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PET DOG WASHERS.

The Queer Trade That Flourishes In the French Capital.

As you walk along certain parts of Paris your attention is sometimes attracted by the barking of a dog, and on such an occasion one of the queerest of the outdoor trades of Paris is seen. Near the water's edge, his black coat flecked thickly with soapsuds, stands the dog, and over him, energetically shampooing the soap into the long, hairy coat, stands one of the professional dog washers who haunt the banks of the Seine at stated spots from the Pont d'Iena to the Pont Neuf. These men lather and wash pet dogs while their owners look on from conveniently placed chairs. The fees range from 5 sous to a franc. When the soaping operation is completed, the dog is dropped into the river and encouraged to get rid of the dirt and soap by a

swim. Sometimes the pet will swim straight out, while the fair owner is in agonies of fear lest some swiftly passing steamer should strike it and end its bathing and swimming days forever. On more than one occasion the dog washer has been driven to plunge in and rescue the bewildered animal lest the infuriated owner should claim compensation for his carelessness. With some Parisiennes this weekly pet washing is a ceremony of importance. The dainty lady, alighting from her smart victoria, goes down the steps to the washing place chosen, preceded by her footman carrying or leading the dog, as the case may be, and then, seated under a sunshade, she directs the toilet of Fifi or Nero with tender solicitude. The toilet des chiens at the fashionable spots includes warm, fleecy towels, a peignoir de bain while the dog's hair is being curled, combed, singed or cut, and a length of ribbon of a selected color to tie round its neck at

the finish. A fee of 5 francs cannot be considered excessive for a "toilet" including a clipping during which Fift or Nero is held firmly by the lady proprietress of the etablissement des bains, while her assistant uses the patent shears. When all has been completed, the victim, wagging his tail with conscious pride, proceeds to the carriage with his proud and happy mistress and drives away in state, yelping at dogs

## FLOWER AND TREE.

less aristocratic than he.

Heavy pruning of growing trees will check growth.

Flowering plants should never be watered with cold water. It chills the

The Madeira vine is one of the best climbers, having a wreath of leaves equaled by few other plants. Repotting of plants becomes necessa ry at intervals for two reasons. The

plant uses up the available the soil and fills the pots with roots. The ink plant of New Granada is a curiosity. The juice of it can be used as ink without any preparation. At first the writing is red, but after a few

hours it changes to black. In watering the primrose observe this: Water should not be poured upon the crown of the plant nor the pot filled so full that the water flows over into it. This is fatal to the health of the

To destroy aphides or plant lice dip the ends of the twigs into a strong tes made by steeping tobacco stems in hot water or syringe with whale oil soapsuds, repeating the operation in six or seven days.

Not at All Excited. In a certain Wisconsin city lives an old German, now past eighty, who has for years been in the hotel business. The old gentleman is very fond of card playing, and pitch is his favorite game.

One day a couple of years ago a party was sitting about a table playing, and just as the cards had been dealt and sorted and it was up to the old gentleman to bid for the trump a boy rushed into the office and in great excitement said the barn was on fire.

Without showing the least perturbation the old gentleman turned to him, and the following conversation took

"Did you get out the horse?"

"Did you the buggy get out?" "Yes.

"Well," turning to the players, "I bid

The Wrong Way. Fathers and mothers who do not know how and where their sons and especial ly their young daughters spend their evenings are guilty of a negligence that is little short of criminal and that, too, often leads to sad consequences. The American habit of letting the young folks "have their own way" in choosing their associates and methods of recreation is responsible in every city for a good deal of evil that might be pre-

exercised. Anticipated. Stern Parent-I suppose you are aware, young man, that I cease to provide for my daughter when she leaves

vented by parental firmness judicio

my roof? Suitor-Oh, yes! We have settled about that-Bertha and I. We have de-cided to make our home with you.

The Very Best. Mrs. Nurich-I want some terrapins Dealer-Yes'm. Diamondbacks? Mrs. Nurich-Yes, and see that the

dismonds are of the first water .- Ohio

I think you will find that people who onestly mean to be true really contradict themselves much more rarely than those who try to be consistent

Breed up and not down.

for which Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only certain cure. In Dropsy the Kidneys are actually dammed up, and the water, which should be expelled in the form of urine, flows back and lodges in the cells of the flesh and puffs out the skin. Remove the filth which plugs up the drain. Restore the Kidneys to health. There is only one Kidney Medicine

# Dodd's KIDNEY

D. L. Moody, in answer to the question, what do you consider the chief characteristic distinguishing an educated from an uneducated person, 1. The educated man has greater ability to grasp new truths and

facts. 2. The uneducated man is more likely to be unbalanced by new

schemes and isms. 3. The educated man has a broader mind, and is more open to the views of others.

What special advantage does the college trained man, gain over the self-made man, so-called? 1. The educated man has the ad-

vartage of being able to think more systematically.

2. He has at his control a mass of facts, and he is trained to see the fallacy in false schemes.

The English Language. I like to be beholden to the great

metropolitan English speech, the sea which receives tributaries from every region under heaven. I should as soon think of swimming across the Charles river when I wish to go to Boston as of reading all my books in originals when I have them rendered for me in my English tongue

The Unlucky Thirteen. "I hate to have to pack up again," rotested the wife, "This will be the Unrteenth time we have moved since re came to town, and that's bad luck." "But we're owin' \$13 rent on this house, Marg," he said, "and it'll be a heap worse luck to stay here and have

"Will you kindly show me what you have here?" asked the visitor to the penitentiary.

"With pleasure," replied the warden, who had once worked in a dry goods store. "We have a few things in stripes hat I think will interest you."

"Are you fond of pictures?" asked e man who is interested in art. "I should say so!" answered Broncho Bob. vGive me jacks, queens or kings every time. I always did hate to fool

When a boy goes to a party, doesn't care about refreshments. He wants something to eat. - Atchison

with tenspots or less."

## ABSULUTE SECURITY.

Cenuine Carter's Little Liver Pills.



CURE SICK HEADACHE.



### PITHY PARAGRAPHS.

Consult with your wife . Fine surface soil is a mulch that

Paint applied to undried, unseasoned wood only hastens decay.

Double the use of water externally The less you disturb the sitting hen, the better she will attend to her busi-

"All work makes Jack a dull boy," and no work makes Bill a very mean

There is no profit in ministering to

a hog diseased when the disease is swine plague.

them to market.

The secrets of large yields always

to the poultry, it isn't fair to ex-change eggs for tobacco and machine

comfortable. This is true in the spring or summer, as well as in the

spending the agreeable nights on the pasture after it has made a good growth. Plowing under grass and clover makes the largest addition to the soil

of the best kind of plant food at the same cost. There is this difference between the

A Serviceable Rake. There are rakes and rakes, and each one has its merits and advocates. Mr. Wylie E. Stout of Anderson county, Kansas, sends us a sketch and explanation of the construction of one he has found to do the work effectually. He says he made this one himself after trying various kinds, and that any man handy with tools can make one. For the head piece a tough stick 6 by inches 12 feet long was used. In it be bored eleven 2-inch holes for the teeth, on the opposite sides three mortises, 2 by 4 inches; one in center and one pars and teeth are hickory 4 feet long

cross bar has the ends extending be-youd the arms so as to pull against the standards of the wagon. From a bar across the arms, about the middle of the frame, a mortised piece is fixed to the frame, a mortised piece is fixed to be used in the place of the coupling pole, and the king boit passed through the mortise. By bolting a board across near the front, a spring seat from the mower secures comfort for the driver. The rake is dumped by means of the lever with handle at the right hand, as shown in the illustration. This rake can be prepared this winter for serving

Another Fraud Order. A fraud order has been issued by the Post Office Department against Carl B. Cline, who operated a swindle from Columbus, O. Cline wrote letters to columbus, O. Chine wrote letters to and inserted advertisements in various papers concerning a new wheat called the Early Supprise. He offered to send, on receipt of three stamps, a sample package of wheat; in other letters he tried to get a notice for Crimson, Clover, also offering a small sample for a few cents. Letters poured in on him by the hundred, and in return he sent a circular letter saying that he him by the hundred, and in return he sent a circular letter saying that he would furnish the seed wheat at \$1.50 per bushel, and also quoted rates on Crimson Clover, and a certain brand of corn know as Ok. When the victims forwarded their money he failed to furnish the seed. Finally, the pressure became so strong that he went to a farmer near Columbus and bought 250 bushels of wheat from him, which he made up in small packages and sent to made up in small packages and sent to the victims of his game. He is now under bonds to answer a charge of swindling.

The Successful Farmer.

Referring to the farmer of to-day,
William Allen White, who first attract-William Allen White, who first attracted attention by his tenchant inquiry of "What's the Matter with Kansas?" says in Business of a Wheat Farm, in October Scribner's: "The successful farmer of this generation must be a business man first, and a tiller of the soil afterward. In him must be combined many talents. He must be a capitallist, cautious and crafty; he must be an operator of industrial affairs, daring and resourseful, and he must play labor's part with patience and humility. He is in business as certainly as the banker. And henceforth, until the order changes, the farmer's success in business will graduate with the kind and quantity of brains he uses, and with the number of fertile aeres under his alone."

The hog doesn't object to a season ing of curculio in his fruit.

If the weather is dry, mulch around trees transplanted this spring.

The only thing that will stop knavish advertising is the sudden death of all

Better feed the inferior fruits and vegetables to the hogs than to send

Before any man goes in debt he should read of the bondage in Egypt of the children of Israel.

and everywhere are rich soil, good seed, and thorough illage. When the wife and children attend

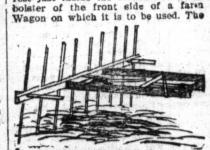
To be thrifty an animal must be

winter. The work horse will be benefited by

poor and the good farmer: one com-plains of the bad seasons, the other

rejoices in the good seasons. A good crop of both corn and weeds cannot be grown on the same ground at the same time, any more than two railway trains can pass each other on the same track.

at each end for revolving bars. The The arms are 2 by 4 inch pieces, 6 feet long, fastened to the head by old wagon tire bent around the head and bolted to the arms. These arms are fixed at such a distance apart as to rest just inside the standards on the



Chicken Wire of any size, go to Quinn and Patterson, they are the cheapest Hardware store in Chatham. A few Lawn Mowers at \$2.75 still on hand. See their Ball bearing Mowers, before you buy elsewhere.

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