

FACTS AND FIGURES.

The total exports of this country amounted last year to \$883,925,947, the proportion produced by agriculture being \$729,620,016, or very nearly 83 per cent. —Chicago Journal.

WIT AND WISDOM.

A sensational report is called a canard because one can hardly believe it. "I should think that you would feel badly about leaving this place," said the housemaid to the departing cook.

Good Morning, Professor.

In this favored land the Professor is running the Colonel a pretty close race, and the Colonel may just as well understand that he has to hump himself or he'll get shut out at the distance pole.

Ballooning.

We are now within a single year of the centenary of the first balloon, which was sent up on the 5th of June, 1783, by the brothers Montgolfier.

USEFUL AND SUGGESTIVE.

A tree overloaded with fruit can neither perfect the fruit nor ripen its wood properly. A great many trees are annually ruined by too much cropping.

About Roses.

All roses flower more profusely if vigorously pruned. It is best to cut the old wood with an unsparring hand, for the handsomest blossoms will spring from fresh growth and young shoots from the roots will bear the largest cluster of buds.

What a Pint of Manure Did.

A Wisconsin farmer sends this experience to the American Agriculturist: "Last year, in hauling yard manure across a field afterwards planted to corn, some of it scattered off in dribbles from a handful to a pint or so in a place.

Orange Insects.

When a dish of oranges is seen on the table for dessert, the fact is hardly realized that in all probability their surface is the habitat of an insect of the Coccus family.

THE ELIXIR OF YOUTH!

How old age was restored to youthful vigor. GENEVA, KANE CO., ILL., Sept. 20, 1881. To the proprietors of Burdock Blood Bitters, Buffalo, N. Y.

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