

THE MISSING TRAVELLER.

More About the Disappearance of Mr. Bridges at Fort Kent.

The Bangor News Saturday has the following relative to the supposed case of suicide at Fort Kent which The Telegraph announced Saturday.

When he went away he left his money and grip in the room at the hotel, also a letter to his wife, and told the hotel proprietor that he proposed to go away and did not return to send his baggage to Bangor.

PRIEST WOULD TAX UNMARRIED FOLK.

Bachelors and Maidens Are Urged to Wedlock by the Rev. Theodorus Hogan.

The Rev. Theodorus Hogan, of St. John's Roman Catholic church, Trenton, N. J., is anxious to have all members of his church married.

Father Hogan announced to the congregation that he desired all young single men to remain in their seats after the service.

Father Hogan's attention was first called to the rarity of the celebration of the sacrament of matrimony in his church some time ago.

RUSSIAN DELILAH'S FATE.

Uliana Samsonenko Goes to Jail for a Practical Joke.

Uliana Samsonenko appeared before the magistrate of Rosloff-on-the-Don some days ago on a charge of cutting off E. Domitshko's mustache.

Both were employed at a local hotel. Domitshko took a nap one afternoon. When he awoke his magnificent mustache appendages were gone.

"I suppose you did as big a trade in mustaches as any firm in the city. We sold little ones and big ones, albums for the amateur and the professional, cheap ones and expensive ones, but we don't sell them any more."

"Why, she offered me 50 roubles if I would keep the case out of court." "Counsel for the defence—I will make it 25 roubles."

Plaintiff—And I'll give you 20 roubles if you will let me cut your whiskers off.

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THE BOYS' BRIGADE.

Exceptionally Pleasant Time at Inspection—Prizes and their Winners.

The martial ardor and heroic regard of the Scottish warrior were prominent in the vestry of St. Stephen's church last evening, when Nos. 1 and 2 Scouts companies of the Boys' Brigade were inspected by Lieut. Col. Dunbar.

The two companies under Lieutenants Breen and Cassidy, and all under command of Capt. Buchanan, had paraded by 8 o'clock in the church vestry.

A number of prizes were awarded. The first prize in the senior company for shooting was the Park's cup.

In the shooting prizes in the junior company the first, a silver cup, was won by Roy Davidson.

Many local militia officers were present, including Capt. F. C. Jones, Capt. Thos. Dunning, Major Magge, Major Sturtevant and Major Hart.

A good corn remover. A marvel of cheapness, of efficiency, and of promptness, is contained in a bottle of that famous remedy, Putnam's Patent Corn Remover.

Exit the Autograph Album.

"Sorry," said the solicitor clerk in the stationery store, "but we haven't one in the house."

"He watched the old fellow who had made an inquiry hobble out of the long shop, then he turned to the man who was running over the leaves of a new book."

"What do you suppose that old chap wanted?" he asked.

"Have'n't any idea," replied the customer.

"He asked for an album, an autograph album," said the clerk, and then passed to watch the effect of his confidence.

"Well," said the customer, "there's anything unusual in such a request? Is it against the law to sell autograph albums?"

"Yes," said the clerk, "it is against the law of fad and fashion, and that's as strong a law as I know of."

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Strength, Vitality, Manhood.

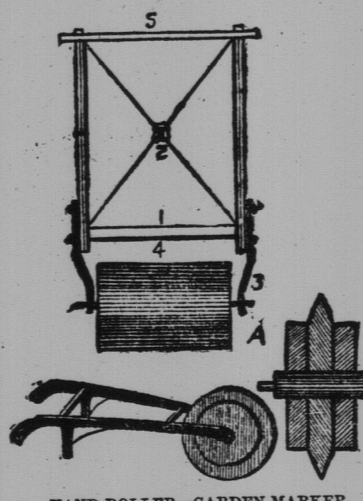
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FARM BUCKER FOR THE GARDEN.

CONVENIENT TOOLS.

A Home-made Hand Roller-A Wheel Bucker For the Garden. In the cut from the Ohio Farmer is shown a home-made hand roller.



HAND ROLLER-GARDEN MARKER.

crosspiece (C), braces the ends of side pieces (B) and brace the frame by means of the two cables wires (E).

The other figure shows a cheap wheel marker for marking in transplanted plants and other plants.

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FOR UOON LAND.

Handy Flexible Harrow. It often happens where land is rough and uneven that the ordinary harrow with heavy rollers has little of the ground as it passes over it.

STRONG SPRING COLONIES.

Young Queens of the Previous Season Are the Ones to Build On. Now to get colonies up strong in numbers in spring is the secret of large honey crops.

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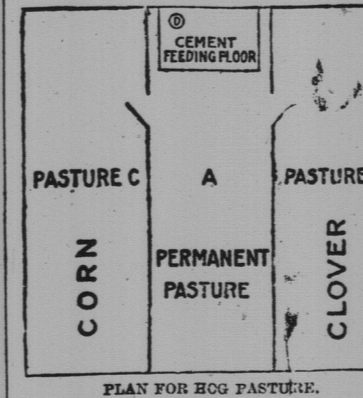
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HOG PASTURE PLAN.

BEST WAY TO GET MOST OUT OF THIS VALUABLE ANIMAL.

Rotation of Crops on Their Feeding Grounds—Provide Dry, Comfortable Sleeping Quarters—Plenty of Sunlight the Best Disinfectant.

Mr. Arthur Seebach of Minnesota, in a recent contribution to Breeder's Gazette on "How to Get the Most Out of the Hog," lays stress on the value of the hog pasture.



PLAN FOR HOG PASTURE. The acre and cultivate it in, when going to the mark and dress smooth with a small smoothing plan.

The next year pasture C will be your clover grazing ground, and in pasture B the clover sod will be turned under for corn and so forth.

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A SOURCE OF WASTE.

Enormous Quantities of Hay Flax Burned Up Each Year.

In 1808 the United States produced 17,217,000 bushels of flaxseed, but did not utilize a million pounds of fiber, according to a New York correspondent of The Prairie Farmer.

Of course I know that some flax straw is piled up and that the cattle eat a little, but by far the greatest bulk is burned, and that eaten has but little value, but if it could be so treated as to make the fiber available it would double the amount of money derived from the flax culture.

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Why, Of Course. "Where is he?" roared the wild-eyed plainman. "I am going to make him eat his words."

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