WATERING HORSES. - A work horse over the tops of the rolls. Place the tin watered regularly three times a day can in a hot oven to bake for 15 minutes. safely be allowed to drink as much as he wishes, if the water be good and of them, if necessary, so that they shall moderate temperature. If the horse be equally baked. For serving, take moderate temperature. If the horse be equally baked. For serving, take seems very thirsty and disposed to drink the rolls off the tin and place them on a rapidly and in large quantity, it is well hot dish. to check him after drinking a little, allowing him to slack his thirst by several separate draughts rather than by one. A horse much heated should not be allowed to drink at will. When it can be done conveniently, the comfort of the horses will be increased by having water in the field and giving them drink once or twice during each half day in hot weather. Several farmers who have tried it speak highly of the plan of stirring a little oat of corn meal in the water desingned for work horses. It is better to do this a few hours before the water is to be used. Thus in the morning, the meal may be stirred in water given the horse at noon. Care should be taken to keep the vessels used from becoming sour.

MICE AND BEES .- During the winter Therefore, fasten a plece of wire gauze | First Napoleon did the value of that over the entrance of the hives that may | vegetable in France. be in the cellar, or that may be buried in the ground; this will exclude mice and admit air; and over the entrance of hives that are covered with boxes, as mentioned above, fasten a piece of tin about a quarter of an inch above the bottom board so that the bees can just pass under the edge of it, while the mice are excluded.

congregate, will drive them away.

The Ulikon or Candle Fish, of Alaska The ulikon has long been an icthyoattention of every traveler who has visited the coast of British Columbia and Southern Alaska. It is a small silvery fish, averaging about fourteen inches long, and in general appearance enough to mix stiff. resembles a smelt. They are the fattest of all known fishes, and afford a superior oil when tried out. Dried, they serve as torches, and when a light is fuls of flour, salt, sliced apples to fill required, it is only necessary to touch | the dish. the tail to the fire, when they will burn with a bright light for some time. No description can give an adequate idea of their numbers when ascending the rivers from the sea. The water is literally alive with them, and appears to be boiling. These fisheries have not been utilized except by the natives. The most important of the native fisheries is on the Nasse river, near the southern boundary of Alaska. The spot is named "Kit-lak-a-laks," and a Catholic mission was situated there. Many tribes come to these fisheries, which begin about the 20th of March. The first fish caught is addressed as a chief, and many apologies are made to him by the Indians for the necessity which compels them to destroy his kindred for the supply of their own wants. A feast is given, with appropriate songs, speeches and dances, in h is honor, and after that the fishing proceeds. The fishes are caught in wicker baskets, and are dried or smoked as much as their oily nature will allow. The fishing lasts a fortnight or three weeks, and supplies many hundred aborigines with food for a considerable period:

A New Feature in the Scholars' Quarterly. The Scholars' Quarterly, published at the office of The Sunday School Times, has been so popular, during the past three years, that its quarterly circulaion has reached 140,000 copies. A new feature is to be added to it for 1879, which will make it even more highly valued, as it furnishes an appropriate closing hymn (words and music) for each lesson. It is not proposed to furnish new music; for that must be practiced thoroughly before it can be sung well. But is arranged with the leading publishers of Sunday-school music to select from their books the choicest of the well-known copyrighted hymns. In this selection, the editors of The Quarterly have been aided by some of the best judges of Sunday-school music in

the country. The Quarterly for 1879 will contain forty large pages (besides the maps). bound in a strong paper cover. In addition to the lesson notes and questions, it will contain colored maps, chronological tables, review exercises, opening and closing exercises, choice, familiar hymns, Bible dictionary pages, and other helpful matter. All for 62 cents

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### DOMESTIC.

SAUSAGE ROLLS .- Ingredients: Half a pound of mince-meat, half a pound of sage well into the mince meat with a two housemaids and the cook.' squares of paste. Put about a tableof each square of paste. Fold the paste around the meat, joining it smoothly down the centre, and pressing the ends it. Break one egg upon a plate, and beat it slightly with a knife. Take a

CORNSTALK SUGAR .- Some excellent work has been done lately by the chemists of the Department of Agriculture at Washington, and if Dr. Collier's experiments turn out as successfully as they have begun, they will give the farmers an almost entirely new source of wealth. He has been experimenting upon the manufacture of a syrup capable of being worked into crystalized sugar. The only mill at his disposal was a very old one, fitted with rusty screws, but even with this miserable apparatus he succeeded in expressing 2,773 pounds of juice from 11,237 pounds of cornstalks and 4,963 pounds of juice from 13,958 pounds or sorghum. With improved mills, Dr. Collier thinks that nearly ilfty per cent. more might easily be added. Farmers will now be able to mice are sometimes troublesome guests added. Farmers will now be able to in the apiary, especially if the hives utilize a large portion of the produce of are surrounded by straw in which they can harbor. The best preventive is to worthless, and subsequent experiments have the hives so tight that they can gain no admittance. For the sake of ventilation it is not well, however, to extraction upon an extensive scale of will, no doubt, augment the value of have the entrance closed air tight. sugar from beet at the instance of the swear it will burn him up, but put it

paste-brush, dip it in the egg, and paint

Look at them once or twice, and turn

In cooking buckwheat cakes, avoid too much grease-a piece of pork an inch square should last for a week. Buckwheats should be of good size, and each cake should consist of a large spoonful of batter. Good cooks always try their griddle first with a single cake. to be sure that all is right with both CAYENNE per per, sprinkled around batter and griddle. A hot plate should the shelves and other places where ants always be ready for the cakes.

FORK CAKE .- One pound fat pork chopped fine, over which pour one pint boiling water, two cups molasses, two ogical curiosity, and has attracted the cups brown sugar, two teaspoonsful soda. Spice and fruit to taste.

> Bunns .- Take one cup sugar, one cup of sour milk, one of raisins, small cup butter, one teaspoonful of soda. Flour

> BATTER PUDDING WITH APPLES .- Take one quart of milk, four eggs, six spoon-

### Regular, if not Satisfactory.

An operatic star of some note, connected with one of the principal Moscow theatres, wishing to make a short excursion into the country, went to get her passport countersigned by the local authorities. The presiding official received her politely, and having learned her business, inquired for "her written petition."

"My written petition," cried the lady, "I have none; I never knew that anything of the kind was required!" "Not required, Madam! On the con-

trary, nothing can be done without it.' "What am I to do then?"

"Nothing easier; be good enough to take this sheet of paper and write according to my dictation."

The applicant obeyed, and transcribed word for word, a formal petition requesting leave of absence from the city for a stated time, which was then duly signed, folded and sealed.

"And now," quoth the man of office, you have only to deliver it." "To whom, pray?"

"To whom?" echoed the official, with question, "why, to me of course!"

"Madam, I have read your petition, and regret to tell you that I am unable

### The Fat Men's Convention.

We can see some pleasure if no reason, in the convening of a baby show, but we confess we could never see the slightest cause, reasonable or otherwise. for a fat man's convention, unless it be the fact that misery loves company. For fifty or a hundred men, whose several weights range from two hundred The price of The Quarterly is 25 cents a year, or \$25 for a hundred copies a convention simply because of so much surplus avoirdupois, is absurd, to say the least. It becomes doubly so when we reflect that obesity is a disease. What would we think of as many persons emaciated by consumption hold-

### HUMOROUS.

Every one in England is now insisting upon the members of the household being vaccinated. Lady Frances Goldsmith followed this good example, and requested a surgeon to come with vaccine to her villa in Regent's Park on a certain day. On the morning of he day appointed, her nephew arrived

The nephew thought that he had mistaken the address of his aunt's house. and that he had inadvertently found his way into a private lunatic asylum. In vain he protested.

"Bequick, and have it over!" sternly observed Jeames, with the air of a patriot about to place his head on a block. Luckliy Lady Frances appeared upon the scene, and the contretemps was explained.

MISSISSIPPI RIVER INCIDENT .- One of the great and comfortable steamships which the Yankee constructs descends the Mississippi with a vertiginous rapidity.

When lo! a cry makes itself to be heard:

"A man in the waters!" "Stops!" cries himself the captain. Then, turning himself toward the purser, he demands: "Has he paid his

"He has paid," replied the purser.
"All right!" howled the captain, and the steamboat retakes its course, leaving the passenger behind. If the unhappy man had not paid in advance he might have been saved.

WHEN an English lord bishop visited an Episcopalian clergyman here lately, the latter instructed a colored boy in his service to knock at the bed-room door of the bishop early in the morning and say: "My lord, the boy." Accordingly, the next morning the boy, somewhat dazed by so much grandeur, knocked at the door of the bishop, who called out: "Who's there?" The boy responded: "The Lord, my boy."

Did it ever occur to you that "Romeo," in the garden scene, had just run him-self clear out of breath, in a wild chase about five feet ahead of a vicious old goat belonging to the Capulet estate, when, in pleading accents addressed. not to the light breaking from "Juliet's" window, but the pursuing goat, he exclaimed "Butt soft!"

A MAN may be ever so strong and brave and self-reliant, but when the rear button comes off his suirt band and his collar persists in climbing up and setting on the top of his coat he feels that his happiness, his every hope of comfort in this life, is in the hands of some woman.

It is wonderful the difference there is in the application of certain medicines. Put a mustard plaster on the outside of a man, and he will paw around and on a ham sandwich and he will put it cloth \$2.25, git. \$2.50. Lee & Walker keep inside of himself without a murmur. inside of himself without a murmur.

MOTHERS, do not let your darlings suffer with the Whooping Cough, if you have a remedy so near at hand. Jse Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, and the little sufferers will soon find relief. Price, 25 cents.

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IT REQUIRES great moral strength and tenacity of purpose to enable a man to sleep till seven in the morning, when an industrious fly has decided that he had better get up at half-past four.

Which is the king of trees? A straight fir. Why? Because it is fir

WHY is a gooseberry tart like the note

of a broken band? It is not current.

DESERVEDLY popular. We mean Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for it never fails to cure a Cough. Physicians recommend it. Price only 25 cents a bottle.

WHY is a nail driven hard into the wall like an old man? It is in-firm. IF I WERE in the sun and you out of

it what would the sun become? Sin. Why is hav like a mouse? Because

the cattle eat it (cat'll eat it). WHEN is a pie like a poet? When it's Browning.

WHEN is a door not a door? When it's a jar.

Plants for Paper Fiber.

The Scientific American gives a list of woods and plants used for making paper of the country. fiber and the percentage obtained, as given by the experience of a Belgian firm of paper manufacturers. We condense the same to show the great variety from which paper stock is now obtained. Of woods, we have the following,-the per cent. of fiber being given immediately following common name: Health, 27.14; filbert trees, 31.50; alder, 34.30; bamboo, 34.82; white pine, 34 60; horse chestnut, 38.26; oak, 29.16; white poplar, 35.81; red pine, 32.28; elm, 31.81 ash, 32.28; black alder, 37.82; fir, 35.17; slight smile at the absurdity of the osier, 29.50; Canadian poplar, 36.88; beach, 30.90; pitch pine, 31.08; walnut, The document was accordingly han- 26.52; willow, 37.82; birch, 33.80; Italded across the table. The great man | ian poplar, 36.12; acacla, 34.10; lime adjusted his spectacles, broke the seal, tree, 38.16; rattan, 29.10; aspen tree, and gravely read over his own compo- 35.00. Annexed are the names and per sition from beginning to end, folded cent. yield of herbaceous plants; Cameand docketed it with methodical slow- lina. 29.16; bent grass, 44 82; buckwheat ness, and then turning to the impatient | 30.60; marsh rush, 41.70; banana, 31.81; artist, said, with an air of official solem- mateva, 26.08; oats, 35.08; New Zealand flax, 32.71; asparagus stalks, 32.56; marsh grass, 38.80; maize, 40,24; reed, 41.57; canna, 20.29; rye, 44.12; giant nettle, 21.66; sugar cane, 29.15; barley, 36.51; sedge, 33.86; wheat, 43.14; fromenteau, 46.17; blue flag, 40 07; hop, 24.84; canary grass, 44.16; wild broom, 32.43: dog's grass, 28.38. Thus among woody plants it will be seen that the alders, poplars and the lime-are species of which latter we call bass-wood-are the richest in fiber, and that many herbaceous plants (Indian corn and cereal grains) and many of our marsh grasses are particularly rich in sluggish

motion. The body is a fiber. ONE COLD is sometimes contracted on top of another, the accompanying cough be oming settled and confirmed, and the lungs so strained and racked, that the production of tubercies frequently follows. Many existing cases of Pulmonary disease may be thus account of for. and yet how many others are now carelessly

## "From Dark to Dawn," Dr. March's new book, published by

J. C. McCurdy & Co., Philadelphia, has been selling very rapidly since its issue. It is a very beautiful work, written in the gifted author's charming style. We do not wonder that those who have secured the agency for this valuable work find it sell so easily that their profits each month make a larger amount than the salaries of nine out of ten school teachers of the State.

To-merrow is the day on which idle men work and fools return.

What we wish to do we think we can do, but when we do not wish a thing it becomes impossible.

### Something for the New Year.

The world renowned success of Hostetter's Sitters, and their continued popularity for a quarter of a century as a stomachic, is scarce-ly more wonderful than the welcome that greets the annual appearance of Hostetter's Almanac. This valuable medical treatise is published by Hostetter & Smith, Pittsburg, Pa. under their own immediate supervision, em-ploying 80 hands in that department. Ten cylinder printing presses, 8 folding machines, 5 job presses, &c., are running about eleven months in the year on this work, and the issue of same for 1879 will not te less than ten millions, printed in the English, German, French, Welsh, Norweg.an, Swedish, Holland, Bohemian and Spanish languages. Befer to a copy of it for valuable and interesting reading concerning health, and numerous testimonials as to the efficacy of Hostetter's Bitters, amusement, varied information, astronomical calcutions and chronological items, &c.. which can be depended on for correctness. The Almanac for 1879 can be obtained free of cost, from druggists and general country dealers in al parts of the country.

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Pills in this part of the country. My son was badif
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ceived two boxes of your Pills, which he took according to directions. He has never had a fit since. It

was by my persuasion that Mr. Lyon tried your Pills.

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