

## What to Read.

Are you deficient in taste? Read the best English poets, such as Gray and Goldsmith, Pope and Dryden, Cowper and Coleridge, Scott and Wordsworth.

Are you deficient in imagination? Read Milton and Keats, and Burke.

Are you deficient in power of reason? Read Chalmers, Hume, and Locke.

Are you deficient in judgment and good sense in the common platitudes of life? Read Franklin.

Are you deficient in energy of style? Read Burke and Macaulay.

Are you deficient in political knowledge? Read Montaigne, the "Polarbear," Webster and Calhoun.

Are you deficient in patriotism? Read Douglass and the author of "Washington."

Are you deficient in education? Read some of President Edward's works.

Are you deficient in piety? Read the Bible.

## National Wit.

English wit is highly dramatic, spontaneous, great. American wit is more refined. The dog carries his living by wagging his tail."

"I suppose all the world and the flies will devour it."

"The smile of a pretty woman are the tears of the gods."

"He who takes an egg by the wrong end, finds the outside is the stronger."

"A fool is never a greater fool than the one he thinks himself."

"The characteristic of Spanish wit is excess of stolidness; of their proverbs, 'He who has nothing to give, let him not marry a wife.' From many children and little bread, good Lord deliver us."

"A fool is never a greater fool than the one he thinks himself."

"To get chicken one must coax the hen."

"Scratch people where they itch." —*Pilot Angel.*

**SIMPLIFIED METHOD OF KEEPING THE PEACE AT ELECTRIC LIGHTS.** — In Waltham, England, an author adopted a singular method of keeping the peace at the electric light. He picked out two hundred of the worst rowdies and made them special constables for the day to keep all the other people in order. The "rowdies" were delighted to have a job, and with the pay attached to it, five shillings each. The chief constable got them all sorted out, and then sent them to the public hall, and there locked them up till the postman came. The consequence was that everything passed without disturbance.

**CULTIVATE TASTE IN THE YOUTH.** — It is of importance that the school should be encouraged in the pursuit of objects, whether of instruction or amusement, which are both useful and with good taste. If this feeling becomes engrossed the best result may be expected; it will encourage a young man to make a course of ill-regarded inclination, and to give up enough tender lead to their minds. The impression of taste seems to be more or less connected with every good and virtuous disposition. The young man who has strong, true, and humane passions, a cultivated taste, increases sympathy, yet, at the same time, tends to soften the more violent and angry emotions.

**HOW TO GET THE HIGHEST STYLE OF BEING AT HOME.** — Out of a spirit of carelessness, Who has not met with individuals whose faces would be a passport to any society, and who, though the untaught and spontaneous expression of their inner selves, make them visibly shamed? They are, however, unconsciously bent upon making a good impression. This is the secret of all their efforts, and with the arts of Letter-press, Copperplate and Lithography, Book binding, Stereotyping and Electrotyping, always on hand or intrusted abroad confidence towards them in whatever they undertake. They are frank, fair, because their nature is benevolent; unflurried, because they dread nothing; always home, because they carry no secrets; and, above all, because they are healthy. Such are our best guarantees for finding at home in all society to which they have a right, and in every occupation upon which it abides, a place to rest. They who live best for themselves are also the best embarrassed by uncertainties.

**The saying of a White Mountain stage-driver to a New Yorker sitting with him — I a'pose if we went to York, I should groan round just as you folks do up here?" — is not bad, for a wise old head like "Faw Drow from Freshly Blown Rose." The printer's devil printed it, "Freshly Blown News."**

**EAST NISOUR Agricultural Society.**

The Annual Exhibition of this Society will be held at Pease's Corners, East Nisouri, 10th concession line, on Monday, 2d October, when the following prizes will be awarded —

**HORSES.**

Best Span Carriage Horses ..... \$2.00

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best Spots of Horses for Agricultural purposes ..... 1.00

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best Broad Mare, with evidence that she had a colt within twelve months ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best three year old Filly ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best two year old Filly ..... 1.50

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Best yearling Filly ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best three year old Gelding ..... 1.50

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Best yearling Gelding ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best Foal ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best Fat Cattle ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Sheep. Long Woolled. ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best Shelling Ram ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best Ram Lamb ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best two aged Ewes ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best two shearing Ewes ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best two fat Lambs ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Sheep. Long Woolled. ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best sheeping Ram ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best Ram Lamb ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best two aged Ewes ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

Best two fat Ewes or Lambs ..... 1.50

2nd do ..... 2.00

General Freight Agent ..... 1.50

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