A "J. P." that Fined Himself. Robert Malzahn, justice of the peace at Good Thunder, Minn., dispenses liquor at retail when not occupied with his judicial cares. A food inspector secured from Mr. Malzahn's place of business a sample of blackberry. A complaint was sworn out and Judge Malzahn in his judicial capacity, heard the case of Malzahn, the saloonkeeper. Finding Malzahn, the defendant, guilty, Judge Malzahn imposed a fine of \$25, and then as Malzahn, the saloonkeeper, he paid the fine. The money has been remitted to the state treasurer.

Royalties Coming Here.

If all promises are fulfilled the United States will have royal visitors galore next summer. So far these have announced their intention to visit the land of the free: King Leopold of Belgium, King Menelik of Abyssinia, the Crown Prince of Germany, the Crown Prince of Sweden and the Crown Prince of China.

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apt to do wholesale grumbling.

only spurring a rocking-norse Science is simply the search into

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man hasn't predicted.

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Free to Twenty-Five Ladies.

25 ladies a round trip ticket to the "corn was corn." It is noticeable that St. Louis Exposition, to five ladies this year corn of selected varieties is nois, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas and selling at as high as \$3.00 per bushel Missouri who will send in the largest and the seedsmen are unable to supply cent, 16-ounce package of Defiance where in the above named states, al colleges and agricultural papers These trade marks must be mailed to have spread among the people. They and received by the Defiance Starch have shown the great value of select-Co., Omaha, Nebr., before September ed seed corn, and have demonstrated 1st, 1904. October and November that the difference in money value bewill be the best months to visit the Exposition. Remember that Defiance tween two bushels of corn may be is the only starch put up 16 oz. (a very great. full pound) to the package. You get one-third more starch for the same money than of any other kind, and Defiance never sticks to the iron. The tickets to the Exposition will be

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Sugar Beet Experiments. The results of experiments with sugar beets by J. J. Vanha and by H. Claassen have been summarized in the Experiment Station Record. In Vanha's experiments beets were grown 20, 25 and 30 cm. apart in rows 35, 40 and 45 cm. distant. The distauce allowed each plant ranged from 700 to 1,350 sq. cm. The smallest yields were obtained from the 35 cm. rows with the plants at intervals of 30 cm. Planting the beets 30 cm.

apart in rows 45 cm. distant gave much the best yields. Mr. Claassen undertook to determine the effect on the development of the plant of removing or injuring the leaves of sugar beets, while the plants were still growing. In one row the small inner leaves of the plant were entirely cut away; in another row the larger outer leaves were removed; while from all except the smaller inner leaves of the plants in a third row, one-half of the leaf surface was cut away; and in a fourth row the leaves were mutilated in a manner approximating injuries due to hail. The smaller inner leaves were soon replaced after their removal by a new growth. The larger leaves were not replaced, but the remaining ones made a good vigorous growth so that by the end of the season the ground was again well covered. The injured leaves remained green and fresh and the smaller inner leaves of these particular plants were induced to make a better growth by this treatment. The results showed that the removal of the leaves and injury to the same had practically no effect on the sugar con-To be ashamed of one's wife or tent, but that it reduced the weight of the beets. Cutting away the inner leaves had the least effect. It is estimated from the data obtained that the removal of the entire leaves or parts fun with his vaudeville stunt of quick of the same whether by hail or otherwise, may cause a reduction of 30 per cent in the weight of the crop.

Potato Scab. Some preaching is about as filling mula of the Bordeaux mixture for po- plum and apricot. The late frosts are Senator Spooner, who to you vil make on potato vines for the blight or the trees are in blossom on low land. und vill now do so." The man who hurries is frequently downy mildew, but not for potato The lowland also maintains better scab. Potato scab appears on the sur- conditions for the plant diseases that face of the potato. The best preven- are sure to infest the orchards sooner tive is to soak the seed for about two or later. If the land was formerly in from planting on infected lands. From Weed's "Fungi and Fungi- setting out fruit trees.

cides" we quote: "Experiments at the North Dakota Station by Professor Bolley, show that the disease may be prevented by soaking the seed in a weak colution of corrosive sublimate. Procure an ordinary barrel and fit into the base a common wooden faucet. Purchase of a druggist two ounces of finely-pulverized corrosive sublimate (Mercuric Bichloride). Empty this all into two gallons of hot water and allow it to stand over night or until apparently all dissolved. Place in the barrel thirteen gallons of water and then pour in the two-gallon solution. Allow this solution to stand in the barrel four or five hours, during which time it should be several times thoroughly agitated, to insure equality of solution before using. Select as fair seed potatoes as possible, wash off all the old dirt, and immerse as It's the black sheep that generally many as possible, leaving them in the solution for one hour and thirty minutes. At the end of this time turn off the solution into another vessel. The same solution may thus be used a number of times if wished. After drying the potatoes may be cut and planted as usual. Plant upon ground that has not previously borne the dis-A man can make his wife believe al- ease. The potatoes may be cut be-

We believe the formalin treatment is the best, because formalin is less Of course, the real test of a pudding dangerous than corrosive sublimate.

> Seed Corn in the Ear. The matter of selling seed corn in

the ear is receiving a good deal of attention at the present time. In an interview with J. C. Vaughan, that gentleman, who is one of our oldest seedsmen, said that he had no doubt the practice had come to stay. He himself had believed for twenty years that the only way to sell seed corn was in the ear, and in 1885 he tried to establish the custom, but found himself far in advance of his times. The times have now caught up with him in this matter. In the year men-A rain of errors is one the weather tioned he laid in a large stock of corn in the ear and advertised it largely. But he could sell little of this corn for the reason that corn in the ear cost more to the consumer than shelled corn. He tried sending out sample ears at 5 cents each, but few would buy even the sample ears. His prices for corn on the ear ran at from \$1.80 to \$2.50 per bushel, while his competitors were selling shelled corn at from \$1.25 to \$1.75 per bushel. The price was a weightier matter at that time than the quality of the corn, The Defiance Starch Co. will give as all farmers then believed that the demand.

The cause of the change in public cold water laundry starch. This sentiment in this matter is the means from your own home, any amount of information our agricultur-

Sawdust as Mulch. Sawdust makes a good mulch for various kinds of fruits, especially for strawberries. Many of our readers doubtless live near saw mills where sawdust can be obtained at a very low cost. This will save the strawberries from becoming dirty and will prevent the loss of moisture between the rows. It also makes a good mulch for gooseberries and currants. In the case of tree fruits it is also useful, but should squeezed out and crushed; or they not be permitted to pack too closely around the trees. Perhaps it is most | pinching the lump, or killed by inuseful where it is not turned under. sawdust is rather harmful to the soil, any grubs squeezed out or escaping but it would be difficult to demonstrate this.



Locating an Orchard. The orchard and fruit plantation should be located on sloping land. The soil will be drained of surplus water and will not bake and become as dry and hard in time of drouth, says O. M. Morris of Oklahoma. The north and east slopes are the best. They are much cooler in summer and are not subject to as great variations of temperature in winter. The effect the afternoon sun is somewhat weakened by the slope and the early blooming trees are not forced into blossom so early and more frequently escape the late frosts. The protection from the wind is perhaps the greatest benefit derived from such slopes. The warm dry winds of July coming well established. The southern slopes are warmer and earlier in the spring and for some purposes are to be preferred, but usually the fruit matures early enough and with apples in particular the latest varieties mature almost too early for winter use. A sandy loam soil with clay subsoil is best adapted to the use of all kinds of fruits. The trees set on heavy clay soil will produce a heavy growth of foliage and wood but will be slow to come into bearing, and the fruit will not be as bright in color as that grown on sandy soil. The trees grown on a poor sandy soil will usually make a poor growth and begin bearing young. These trees will short-lived and weak. The poor, thin, gray and black soils are poorly adapted to trees. The trees set on such land are almost sure to make hours in formaldehyde and refrain timber, it should be carefully examined for evidences of root-rot before

Cantaloupe Seed. The Rocky Ford is now the best better ones grown for home use, but away. if so, they have some characteristics that keep them from coming generally into the market. The Rocky Ford melon of the past was probably better than is the same melon to-day, for the reason that at first the eastern seedsmen were able to produce all the seed of this variety that could be sold. But as the demand increased, the seedsmen began to gather seed from almost all sources where cantaloupes were grown. The result was that much of it was not pure, some crossing having taken place with other and inferior varieties of melons. This has caused some deterioration in the case of Rocky Fords, and a good many melons have to be thrown out as culls when being packed.

Montreal Crab.

This is a well known variety of American origin. Trees have made only a moderate growth at this place. Forms an open, spreading head. Trunks average 16 inches in circumference at base; 15 inches at head. Trees have shown attack of both black rot canker and blight. (One tree | Biue Co., 14 Michigan Street, Chicago. much injured by blight.) First bloom noted in 1893; first full crop in 1895. Trees have borne full crops in 1897, a man with what his tombstone says 1899 and 1901. Small crops in 1898 in his favor. and 1900. On the whole a sure bearer and quite productive. Fruit large, yellow washed with bright red, quite none to equal it in quality and quanshowy. Flesh firm, crisp and rich. tity, 16 ounces, 10 cents. Try it now Flavor quite acid though not very as- and save your money. tringent. While not as fine in quality as Transcendant, its size, beauty, and productivity commend this variety.-Report of Virginia Station.

Failure of Orchards. Orchards fail for various reasons but chiefly for lack of care. In some of these cases the owners declare that best possible care; but the fact is that the people in charge have not known what was good care. Sometimes manure has been put on when the ground was rich enough anyway. In that way a growth has been stimulated that has resulted to the detri- also rip, if he is a tailor. ment of the trees. If a man wants a good orchard he will have to study along several lines before he will understand the various factors entering into the care of an orchard of any

Ox Warbles.

A bulletin of the Kansas Agricultural College says: Treatment should begin as soon as the warbles are no- woman is an evidence of true friendticed upon the animals' backs. Most ship. of the warbles or grubs can be destroyed by putting turpentine, kerosene, crude petroleum or mercurial

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Causing Iron to Swim.

Elisha required a stick to make the ax of iron swim. We have never learned the properties of that stick. But there is a pretty trick of causing pice of iron to swim of its own accord. Let it be a half inch thick, say, and two inches square, or have it round, and perfectly smooth on one side at least. Place the smooth side against the perfectly smooth, square end of an open glass tube, say an inch and a half in diameter, and hold it there until it and the tube are lowered into a vessel of water to a depth greater than about eight times the thickness of the iron. Remove the hand and the iron will remain in its place, the upward pressure of the water preventing its sinking. This is the principle of the iron ship.

Returned the Compliment. Lafcadio Hearn, writing from Japan, says that when Oyama, chief of the Japanese general staff, was judge advocate he attended a ball at Tokio one night. He was standing near a doorway, when a beautiful European and August do not strike the orchard | woman swept by, and so gently did with their full force and thus a great her charms impress Judge Oyama amount of moisture is saved for the that he exclaimed, involuntarily: use of the trees and fruit. This pro- "What a lovely woman!' She overtection from the wind is also of great heard him. With a little smile she value to young trees while they are looked back over her shoulder and, forming their root system and be- recognizing him, she said: "What an excellent judge."

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Senator Spooner of Wisconsin says the best speech of introduction he a very poor growth and be shy bear- ever heard was delivered by a Gerers. Good upland is the best for or- man mayor of a small town in Wisconchard land. The bottom land will sin, where Spooner had engaged to grow better and stronger trees, but speak. The mayor said: "Ladies they will seldom be as productive. und shentlemens, I asked haf been A Kansas reader asks for the for. This is especially true of the peach, to indrotoose you to the Honorable tato scab. Bordeaux mixture is used more liable to destroy the crop while a speech, yes. I half now done so,

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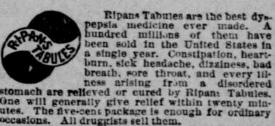
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