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THE STABLE MICROBE.

(Parody on "Subway Microbe," in N. Y. World.)

I'm a stable microbe, yes, I am,
And really I don't care a lamb
For what the people think of me,
So long as I can get there. See?

The stable gets no sunlight, so
It's just the place for me to grow.
And don't I grow there? Well, I guess
My numbers are not growing less
Where these conditions have wide-room
Which greatly magnify my boom,
And winter weather is the style
That makes the truly microbe smile.

I do not care for ozone, and
For oxygen make no demand;
Carbonic acid gas, by gee!
Is plenty good enough for me.
A stable microbe's appetite,
However, finds its chief delight
In bovine vitals, and right there
I love to stay and get my fare.
A good cow is to me
A revel and a revelry;
And in a breathing lung I find
Choice food for body and for mind.

Oh, I'm a stable microbe, and
Am anybody's at command—
A sort of public servant that
Is always at where it is at.

—N. Y. Subscriber.

TRADE TOPIC.

A NECESSITY, NOT A LUXURY.—No longer is the telephone considered a luxury in rural communities, it is a necessity. One of the great independent companies is the Swedish-American Telephone Company, of Chicago, which for years has specialized on telephone systems for rural communities. If you and your neighbors are interested in establishing a line in your locality, you should outline the situation, giving the possible number of subscribers, distances, territory to be covered, and whatever you think would help the Company to arrive at an understanding of your wants, and they will send you the special information you desire, together with their free book, "Rural Telephone." The company makes no charge for advice or information. A telephone in the house enables the farmer to keep informed on market conditions, the price of products, and practically puts him in touch with the city. It saves time when machinery breaks down, when a doctor is wanted, when you want to talk to your neighbors on business or pleasure. Comparatively little cash capital is required for the establishment of a telephone system by the plan of the Swedish-American Telephone Company.

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Ans.—For all that appears from your statement of the case, we would say that he can.

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The heart itself has no power—no self-control. It is made to beat by a tender nerve so tiny that it is scarcely visible to the naked eye. Yet ten thousand times a day this delicate nerve must assist the heart to expand and contract.

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