

Its Usefulness Ended.

"Hi there, sir," shouted a Florida landlord to a departing guest who was rushing for the train, "you've dropped your pocket-book."
"All right," shouted back the guest, without stopping, "I've no further use for it."

A Natural Born Politician.

Mother—"Johnny, don't you hear me? Go and bring me an armful of wood this instant. What are you and Agnes doing?"

Johnny—"Holding a convention. I'm trying to get Agnes to vote for me for chairman."

Mother—"Why don't you vote for him, daughter, so he can do what I told him to do?"

Agnes—"Very well, Johnny, I vote for you for chairman."

"That elects me. The chair appoints Agnes a committee to bring in the wood."

Varieties.

What is harder to beat than a boy you can't catch?

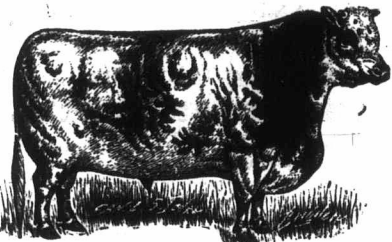
"Here we come," exclaimed the farmer who undertook to train a young steer by yoking himself up with it, "here we come, blame our fool souls. Won't somebody head us off?"

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On Thursday, the 1st of November.



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—WILL TAKE PLACE ON HIS—
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THURSDAY, 18th DAY of OCTOBER,
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—ON—
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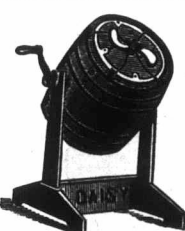
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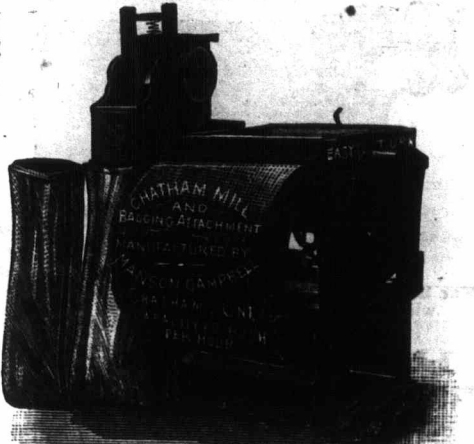
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