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A Novel Way of Popping the Question.

A young Aberdonian, bashful, but desperately in love, finding that no notice was taken of his visits to the house of his sweetheart, summoned up sufficient courage to address the fair one thus:

"Jean, I was here on Monday night." "Ay, ye were that," replied she. "An' I was here on Tuesday night."

"So ye were." "And I was here on Wednesday," continued the ardent youth.

"Ay, an' ye was here on Thursday night and a'."

"An' I was here last night." "Weel," she says, "what if ye were?" "An' I am here again the nich again."

"And what about it, even if ye came every night?" "What about it, did ye say? Div ye no begin to smell a rat?"—New York Sun.

—Ask your druggist for Electricity in a bottle. The greatest catarrh and headache remedy known. 11-4

Miss Minusa.—I didn't see you at the performance of "The Blonde Brigand," last night.

De Jones.—I was there, but I only staid through the first act.

Miss Minusa.—Why, didn't you like the play? The scenery was good.

De Jones.—I duresay it was, your hat filled the stage while I was in the theatre.

—SLEEPLESS NIGHTS, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. Sold by Smith & Black Bros.

Just Like the Mon. Pretty Kansas Wife—Yes, I voted at the late election, but I shall never do so again.

Kansas Old Maid—Law sakes. They all left the polls when I went to vote.—Nebraska Independent.

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"Papa," said a little five-year-old, pointing to a turkey gobbler strutting around in a neighbor's yard, "aint that red-nosed chicken got an awful big bustle?"—Chicago Rambler.

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—The world is a comedy to those who think; a tragedy to those who feel.

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—Every man has a thousand vicious thoughts which arise without his power to suppress.

—Our actions must clothe us with an immortality, loathsome or glorious.

—Man must sometime in his life recognize his nothingness.

FARM COLUMN.

THE NUTRITIVE RATIO IN FEEDING.

An animal on a sustenance diet neither working nor increasing is supposed to require an albuminoid ratio of 1-12 (that is food containing 1 lb. of nitrogenous matter to 12 lbs. of non-nitrogenous substance), or very nearly the composition of meadow hay.

For instance, it is quite evident that mangels, with an albuminoid ratio of 1-25, cannot be a suitable food to be used in any quantity for a ewe in lamb, and yet we constantly hear of abortions while the ewes are fed on roots.

The idea which prevailed so long that fat was formed from albuminoids, an idea which was supposed to be established by experiments carried out in Germany, gave a fictitious value to these substances, and even to this day we sometimes told that the more the oil is removed from the linsed cake the greater becomes its value as a food.

In the year 1852, at the conclusion of a long series of feeding experiments, I read a paper before the British Association in which I pointed out that the nutritive ratio in the cereal grains appeared to make them specially suitable for food purposes, and I should consider this to be as true now as it was then.

The following appears as a truism in a recent issue of the New York Mail and Express: "The son of a well known New Yorker left the city last summer to make his home with an uncle who had grown rich in the orient. Several months ago the family received a letter from the uncle saying that the nephew was dead and that the body had been embalmed and sent home in a sailing ship."

FARMS GROWING SMALLER.

Cleveland Leader: The cry has gone up from sensational labor agitators that the farm lands of this country are becoming the property of a few rich men, and Mr. Powderly has so far yielded to the nonsense to proclaim a Knight of Labor bull against an "incipient land-holding aristocracy."

Table with 4 columns: State, 1880, 1870, 1860. Lists farm statistics for Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois, Minnesota, Kansas, California, United States.

Thus it will be seen that in all the newer states, where settlers began by pre-empting eighty acres, and later on added another eighty, the acreage of farms has steadily decreased. In the country as a whole the decrease is very marked.

—Silence is the sanctuary of prudence.

so, and that the growth and prosperity of the country has not militated against this fundamental principle of our land doctrine.

In this, as in most of their talks, these agitators have taken a few individual instances instead of the grand average. If they know more about the subjects they discuss they would talk less. It is noticeable that it is not reuters or little farm owners who worry about the land. They are not troubled in the least. It is the idle, thriftless classes of city laborers who could not be induced to live on and work a farm; it is from them that the cry of land monopoly mainly arises.

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