

THE FARMER'S STRATEGY.

Farmer Evans walked around his wood-pile and surveyed its diminished proportions with a considerable lowering of his shaggy eyebrows. "Somebody's helping themselves," he thought. "I must set my wits to work to discover the offender."

Cattle Dying in the Corn-Fields

T. A. C. Writes from Fort Dodge, Iowa, that thousands of dollars worth of cattle have died within a radius of a few miles after they were turned into the stalk-fields. Not one has recovered after seizure.

Hon. A. S. Paddock, of Nebraska.

Senator Paddock's many personal friends will recognize him in the following pen-picture by Col. Ingersoll in the Republic.—[Ed. JOURNAL.]

A German inventor has devised a bank-note album with leaves of asbestos paper, for the protection of notes, checks, and valuable documents.

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