## Random Readings.

Juvenile Astronomy.—A little boy, who had frequently heard the cat blamed for having broken plates and other domestic utensils, astonished his mother some eight or ten days ago, by exclaiming, "Eh, mother, the cat's broken the moon!" "Gae wa', laddie!" exclaimed mamma, smiling, "ye're havering; how can that be?" "I dinna ken," quoth young Le Verrier pettishly, at finding his philosophy at

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Days	Digg	Mises.	-		r	Declin'n. South,			rhagina	Time.	Grace after Meat.—A clergyman of
1	7	38	4	22	12:	3 5	1 20			36	dish for a fortnight or so without inter-
2	7	37	4	23	22	58	32	4	1	4	mission, replied as follows :-
3	7	37	4	24	122	53	3 7		1 :	32	Of rabbits young, of rabbits old
4	17	30	4	24	22	47		1	)	0	Of rabbits hot, of rabbits cold
0	7	30	4	24	22	40	56		5 5	27	Ul rabbits tender, rabbits touch
0	7	00	4	24	122	34	9	1 5	) ;	)4	The Lord be praised we've had enough!
0	7	251	4	20	22	26	56	L	) %	11	Port Wine and Rank A how
0	7	24	4	20	22	19	17		, 4	t: 1	who would fancy himself in a state
	7	33	4	27	22	11	11	1 3	1	2	of health requiring medicine, was or-
11	7	33	1	00	01	50	39	17	3	37	dered by his physician to take " port
12	7	35	1	20	01	03	41	8		2	wine and bark." Knowing nothing of
13	7 :	31	1	30	01	24	18	0	1	5	the Jesuit's bark, he took the prescrip-
14	7 5	30	1	31	21	04	16	0	4	3	tion literally by regularly drinking a
15	7 9	29	1	35	21	13	38	9	1	1	bottle of old black strap every morning,
16	7 2	28	1	33	21	. 0	35	9	5	1	and bow vowing as loud as he could bel-
17	7 2	27	1	34	20	51	0	10	1	4	low after every glass. After some days'
18	7 2	26	1	35	20	30	18	10	2	4	practice the Doctor called. "How are
19	7 2	25	1	36	20	27	1	10	5	2	you now, my good fellow? How does
20	7 2	4	1	36	20	14	27	11	1	1	queth Colon (60)
21	7 2	3 4	1.	37	20	1	28	11	2	9	tient, "The wine is all right, and does
22	7 2	24	1	38	19	48	5	11	4	5	me a deal of good, but the barking is
23	7 2	1 4	1	39	19	34	21	12		1	worse than learning to play the flute!"
24	7 2	0 4	1	40	19	20	15	12	1	61	Cunundrums and Wellerisms.
25	7 1	9 4		41	19	5	47	12	3	11	Said Sambo, why am intoxication, like
26	7 1	8 4	. 7	12	18	50	59	12	4	11:	wash-bowl. Case it am de-basin?
27	7 1	7 4		13	18	35	50	12	5	7	When is a man thinner than a lath?
28	7 1	6 4	. 4	14	18	20	20	13	(	7.	When is a man thinner than a lath? When he is a shaving. What makes more noise than a can-
29	1 1	5 4	4	15	18	4	31	13	20	)	What makes more noise than a con-
30	1 1	1 4	4	16	17	48	22	13	31	11	non?—Two.
3117	1	3 4	4	17	17	31	54	13	41	1	Why is the newly discovered remedy

How to GET Two Crops of Early Potatoes from the same Plant.—A correspondent says, "When you take up your early potatoes you will find, in addition to the roots ready for consumption, a considerable number of small tubers, which it is the general practice to throw away with the plant. Instead of so doing, take off, very carefully, the large potatoes, and replant the stem, and, in a few weeks,