ONE OF THE MOST PAINFUL OF MALADIES.

Mr. Peter Millar Suffered for Years, and

Ontario than that at Newman's upper lock quarter of a century resided Mr. Peter Millar, who during that period acted in the capacity of lockman, and was perhaps the best known man on the canal. Mr. Millar retired from active life. To a correspondent of the Recorder he related the following experience: "For many years I was troubled with a lame back, which gave me great pain I tried different kinds of medicine, but found little or no relief. The spring of 1895 I was mething snap or give way in my back, en myself up. I now became so bad that when I laid down I was unable to rise without assistance, and I fully made up my mind that I had become a chronic invalid, and never expected to see a well day again. A entirely given out, I saw by an article in a cured a person troubled similarly, and I immediately sent and procured a box to test them. Before I had finished the box I found my back somewhat stronger, so I procured used I found myself completely cured. Since I took the last box I have not had a

ask for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as there are many pink colored imitations.

it, never once wiped or cleaned it, and the result was that in the course of a year or so, under the action of sun, rain and dust, it becume to look decidedly shabby and worn. One day he met Farmer M——, a fellew townsman, and with a clean, black harness

'How'll you swap harness?" said Farme

by harness on his neighbor's horse and replied, "Five dollars to boot."

the harness changed hands. But Farmer T- treated the second haran old one, it soon looked disreputable. After some months he again met Farmer —, with a new harness on his horse.
"I say, how'il ye trade?" he asked.

Farmer M --- answered.

claimed, with chagrin. "Then it looks as if I'd paid ten dollars to have it cleaned." 'Just so," said the other laughing. Let us hope that the lesson did Farmer T-ten dollars worth of good.

Hands off Handle Bars.

the hands off the bars the rider has no control of the wheel, and particularly at crossnecessary to make a detour or slacken speed. Just the fraction of time necessary to regain control of the wheel is enough to cause an accident. With no guiding power there is no telling what the front wheel is going to gradually bent and contorted. do. A small obstacle in the street, which would ordinarily be passed over without no tice, is enough to deflect the front wheel, and, if there are any riders close, send it crashing into their bicycles.

An old rider said: "Handle bars are made to hold on to, and whenever, I see some crank-I can call him by no other namecome sailing along trying to show off, I feel like taking a thump into him. He is liable to do all sorts of damage, and a dose of the flicts on others will many times do him a world of good."

Wrecked.

MRS. HARKLEY. THE WIFE OF CAPTAIN RECOVERY-THE GREAT SOUTH AMERI-

"About four years ago I was afflicted with a severe attack of la grippe, which left me almost a complete wreck. I was prostrated for weeks. I doctored with several physicians and used many remedies, but none had any lasting effect. My friends began to be alarmed for my recovery. The doctors shook their heads, and held out little hope. I was attracted by an advertisement of South American Nervine, and as my trouble was of a nervous nature I decided to try it. The first bottle helped me greatly. I persisted in its use and this great remedy has completely built up my system, and I positively declare that it is the only remedy that gave me any relief." Sold by S. N. Weare. Oatmeal with Water for Drink.

The bad effects of drinking clear water in large quantities when the system is exhausprevented by putting a small quantity of siftoatmeal in the water before drinking it. There is a great deal of nourishment in the oatmeal, and it furnishes something for the stomach to work on that is quickly digested and soon goes into circulation. When we were at work in the hay or harvest field we learned to prefer water with oatmeal in it to the compounds of lemon juice with water, which, while they were pleasing to the palate, did not give the satisfying in the stom- \$94,000, compared with 7,800 acres valued tle oatmeal with water always at \$44,000 last year. gave. This was long ago recommended as a mid-day drink for horses hard at work, and we have found it just as good for people. For a strengthening drink for invalids oatal with water is much better than beef tea, whose nutritive value has been greatly exaggerated in popular belief.

The only conclusive evidence of a man's sincerity is that he gives himself for a prin-Words, money, all things else, are comparitively easy to give away; but when a man makes a gift of his daily life and practice, it is plain that the truth, whatever it may be, has taken possession of him.—James Russell Lowell.

WHAT IS FOUND UNDER THE SEATS AFTER AN OPERATIC PERFORMANCE. When the curtain has made its final fall

after an operatic performance at the Metro-politan and the bejeweled audience has dispersed, a queer scene is enacted. A com-pany enters and spreads itself out in boxes and orchestra stalls, overhauling chairs, searching floors, prying under cushions, peering into corners, as though hunting for he strange demon who compels even the brightest of operatic stars to occasionally ing flats where sharps are written. But in search of something more prosaic than demons. They are looking for the almost are probably destroying noxious insects, or

For one year the property is kept in the opera house safe, labelled with the name of the finder, and duly entered in a book kept

The practical value of birds in controlling finder by the management as a reward for

home bareheaded; an elegant lace mantilla, the immense numbers of noxiou which must have cost at least \$150; a gold are thus annually destroyed. chains of various patterns, apparently torn off in the scramble for the door, opera glasses by the dozen, black, blue and fancy colored garters by the score (some with handsome gold clasps, engraved with monograms that it has been found impossible to identify); canes and umbrellas by the hundred, overshoes, carriage shoes, gloves and pocketbooks, lined and unlined.

One of these pocketbooks, picked up by a gleaner, was found to contain \$300 in green-backs. It was handed in with the rest of the findings to the manager. Its careless owner, a Japanese connected with the consulate, med it the following day. The honest finder went unrewarded. But they are ac-

Oldest Tool in the World.

If you were asked what was the oldest

The hammer, of course. When the first native savage wished to crack a cocoanut or clam, he used a stone, and that was the first hammer. Even wild monkeys are said to know how to use stones and sticks as hammers. Pictures of hammers appear also on the monuments of Egypt, built more than ness no better than the first, and as it was 2,000 years ago. They look a good deal like our hammers, only they have no claws-for the reason that no one ever had heard of nails in those days. Claw hammers were invented about the time that Columbus dis covered America, and since that time all sorts and sizes of hammers have been made The bargain was made and the harness so that every trade has a hammer of its own. again changed hands. "By the way," said
Farmer M—, as he was driving 6ff, "you've
got the same harness now that you had in te first place."

"You don't say so!" Farmer T—— exit the mighty steel works of the east. Some

> Lead Workers. It is said that lead working disfigures the

like a whole battery of cannon when they

hensile practice of riding with the hands off In this industry it is inevitable that sooner the handle bars should be generally abandon- or later the workers must succumb to lead el. Chief among these reasons, perhaps, is poisoning, and there would appear to be no the fact that it is dangerous, not only to the rider himself, but to others. To do the trick and floating particles which permeate the successfully, it is necessary to travel at a atmosphere of the workshop do not affect. rate of speed which is not safe, at least on a The complexion takes on a ghostly, corpsestreet which is liable to be crossed anywhere like pallor, the gums turn blue, the teeth by pedestrians or other riders, and it is just such a thoroughfare that the senseless handsoff rider selects to show himself off. With

Later on, when nerves and muscles become ings there is no telling at what instant it is affected by the poison in the blood, the eyejoints, especially the knee and the wrist, be-

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of worship, the faculty of honoring and loving and fearing not merely something better than himself, but something which is the ab-DIRECTED HER INTO THE GOOD HEALTH | solute best, the perfect good—his God! The

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The general manager of the I. C. R. has issued a circular notifying employees of the Intercolonial that failure on their part to pay their honest debts will be punishable by

It is announced that the Anglo-Egyptian expedition is to be increased by 10,000 men. A portion of the forces will advance along the Khartoum side of the Nile.

Immigration to the United States has fallen of over 100,000 during eleven months of the fiscal year, according to official reports.

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The Recommic Relation of Birds to

The contribution recently made by the De partment of Agriculture, in Professor Beal's Some Common Birds in Their Relation to "Some Common Birds in Their Relation to Agriculture" (Farmers' Bulletin No. 54), to the common fund of knowledge as to the injurious or beneficial effect that certain birds have upon the operations of the farmer will nuderate the operations of the farmer will number the operations of the operations of the farmer will number the operations of the operations of the farmer will number the operati undeceive many who have a firm conviction that birds seen in numbers about cornfield the members of the company of seekers are or at work in an orchard are a positive enendless variety of articles that a grand opera | if at certain seasons they depredate upon the audience nightly leaves behind. Any one connected with the house can join in the check they give these insects at other times. search, and every one whose duties permit The limits of this bulletin preclude more invariably does so, for there is some valuable than a brief statement regarding the food of gleaning to be done at the Metropolitan after the enraptured and entranced audience than a brief statement regarding the food of the thirty species described, comprising, among others, crows, crow blackbirds and ricebirds, against which serious complaint have been made on account of the damage

the finder, and duly entered in a book kept for the purpose. If unclaimed at the end of the year, the article is presented to the minate the birds in an orchard or grain field, but it is an extremely difficult one to control Among the queerest articles at the Metroelitan which await a claimant are a false
tooth with a heavy gold plate attached, two

but it is an extremely difficult one to control
the insect pests. It is certain, too, that the
value of our native sparrows as weed destroyers is not appreciated. Weed seeds form an silk hats, whose owners must have been strangely entranced with the music to go these birds, and it is impossible to estimate the immense numbers of noxious weeds which

Contents: Introduction; the cuckoos bracelet, the broken clasp of which shows the reason for its loss; a diamond ring, gold the woodpeckers; the kingbird; the phœbe; the bluejay; the crow; the bobolink, or rice-bird; the red-winged blackbird; the meadow lark, or old field lark; the Baltimore oriole; the crow blackbird, or grackle; the sparrows; the rose-breasted grosbeak; the swallows; the cedarbird; the catbird; the brown thrasher; the house wren; the robin, and the

This bulletin, being one of the series of Farmers' Bulletins, two-thirds of which are set aside under the law for distribution through Senators, Representatives and Delegates in Congress, may be obtained free upon application to the Secretary of Agriculture or to a Senator or member of the House of

King Hay. It used to be said that Cotton was king: also that Corn was king; but Hay is as much entitled to the throne as either. The best hay is that cured without much

exposure to sun or storm.
Flush June pasture furnishes an ideal ration. Why not have hay as nearly like it as

It is possible to greatly injure hay by overdrying. Cut, wilt, put in cocks, stand over night, open, and put in barn are good rules. Nothing should hinder commencing the hay harvest as soon as heads are formed, and a little before the blossom appears.

There are but a few days between the first

ossoms of timothy and the seed formation. When the seed begins to form the plant hanges rapidly to woody fibre. Best way to cure clover. Cut as soon as dew is off, rake and cock soon after dinner, let stand over one day, or next day turn coc over, open and draw into barn. It will not mould or mow burn.

Cows will give more milk during the win

ter months on a generous ration of hay cut just as the blossom appears without grain, than they will on late cut hay with seed nearly ripened and five pounds of grain. Plan during June for an abundance of forage crops to supply cows during the dry

Have at least two good sets of mower knives, carefully sharpened before you begin to cut. Change often and take time to keep them sharp and all rivets tight. The guard plates of the mower should be sharp and the knives held down close to them If the man who runs the mower has gump

summer and fall months.

tion his ear will help his eye to keep the machine in good running order. When thing begin to rattle "there is a screw loose somewhere."

The Fall Web Worms. It is now but a short time before the un sightly nests of the Fall Web worms will be balls are drawn into oblique position and seen upon the fruit trees and shrubbery. Of take on a dim and bleared appearance. The late years these pests have increased in num bers and it is also not unusual to see their come semiparalyzed, and the whole form is | white webs investing the tips of the branches of the pear and apple trees soon after the middle of July. Successive broods of these worms appear from the above date until the middle or last of August. As soon as the young caterpillars are hatched they begin to provide a shelter for themselves by covering the upper side of the leaf with a web. The feed in company beneath this web, devouring only the pulpy portion of the leaf. As they crease in size they enlarge their web, car rying it over the next lower leaves, all the upper and pulpy parts of which are eaten in the same way, and thus they continue their work downwards, till finally the web covers a large portion of the branch with the dry, brown, and filmy foliage, reduced to this un sightly mass of web, dead and dry leaves. The only effectual way to suppress thes little despoilers of our trees, is to cut off the

> above noted. Value of Tansy.

branch upon which they are found clustering,

as soon as seen, and crush them. Their round

winter in the pupa stage, emerge in June

and July and lay their eggs which hatch as

The sharp, bitter taste and smell of tansy weed is disliked much by insects that worry stock. It has long been a practice with farm ers to gather some tansy leaves, and rub them well over horses at work, giving espec ial care to the places which cannot be reached by the horses tail. It is an old saying that the flies bite more sharply after the first frosts give them warning of the approaching winter, during which they must remain dormant. There is probably no time when they are more troublesome than during the last of September and forpart of October. They are also most numerous then, having had all the

-A well-tilled farm with roadsides free from brush and bushes, shows its owner to be a man of intelligence and good taste. It speaks well of his farming. It advertises him better than a column in his farm pape could do.

-The best place to raise sheep is on hilly ground. Sheep like to rest on hilly ground. Hilly ground drains itself, and sheep are less liable to take cold when they can sleep or such land.

-See that every crevice in which a mis chievous lamb may poke its head is securely closed. Many a frisky little thing has got nto fatal trouble by inattention to this. -A cow will relish a bit of nice, swee imothy hay or bright clover, daily, no mat-

ter how good her pasture, and she will be all the better for it for a while at least. -A weak horse may be readily ruined by being compelled to work against one much stronger. Equalize the strength of the teams

-Minard's Liniment for Rheumatism.

In directions to bicycle riders regard he rule of the road it has freque pointed out that when overtaking and pass side, the cyclist must be extremely watchful against possibility of colliding with a wagon approaching from the opposite direction. The fact has not been emphasized, however, that the danger in such instances is far greater for a woman than for a man. This is not because she is less prudent or skilful in her riding either, but simply because of the way in which she is dressed. Any skirt, no matter how well it is cut and fitted, will blow about somewhat, and in passing through a comparitively narrow space between two veangled in the spokes of the wheels on the leeward" side of the rider-if a nautical erm may be forgiven. Such an occurrence would be almost certain to cause a horrible accident, and yet every cyclist who has ridden much in the city has doubtless seen dozens of hair-breadth escapes from just this state of affairs. The only preventive is unremitting vigilance on the part of the woman as she overtakes or passes a wagon. Sometimes I have thought that there is more danger when she is riding with a man, because it is natural, after seeing him pass safely be tween the vehicles, to suppose that she can follow him without risk. She does not always remember in time that her fluttering

thinking and equally prompt action, the characteristics of a good rider, become necessary. asy to Take
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skirt requires more room. It is only one

the many occasions in bicycling where quick

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Bridgetown, April 20th, 1897. ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE ALL persons having legal demands agains the estate of RICHARD S. McCORMICK late of Bridgetown, in the County of Annapolis wn, in the County of Annapolis ased, are requested to rende attested, within one year from and all persons indebted to said

MARY MCCORMICK,

NOTICE ALL persons having legal demands agains the estate of ALBERT FITZRANDOLPH AGNUS M. FITZRANDOLPH,

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Administrator, Lawrencetown.

Williamston, April 12th, 1897. Portland Cement. The subscribers will have a car load of sixty bbls. Best Portland Cement landed here about middle of April. This having been bought at a low figure, and through rate of freight from Antwerp to Bridgetown, we are enabled to offer it at lower rates than it has ever been bought for in Bridgetown.

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leges. A series of articles touching upon the life of our older universities as represented by the doings of the students themselves. Judge Henry E. Howland writes on "Undergraduate Life at Yale." Mr. James Alexander on "Princeton," and "Harva-dant and Edward S. Martin on "Harva-dant." Harvard."

pan and China since the War will be most interesting group of articles richly Inustrated.

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** It is impossible in a small space to even mention the many attractive features for 1897. A beautiful illustrated booklet has been pared, which will be sent, postage paid, on re-pared, which will be sent, postage paid, on recribner's Magazine \$3 a year, 25 cents a copy. CHAS. SCRIBNER'S SONS

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CAUTION! All persons indebted to the estate of the late J. AVARD MORSE, either by accounts or promissory notes, are hereby notified that ill payments of the same must be made to be understand as a payment by the same must be made to

Bridgetown, March 10th, 1896.

A. STANLEY BANKS. Waterville, Kings Co., Nov. 13, 1896, 18 ly

The Bousehold.

Ethel and Bessie consider "Aunt Lu" a veritable gold mine, as she knows or invents many new games for them. The last one she has played at grownup parties in the city. She calls it "What I had for Supper." Aunt Lu-Ethel, what did you have for

Bessie-I had beefsteak and potatoes Aunt Lu-I had beefsteak, potatoes and Ethel-I had beefsteak, potatoes, pickles

and bread.

Bessie—I had beefsteak, potatoes, pickles, bread and hot tomales. So it goes on, each player adding an article to the list, which must be repeated exactly in order every time. Whenever a player leaves out or misplaces an article she

is 'out,' the player with the best memory Another of Aunt Lu's plays is called Ethel says-I see something that begins

carefully about the room for articles begin-ning with the required letter. In this case Aunt Lu and Bessie guessed book, basket, outton, banner, bookcase, bible, balloon the bow of the violin, and came off victor.

It was her turn to give a letter and she said: I see something that begins with A. Mamma guessed the arch of the double doors, which shut the book up with a snap, losing the was right. In this play it is not the thing place, and hand it back to the boy with a to give up, but the players are expected to puzzled air, as if he did not understand why

guess till the article is discovered. Mamma's button box furnishes much entertainment. Horses, cows, dogs, sheep, kangaroos and a whole menagerie of animals book to find where that stuff was printed." are found in it and fill many a play hour. These little maidens have been much inerested in learning the names of the various ars and stellations. Not long ago they

called mamma into the sitting room to see what they had made. On the floor, done in outtons, were representations of the principal member of the Sunday school, says the Bufwas in his place near the south windows; the dogs, the hare, the bull and the seven on children's day. Pet has quite a repe the dogs, the hare, the out and the set of little selections which she has learned to brass button shown in her glory. It was a recite at home for the benefit of the family novel play and might be carried out by mak- and callers before whom her mama desires to ing outlines of any familiar objects, such as show her off. Generally when she begins animals, houses or plants. Children will she goes through the list. Her mother has

Another favorite play is with spools. They have saved fifty, and with these they play battle. The spools are evenly divided and They are then placed in ranks. Sometimes the rule is to make them touch one another, at other times not. The big spools are the very nicely. Then, forgetting her mother's mmanders and stand at regular intervals a few inches in front of their men, and silk spools are drummer boys. A small marble

That would have been very well if Pet would s ammunition, and with this each side shoots n turn. Every spool knocked over is a dead nan and is placed at one side in the dead school and the confusion of the unregenerate in turn. Every spool knocked over is a dead pile. Sometimes a spool is knocked over but wounded and may be returned to the ranks.
At first it is easy to kill the men but as the clear voice and with much emphasis: play progresses leaving gaps in the ranks it becomes more difficult and grows quite exciting toward the last. The little drummer boys are hard to kill and therefore very de-

heir boys play this game, and they laughed so hard at the bad shots that the boys dared them to do better. So down they got on their knees and were soon as excited as the boys had been, and made quite as bad shots, the amusement of the rest of the grownups and the delight of the boys. It is a game of which boys do not soon weary .- Marie

invited three or four of his neighbors. Pat "God giveth His beloved sleep," and little children should have plenty of it. It is the tendency of the times to disregard this necessity, hence the increase of nervous diseases among our young men and women. Sleep means growth with young people, and unless

there is much sleep there will be no healthy Nature teaches a little child to lie down and sleep whenever it is weary, and after a a bath or after its mid-day meal, and it is only through artificial influences that a little child leaves off the habit of taking a daily nap, and it is generally due to the mother's neglect that it is finally dispensed with. Moike, in his most modest way, wishing to Vet the world often symphasizes with the mother rather than the child when towards night baby grows cross and fretful, while the mother often grows impatient, forgetting the does yez think Oi'm carving—a spider?" long, tiresome day which the little one has endured. What wonder that these little ones grow up into nervous young men and omen with no constitutions to speak of!

Many grown people are pressed for time o accomplish all that they desire, and in heir search for gold or daily bread, find little time to rest, yet that is no reason why they should begrudge their children an extra hour's sleep in the morning because they have an inherited idea that it is more health ful for them to rise early, and they fear that if they are allowed to sleep until they naturally awaken, habits of laziness will be formed which will mar their after lives.

oatmeal water represent a fair proportion of | wid de gold specs? Well, I goes up in front their nourishing strength. Oatmeal gruel, especially excellent for invalids, is prepared by adding an ounce of washed meal and a re yer doin'?' she says, jist like that. pinch of salt to three pints of water, then Madam, says I, in a weak an' tremblin' boiling down to two pints, straining, allow- voice, 'I've got ter do it; I ain't had ennying it to cool and pouring off the clear liquor.

A few raisins added toward the close of the boiling impart an improved flavor. Sugar, lemon juice and nutmeg are sometimes added then she says, as I wos gettin' ready for a to improve the flavor. With beef tea oatto improve the flavor. With beef tea oat-meal is of value in the sick room, and the an' try it here; de grass is longer.'" two are combined in this manner: Mix two tablespoonfuls of oatmeal with two of cold water, add to a pint of strong beef tea, boiling; boil six minutes, stirring all the time, then strain through a fine sieve and serve

The Best Uses of Oatmeal.

Oats yield most of their nutrient principles

Oatmeal water is prepared by boiling oatmeal in considerable water and straining it.
Added to the milk given bottle-fed babies, it prevents coagulation of the caseine of the milk in large, firm curds, and is also mildly laxative. A little salt should be added to the water while boiling.

-To make a bread pudding with nuts, butter a pudding dish and place in the bottom a layer of stale bread crumbs. Cover the a layer of stale bread crumbs. Corumbs with some almonds blanched and cut in pieces; then another layer of crumbs and there was an orfin 'sylum an' one hundred there was an orfin 'sylum an' one hundred the corumbs. in pieces; then another layer of crumbs and Brazil nuts cut in slices. Continue alternating the layers until a generous cupful of nut meats has been used and a cup of crumbs.

A little salt should be sprinkled over the body give that orfin sixpence?" "I think crumbs. Dissolve two tablespoonfuls of so, Bob," replied Mr. Spurgeon, "but why?" sugar in one pint of milk and pour oversthe "Cause I'm him," said Bob. The story goes crumbs and nuts. Place the dish in a slow ven and bake about two hours, keeping the dish covered the first half hour.

-Salt is good to check bleeding of the lungs and as a nervine and tonic for weak, thin blooded invalids. Combined with hot my repair outfit in me pocket. water, it is useful for certain forms of dyspepsia, liver complaint, etc.

Joker's Corner.

Nye as a Joker Here are some stories from the Inc

Riley, his dearest friend, tells:
"A favorite amusement with him was the reading of imaginary signs at the stations when we were travelling. When the trains would stop, and that hush would come over the car, with half the people wonde their fellow-passengers were, and the other half viewing the little grocery on the one side of the station, restaurant, or billboard on the other, Nr. Nye would break forth and water, crackers—highest price paid for hides and tallow—also ice cream, golden syrup and feathers." The passengers across the alsie would perk their ears, then rise and come reading from the billboard, or finally some clare that he could not find where it said that. In a quiet way this would tickle Nye

beyond measure—away down in the deeps of his sad, pathetic spirit. "His conferences with the train boys have vith B.

Then in turn each player guesses looking the boy handed him a book Nye would sak with great interest what it was about, and listen patiently to all the boy knew of its sing song a lot of purest nonsense, drawn ously that the boy's eyes would hang out as the young man had lied so about its conte We could find that boy for an hour after

BUT SHE WAS GENEROUS WHEN SHE RES Pet is three years old and a very devout led around near the double doors, and orion in that very innocent form of theatrical engame.

not thought it necessary to teach her a new one, but had told her to recite one of heroid

ones to the Sunday school, cautioning her that she must confine herself to one. It was Pet's first appearance in so public a place. She was not embarrassed; only little nervous. But she went through the have stopped there, but the horror of her father who was responsible for it all, may be imagined when she closed her little perform-

I never saw a purple cow; I never hope to see one. I never hope to see one.
But I can tell you anyhow,
I'd rather see than be one. Pat M'Carthy's Chicken

by telling a story which convulsed the President with laughter. It lilustrated the fac tribute won't go around by long odds. It was this: Pat McCarthy gave a dinner, to which he

President McKinley really likes to

enator Mason, of Illinois. Not long ago

had allowed his wife to cook only one chicken When dinner was served, Pat took possession of the carving knife, and, in a most hospitable tone, said to Mrs. Dugan:
"What part of the fowl will you have?" "A leg, if you please," was the answer.
"An' what part will yez have? Would

yez loike some of the white?" Pat inquired of Mrs. O'Hooligan. "An' a leg will do me," she answered. As each answered the part of the fowl she lesired was given her "What part will yez have, Moike Walsh?" Pat blandly inquired of his neighbor.
"Oi balave Oi will take a leg, too," said

follow in the footsteps of the rest of his con "Begorra," said Pat to Mickey, "what A Smart Brother.

A negro was discovered carrying a very

large armful of books, which brought forth the inquiry:
"Going to school?" "Yes, sah, boss." "Do you study all those books?" "No, sah; dey's my brudder's. I'se a ignorant kind er nigger side him, boss. Yer just oughter see date nigger figgerin'. He done gone an' ciphered clean through addi-

tion, partition, subtraction, distraction, abomination, justification, creation, amputation and adoption." -" I've just struck it rich," said a tramp to his pal the other day. "See dat nice, to boiling water, therefore oatmeal gruel and rich-lookin' old lady over there on de lawn, thin' ter eat fer four days.' 'Pore feller, come wid me,' she says, jumpin' up an' lead-

> Why He Was Happy. Lander-Hello, what's up? You look as happy as if you'd just fallen heir to a million Benjamin—That's how I feel. One of my teeth has been almost jumping out of my head for a week, and this morning I decided that I couldn't stand it any longer, so I went to Landor-Ah, and you've got rid of the roublesome thing! Well, that would na

> turally—
> Benjamin—No. What tickles me is that the dentist wasn't in. -The following colloquy is reported be orfins in it, an' all the orfins had uncles an aunties to bring 'em cakes an' apples, 'cept body give that orfin sixpence?" that the orfin got the sixpence.

-The Minister-Little boy, aren't you afraid that something will happen to you if you keep on riding your bicycle on Sundays? Little Boy-Oh, I ain't a-scared. I've got

Minard's Liniment cures Burns, etc.