenious housekeeper in Brooklyn has applied the system of Pasteur to tomatoes and other fruits and vegetables. These are After that all he had to do was to gain papa's consent. - Cleveland Leader. pared, washed in water which has been boiled, and then put into jars until the latter are almost solidly filled. They are covered by water up to within a quarter inch of the mouth and are then put in troughs of hot water and kept at a temperature of about 170 degrees for two hours. The jars are then ealed with waterproof paper. Treated in this manner they will keep unchanged for a long period and are almost indistinguishable at the end of six months from the fresh article.

flower, brussels sprouts, asparagus and ap--Last, but not least of the uses to which paper may be put is in stitching silk or any other material that "draws" when sewed on a machine. Lay a paper between the presser foot and the material, stitch through ooth, and when finished tear the paper away,

She has tried it upon tomatoes, little green

savs the Brooklyn Citizen. -When putting children to bed do no allow them to play in bed, as is frequently he custom, but instruct them that the beis the place for sleep, and by this method they will close their eyes at once and soon

LiverIIIs

Joker's Corner.

He Corrected It. When the Park Ridge schools closed for summer, says the Chicago Record, Miss physicians may play. But we should not stop with May. Onions should be eaten at study of geography where the contraction of least once a week every month in the year.

There is no vegetable containing so much offer themselves for solution. The teachers that is healthful as an onion, and whether it had drilled the little folks to recognize is caten raw or cooked in half a dozen ways it is beneficial. It is a blood cleanser a with "O." standing for Ohio, and the other nervine and a sleep promoter. It is odoriferous, it is true, but one's health is of more the last day she distributed as farewell importance than a temporary inconvenience caused by a strong breath.—Popular Science with the words, "Remember Me." The children were all pleased, of course, but Mr Anderson's little boy seemed to be worried

"You'll get mad if I tell you," he said, reluctiantly. "Oh, no," she insisted. "Tell me if there's anything that troubles you." "Well, teacher, they cheated you," said the boy, solemnly, "They sold you these they will rest upon the metal. The coldness felt will waken him thoroughly, and he will ished, and with all the words on them." The mystified teacher asked the little

REMEMBER ME.

"That's the way it ought to be," he said. You see they left out a whole word in Lincoln's Pioneer.

Mr. Lincoln's old backwoodsman had very

Abraham Lincoln's western pioneer, al-

ways on the lookout for danger and ready to

rifle aimed it carefully through a crack of the door at a great oak tree that stood near and "What is it?" whispered his wife. "A wildcat, Sairy, the orneriest wildcat

you ever see, an' I missed him !'

He hastily loaded and fired again and then "Now, hold on, Joshua," said his good wife. "Let me look at you. Why, lawks-a-daisy, it's nothin' but a little bug on one o' your eyebrows !"- Youth's Companion

An Irishman who was out of work went on board a vessel that was in the harbor and or careless waiter inadvertently breaks a bit of china which can never be replaced, she of the on:

"Well," said the captain, at the same

"if you can find three ends to that rope, you The Irishman got hold of the one end of the rope, and, showing it to the captain, said, "That's one end, your honor." Then he took hold of the other end, and, showing it to the captain, as before, said, "And that's two ends, your honor." Then, taking hold

board, saying, "And faith, there's another end to it, your honor." He was engaged. -Patrick, a thrifty tradesman in the neighborhood of Dublin docks, was, as the tory goes, a man who never spent a penny more than he needed to spend; but he was, nevertheless, as good a man at the making of an Irish bull as any man that lived be tween Bantry and Ballycastle. Having one day occasion to send a letter to Glass Patrick called a messenger and asked him his price for going such a distance.

ye're roight. Now, man, I'll tell ye what we'll do; make it sixpence, an' I'll go wid ye to kape ye company !"

They Had Him. Three college boys were having a spread a thundering knock at the door, and they

"Me," said the angry voice of the college "Oh, no," said the boys, "you can't give us that. If it were President —, he would have said 'It is I.' Go away." And the

baffled dignitary went. -" Mother," sighed the young wife, "I regard Tom as the most inconsistent man that ever lived."
"You put it very strongly, my dear."

when things were cheapest. I went right presents, and he has scarcely spoken to me

How He Won Her. be rolled up, quietly taken into an adjoining room, where, with open windows, they can "If I were a man," she said, "you would not find me here to day. I'd be away fighting for my country." "If you were a man," he replied, "you wouldn't find me here to day either. I, too, would be away fighting for my country."

> Acquired "Bumps." Phrenologist (examining Johnny's head)-This, ladies and gentlemen, is the bump of caution, and here is located the bump of combativeness. This—this (much puzzled) Johnny-Oh. I know all 'bout that one! That's the bump of cur'osity. I got it last night for peekin' inter the parler!

peas, young lima beans, chili peppers, cauli Scarecrows. Two cannie Scots walking to Auchteruchty saw an uncouth figure standing in a distant field. After gazing intently one said: "It's never moving, so it's tatta (potato) bogie" (scarecrow).
"It's no tatta bogie," replied the other, 'it's a man working by the day."

In Evidence.

Magistrate-Prisoner, have you any visible

eans of support? Prisoner—Yis, sir, Your Honor. (To his wife, a laundress)-Bridget, stand up, so that the Coort can see yez. -Mrs. Culchaw (to visitor)-You see I found it best to get a French maid for the

baby. It is quite the fad, you know.

French Maid (from adjoining room)—Roise yer jaw, me jool, while I toy yer bonnet. -He (feeling his way)-I-I wish we were good friends enough for you to call me by my first name. She (helping him along)-Oh, your last

name is good enough for me. _"My dog is almost as intelligent as I m," remarked Squildig. "Are you going to have him shot, or will you try to give him away ?" asked McSwilliger.

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