perfectly clear conscience answers, "No." "Then may I ask What do you look upon us as?" says Barke, pitilesaly. Roger not only measures the distance be-tween himself and the door; he rises to him feet. He has been held a brave soldier in action, a hardy sporteman in the field; but hoked upon women as women," he answers, Miss Burke turns her head argonic

FARM AND GARDEN.

Paying Their Bets. A. T. Elmhurst, of Camden, N.J., ate a

A TALE OF TWO TAYLORS.

CURRENT TOPICS.

ON AUG ANTEAR

The new Indian statistical abstract con-tains a table showing the increase in the area and population of India since 1842. In that year the area was 626,000 square miles, in 1844 it increased to 675,000, in 1847 to 634,000, in 1845 to 699,000, and so on down to 1855 more or less was added every year (accept 1852) until it reached 832,000 square miles, and in 1856 it rose to 832,000 square miles, and in 1856 it rose to 832,000 square miles, and in 1856 it rose to 832,000 square miles, and in 1856 it rose to 840,000. At this is remained until 1865, when this increased to 660,000, in 1832 this rose to 868,256, and in -1886 to 947,887 square miles. So that British India in 1884 was half as large again as it was in 1842. Perhaps this extraordinary increase will be better understood when put in this way : 18 in col 1842 an area equal to that of Framo, 18 de frame, Spain and the German empire to drame, Spain and the German empire to drame, Spain and the German empire to drame, Spain and the German empire to dray and plations of the as large as largy and Portugal together was added to this; by 1862 a further area s large as Hangy was added; by 1882 this was increased by an area of Holland, and by 1886 an area tequivalent to that of the whole German empire, excluding the kingdom of Prussia. Half the destroyed my appetite." She then proceeds to mention a livib destar. The the as quite destroyed my appetite." She the proceeds to mention al livib destar. The the the colloues of the as live before to that of the of colloues of the associated to this; the then proceeds to mention al livib destar. The the the colloues of the lady which illustrates the ideas of the Lady Where grace and beauty mose about True happiness will off be found. Where ruby lips and glowing check The gift of rugged health beepeak, The artist, Nature's nobleman. We risk the treaseure of his art, Dub lines energy of the set. The set of the set of the set. Pair maiden, may life's richest joy Spread her bright manile over thee May years but gently with you toy, And pleasures swee, without alloy, With fairest blossome cover thee; But should, perchance, thy beauty fi Thou can're call quickly to thy ald with fairest blossoms cover thee; But should, perobance, thy beauty fade Thou can'st call quickly to thy aid Our Golden Medical Discovery. Our Golden Medical Discovery. Remember that Pierce's Golden Medica Discovery is a sure cure for all skin erup-tions and diseases of the blood. Imperative.

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therefore, to have the buildings warm. Another point to be considered is that the health of the animals is promoted and there is less liability of disease, and conse. quently a greater production of meas, milk and butter. With warmth, and the re-quirement of a smaller ration for each animal, more stock can be kept, which not only adds to the profit, but also to the manure heap, upon which the fertility of the farm depends. Other Farm Gleanlogs. Mud on the cows ahould not be allowed.

Mud on the cows should not be allowed. Use the brush. A cow should be kept as clean as a horse.

Cooked clover, and the mess thickene Cooked clover, and the mess integenerative with ground cats, makes an excellent addi-tion to the food of the brood sow. It is claimed that an occasional rolling with a heavy roller will so compact the soil that ants will be driven away.

Cold frames can be used for forcing some of the hardy plants in winter. Early cab-bage and lettuce are grown in this manner.

Mix wood ashes, cinders and gravel to-gether for your garden walks, and run a roller over it after each rain until it is well packed.

Lawn fertilizers are clean, free from weeds and as odorless as possible, being in-tended for use by ladies who make a spe-cialty of flower gardens.

For forcing lettuce, radiehes, etc., in reenhouse the temperature should never be more than 50° day or night. Too much armth is injurious.

warmth is injurious. Damp floors cause cold, due to evapora-tion. The feet of animals are injured, and disease of the limbs occurs when they are compelled to stand or sleep on damp loca-tions. The bed of the animal is very im-portant. It is economical to use clean, dry material daily, and not delay obanging the bedding until the whole is saturated with arine.

urine. In feeding grain to poultry it is better to vary it, allowing wheat and oats as well as corn. Cooked potatoes make an agreeable change for laying hens. Rhubarb plants should be covered with manare and the covering left ou until spring. The result will be strong and large stalks when the growing season arrives.

Diphtheria Carried by a Turkey. A fowl with diphtheria was brought to the house of a veterinary surgeon on April 24th and died on the 29th. The feeding and nursing of the bird devolved on a lad aged 14, who was assisted by his brother, aged 5. On the evening of May 11th the writer was called to see the little boy of 5, who had been poorly for a day or two. He had enlarged cervical glands on the left side, which had come on rapidly. He was a delicate little follow, with far hair and anemic aspect. The fances were more or less covered with diphtheric membrane, the left tonsil more especially. Under the administration of binoidid of mercury and iron the throas symptoms cleared up and the child made a good recovery. O a the day after this case was first seen the boy who fed the fowl was feverish and had similar patches over his fances, but not to the same extent as his brother. A sister, aged 9, had slot a similar explosion on the fances. On the 18th the mother, who nursed them, was takched, and was simi-larly treated. They were all kept well up with beef tes and stimulants.-British Medical Journal.

arrives. An application of kerosene oil will ma-terially prevent rust on the iron work of implements. Implements should be put away in a dry place where dampness can-

not reach them. The fall colt will pay well, as the dam will not have much labor to perform at this season. By the time the colt is weaned the spring work will commence, and the colt can be put out on the pasture.

can be put out on the pasture. Cut out the old canes of blackberries and raspberries as soon as the ground freezes and burn them, which will aid in de-stroying insects. It is not advisable to postpone such work until apring, as it can-not then be don as well as now. If there be any place in your garden where the soll is poor, and in which nothing seems to thrive, plant it "thickly with petunias. These will thrive through any drought and produce an endless supply of baatiful flowers throughout the season. Early maturity is an important factor in

Destituti nowers throughout the season. Early maturity is an important factor in the qualifications of beef cattle. A good 3-year-old steer can be made to dress 70 per cent. If properly field. It is the young, quick-growing steer that pays, and it should be marketed as soon as it reaches that point at which the greatest profit is obtained.

Roses should be mulched around the

A. T. Elmhurst, of Camden, N.J., ste a large roast crow on Thursday evening. Judge Martine, of New York, will pay for every snit of clothes that Police Commis-sioner French wears during the next year. Thomas LeCuyer, of Baltimore, carried a 200-pound friend around the City Hall three times because Cleveland did not win. Six members of the Tartarus Club, of Lowell, Mase., sat on the roof of a barn all Thureday night in settlement of a bet on

Thursday night in settlement of a bet on Cleveland. George Glatz, a Chester (Pa.) Democrat,

George Glatz, a Chester (Pa.) Democrat, stood up against a fence day before yester-day and allowed William Furth, a Republi-can, to pelt him with over-ripe ergs. Miss Nina Webster and Mr. Elmer Thomas, both of Cleveland, O., are two-very unhappy people just now. They were engaged to be married, and so sure were they both that the Democratic candidate would carry the day that the bride-elect agreed that if Grover Cleveland were elected she would marry Mr. Thomas on inauguration day. But in the gladness of their trusting Democratic hearts they also made a daring bluff at fate by agreeing that if Harrison were elected they would delay the ceremuny four years.—*Chicago News*. an area of Holland, and by 1880 an area equivalent to that of the whole German empire, excluding the kingdom of Prussia, was added to this. The area of the native States under British protection, which are not included in the above examination, is roughly equivalent to the combined areas of the Questro Hungarian empire, Spain, Portugal and Italy.

Diphtheria Carried by a Turkey. A Good Reason, Too.

A Good Resson, Too. It is said that in eight cases out of ten if a man gets \$50,000 all of a sudden he will either go cracked in the head or make a laughing stock of himself. That's doubt-less the reason why Providence keeps \$50, 000 away from so many of us.—Detroit Free Press. Press.

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neringe pies that y'es was fternoon.—Epoch. His Crowning Effort.

"Ah. Lionel, that poem is beautiful!" 'Yes, Agatha, it is the crowning effort of life." And Lionel-my Lionel! it will bring

"Yes, Agatha—and perhaps two dollars."

At the Ball,

A Recessary Caulion. "Remember, Uncle Rastus," cautioned the Magistrate, "that you are not com-pelled to disclose anything which may criminate yourselt." "Den, I reckon, I'll keep my mout shet, Judge," was the wise reply. Miss Keane (to the handsome young physician)—Oh, doctor, how do you do? You look killing this evening. Young Physician (quiety)—Thank you, but I'm not; I'm off duty, don't you kuow. Dacket Magazing

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Jonesby—Say, Smithkin, let me have \$10, will you ? Smithkin—Well — really-- dear — boy—

I— Jonesby—Oh! Yes, I know. Your wife's been sick and you've had big doctor's bills to pay and high rents, and you've got pay-ments to make and all that, but I let you have \$10 last summer, and now I want it.

Something to Match.

i late at night—being scarcely in bed before 10—that I am quite sick of it. The irregn-lar life which I had led since I came to this a place has quite destroyed my appetite." She then proceeds to mention a little detail which illustrates the ideas of the Lady Anne Boleyn and her centemporaries as to what was the normal appetite in a healthy Englishwoman at that period. "You Know," hie writes to her corres-pondent, "I could manage one pound of bacon and a tankard of good ale for my breakfast in the country, but in London I find it difficult to get through half that quantity." Major Stofah-" Can you sell me a blue necktie to match my eyes?" Clerk, politely-" Very sorry, sir, we are just out oi blues, but I can sell you a beau-tiful red one to match your nose."

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Rev. W. T. Turner, Methodist pastor at Harrow, Ont, died suddenly the other day. Office boy (to editor)—There's a mad old, gent outside, sir, what wants to see you. Editor—Did he say what he wanted 7 Office boy—Yessir; he said that you printed a poem that his son writ, an'he says he'll have satisfaction or go to a hosepital. Marx Anderson hes bronch over with

Mary Anderson has brought over with her two or three new lyrics by Tennyson, which she will recite during her next sea-

son. The quickest sightseeing on record is It is possible in France to insure the life of a child one day old.