Growing Roots Quickly.

The common garden radish furnishes an excellent example of the advantages of raising an esculent root as quickly as possible. If the seed is sown on poor soil early in the spring the growth of the plants will be very slow and as a consequence the roots will be tough, stringy and rank flavor. If, on the contrary, a rich, warm soil is prepared for them, the seed soon after the cold spring rains are over and young plants cultivated as soon as they are of sufficient size the roots will be juicy, crisp and of a mild and agreeable flavor. Unless radishes have attained a sufficient size, for the table within five weeks from the time the seed is sown they will scarcely be fit for eating. In France and Holland where great attention is devoted to raising radishes, special pains are given to maturing them as quickly as possible. Sand, pulverized earth and fine well rotted manure are mixed together to form a soil, while the best temperature for hastening growth is obtained by the employment of glass as in a hot bed. As the radish is almost the only esculent root that is eaten raw, there are special reasons for raising it in such a manner as to insure its being juicy and tender. But roots that requires to be cooked before they are eaten, as turnips, beets, parsnips and carrots, are superior almost in proportion to the shortness of time in which they are raised. If turnips and beets keep up a slow growth during several months they will be will have a rank taste. If a drouth occurs during their period of growth, removed. The letter adds; these roots will be composed in part of and more nutritions it will be. Vege- municipal authorities. tables that have been grown quickly What is true of edible roots is also require. true of those kinds of vegetables cold slaw. If it is slowly grown, scribed by quarantine regulations." however, it will be tough, of somewhat rank flavor, and a considerable amount of cooking will be required to render it digestible. - The excellence of Uffner and daughter drove from green peas and beans largely depends on the shortness of time in which they are grown. The sweet corn grown and canned in a high northern latitude is preferred to that produced farther south, probably for the reason that it is matured more quickly. If green corn, peas and beans are quicknone of the soluble matter they con-MARCH 17 31 11

A Celebrated Runner,

The pedestrian feats of the present amusement in European courts. He severely scorched, -Langaster (Pa,) ran from country to country, bearing New Era. messages of congratulation, condolence, despatches, and always beat HEAT AND SUNSTROKES IN ST, you wish to buy. rests he took standing; and, leaning streets.

against a tree or other support. At such times he covered his face with ROBBED .- Sheriff Thomas F. Worley last he was employed to discover the pressian that they were negroes .source of the Nile. Setting out from Newbern Democrat. Silesia on May 11, 1843, he ran to Jerusalem, and thence to Cairo, and up the western bank of the river into Syang, he was seen to stop and rest, away," says she. leaning against a palm tree, his face covered with a handkerchief. He rested so long that some persons tried wake him; but they tried in DON vain, for he was dead. He was buried at the foot of the tree, and it was years before his friends in Europe knew what fate had befallen him .-

THE SOUTHERN EXPRESS COM-PANY AND THE FEVER .- The president of the Southern Express Company has written a letter to agents referring to the fatal experience of last year, when the lives of twentyeight heroic employees were lost in efforts to maintain the express service intact during the prevalence of yellow fever, and informing them that tough and stringy, and the former the office in Memphis has been closed until the quarantine restrictions are

Pall Mall Gazette.

fibre so hard that it will not be ren- places where express offices may be No charge for recipe or right to use. Equal dered sufficiently soft to be digested closed, will be taken to the nearest to any \$50 guano. Has been tested for years even if boiled for several hours .- quarantine station, and there held Long cooking tends to destroy the subject to the order of consignees, unflavorand nutrient qualities of all vege- til means can be provided for its detables. The quicker any vegetable livery without violating the sanitary No20:1y can be cooked by boiling, the better regulations adopted by State or

"Matter destined to points on the may be quickly cooked, and will ac- Mississippi river, south of Memphis, cordingly be of fine flavor and of great should be sent via Vicksburg or value for human or animal food. New Orleans, as circumstances may

"It is to be hoped the fever will whose edible portions consist of statks, not spread, but should it do so, and leaves, head, bud and seeds. The quick- become epidemic, this company, for er asparagus, lettuce, cabbage, string the safety of its employees, and the beans, shell beans and peas are grown protection of the public health, (by the more excellent they will be. Cab- lessening the danger of contagion bage which is quickly grown is crisp incident to intercourse with the infecand of agreeable flavor, and is deli- ted localities) will not undertake to cious when eaten raw in the form of operate its lines beyond the limits pre-

Racing With Fire.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. Robert

Frackville to Shenandoah, Schuylkill

county, and met with a terrible ad-

venture. They had driven along for

some distance when they discovered that the woods were on fire on both sides of the road. After driving Mounted on Trucks or Frame of 6-8-10 through the fire several bundred yards the smoke become so dense that the ly produced they may be readily travelers were nearly suffocated, and cooked by steaming, which is better they had to lie down in the wagon than boiling as a means of preparing bed to prevent being smothered. The them for the table, as it extracts horses were urged forward and the race continued over the rough mountain road for a considerable distance, with the flames roaring on both sides and myriads of sparks falling in and about the wagon. Mrs. Uffuer's dress caught on fire, and her husband dropday, the Boston Journal says, cast into ped the reins to assist her in extinthe shade by the recorded exploits of guishing it, when she fainted in his Ernest Mensen, a Norwegian sailor in arms, While he was endeavoring to the English navy, early in the pres- bring his wife back to consciousness ent century. Mensen first attracted the horses were tearing along at a attention by running from London break-neck speed, and the wagon to Portsmouth in nine hours, and soon swerved, joited, and swung around in HORSE POWERS of all sizes. after he ran from London to Liver- anything but a comfortable manner. pool in thirty-two hours. Having Mrs. Uffner became conscious in a few distinguished himself at the battle of seconds, however, and just then her Navarino, in 1872, he left the navy husband saw a cloud of dense black and became a professional runner, smoke enveloping the road, and knew After winning a number of matches that they had reached the outskirts of he undertook the feat of running from the fire and were safe. The travel-Paris to Moscow. Starting from the ers were all slightly burned, but forplace Vendome at four o'clock in the tunately escaped without receiving afternoon of June 11, 1831, he enter- serious injuries. The heat was so ed the Kremlin at ten o'clock, a. m., great that the paint on the wagon on June 25, having accomplished the was entirely burned off, and the horsdistance of 1,760 miles in thirteen es badly burned. On the same day days and eighteen hours. The em- the omnibus that papries passengers FEED MILLS, &c., &c. ployment of Mensen as a courier-ex- from Prackville to Shenandoah ran traordinary soon became a popular the gauntlet, and the driver was We offer special inducements to cash

mounted couriers when matched Louis.-St. Louis, August 4.-The against them. He never walked but weather is getting exceedingly warm invariably ran, his only refreshment again, and several mild cases of sunbeing one biscuit and an ounce of stroke occurred yesterday and to-day. raspberry syrup per day, and two The mercury reached 97 yesterday, shot rests of ten or fifteen minutes and at 2 o'clock to-day ranged from each in twenty-four hours. These 94 to 98 on the principal business

A SHERIFF BUCKED, GAGED AND a handkerchief and slept. After the of Jones county, was attacked on the nep he pursued his way as much re- road leading from Trenton to Jackfreshed as though he had slept for sonville near John W. Eubank's planhours. In 1836, while in the em- tation about daylight one morning ploy of the East India Company, last week by three disgused white men Mensen was charged with the con- and robbed of \$650. He was badly veying of dispatches from Calcutta to bruised, bucked, gagged and tied to Constantinople through Central Asia. a tree, in which condition he was The distance is 5,615 miles, which found by Jim Gooding, colored, at the messenger accomplished in fifty- about 51 o'clock, A. M. The men nine days, or in one-third of the time who committed this daring robbery, made by the swiftest caravan. At were blacked up to convey the im-

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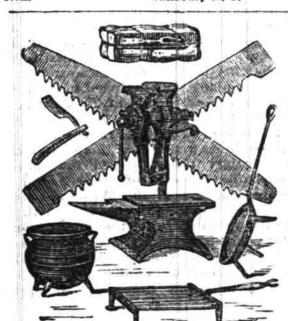
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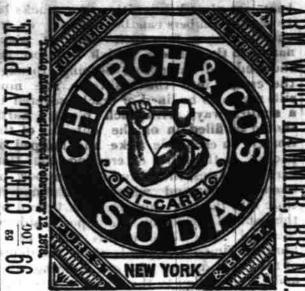
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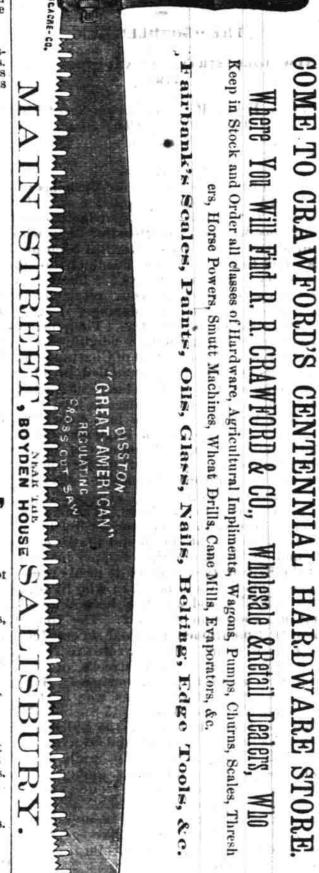
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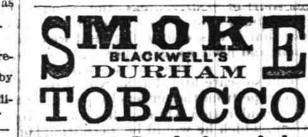
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