ner's crest?"

Make way for grief, oh! air,
The world's in pain, and agony of loss;
What other soul will for the oppress'd ones care, What other shoulders will so bear the cross Now that the crown he's won?

Carefully-step lightly on crushed hearts. The woe too freshly bleeds to yet be Warm, throbbing love, and veneration Not lightly, with its all. No balm Life finds in, "This the last of earth;" More slowly, resignation comes to

Oh! sands of Time, run

So let us weep, and hold our loss and Close to our hearts, which are rebelious still God knows our loss, and too, His

mighty gain, And in some finished someday Christ-Comfort the nation, and its pain allay, Teaching it e'en through all—God's way on way.

HUMOROUS SELECTIONS. A Chicago clergyman preached a sermon in a billiard saloon last Sun-

day. He made nineteen points. One who wishes the world to know about farming, says that the ment in solid wealth. best way to raise strawberries is with a spoon.

A little girl, once hearing the remark that all people had once been children, artlessly inquired, "Who took care of the babies?"

A poor family in Green Bay had to mortgage their six dogs last week to get a barrel of flour. The case is a pitiable one.

"Sam, why don't you talk to use of layin' up treasure dar? He no equal in all that tends to the denever see um again."

Western Editors are becoming

"It seems to me I have seen your physiognomy somewhere before, but I cannot imagine where." " Very likely: I have been the keeper of a prison for the last twenty

A father was winding his watch, when he said playfully to his little girl, " Let me wind your nose up!" "No," said the child, "I don't don't want it to run all day."

"To holdin a postmortim examinashun on a hoss who was afterwards recovered, \$1.50," was one of the items in a horsedoctor's bill paid by an Oregon stock owner.

Serenading is carried to such an extent in Bloomington, Ill., that the old people never think of going to bed without taking a loaded shot gun with them, and stuffing their ears full of cotton.

but I found dere vas some as pig | ly as they can this spring.-Exfools here as I vas mineself."

An Indiana editor mildly remarks: "If you can't bring us wood, | ERS .- Keep the legs of your horses remember us in your prayers. It is clean, as dirt is productive of dissomething to know, as we sit and ease. the stove is cold."

nethy, "my daughter had a fit and the matter. continued for half an Lour without knowledge."

A few days ago a very handsome remedy. lady entered a dry goods house and "Yes, but I want a buff, not a green one," was the reply. The young man went on measuring goods im-

"What's your business?" asked a judge of a prisoner at the bar. "Well, I s'pose you might call me a lock smith." When did you last work at your

wouldn't like to be an angel with and in ten or fifteen minutes he

particularly wish me to marry?" was able to work as well as ever. said a widow expectant to her dying spouse who had been somewhat of a tyrant in his day. "Marry the devil if you like!" was the gruff reit is not lawful to marry two broth- fresh beef, or hog's liver. Some hor-

Susan R. Hive. How busy hath this little Bee

Improved life's shining hour; He gathers honey now all day, From one sweet chosen flower, And from this Hive, if heaven

pleases,

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When his hand comes down again
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AGRICULTURAL.

FARMING AS A BUSINESS .- It is a little remarkable that while more persons are engaged in farming than any other pursuit, it is hardly looked upon as a business. Men commence and continue farming as a way to make a living, and not as a means to increase capital. All the prominent features of legitimate business are wanting in the practice of agriculture as it is carried on. There is no massing of extensive capital, rarely a partnership and never to our knowledge, the formation of a stock company, for the purpose of carrying on farming. A farmer who keeps a set of books is looked upon as a wonder, or a man who has mistaken his calling for that of a tradesman. The inventory of most farmers' effects is taken once in a life time, or rather just after the farmer's lifetime has expired. We often hear of capitalist taking time to look into various branches of manufacturing, trade and transportation, with a view of investing their fortunes, though singular enough, they never examine the merits of farming as a business in which to put in a large amount of money. Occasion-

CENSUS TRUTHS .- In 1870, the farms of Nebraska were worth more than thirty millions of dollars, but in 1860 they were appraised at less than four millions of dollars. In ten years Nebraska multiplied her agricultural values nearly ten times. o other State in the American Union made such rapid advance-

ally they buy farming land, to get the rise on it, and may improve

portion of it for pastime, or to

help pay the taxes on the remain-

ler.—Prairie Farmer.

The entire orchard products of Nebraska in 1860, amounted to the value of one hundred and twentyfive dollars, the oldest orchard, then in the State, being four years of age; but in 1870 the orchard products of Nebraska amounted to nine thousand nine hundred and thirty and two dollars. And to day, in 1878, we have single orchards which, in 1872, produced seven thousand dollors worth of fruit.

Why should reasonable men fling your master, and tell him to lay up jeers in the face of facts like the treasure in heaven ?" "Wha's de above, and decry a State which has velopment of material wealth and prosperity?

The value of farm implements polite. One said, recently, of an- used in Nebraska in 1870, was one other that he was " prone to im- million five hundred and forty-nine part an unhealthy swelling to the thousand seven hundred and sixteen dollars, but in 1860, two hundred and five thousand dollars covered the cost of all the agricultural atensils in the State. - Omaha Pio-

Clover in the South. Wherever in North or South Carolina or in Georgia clover has been tried, it has proved a success, wherever it has been seeded in a proper manner. In this section of want my nose wound up, for I North Carolina, it is establishing organization of the republican per preparation of the soil. Why it is that Southern farmers will let tions for this Spring, and they are their lands lie idle and import hay here reproduced for the benefit and produce more to the acre than can concerned. those from whom they buy it, and of a superior quality, is beyond our comprehension. There are some fine plots of clover in this and adjoining counties, some of which we expect soon to notice more at A Dutch Congressman remarked: length. The season for sowing is "Ven I vas elected I thought I not quite past, and we hope farvould find all Solomons down here; mers will seed down as extensive-

> change. INFORMATION TO HORSE OWN-

shiver, that we are not forgotten if To get horses out of a burning building, harness them as if for their usual work, and they will "Doctor," said a man to Aber- follow you out as if nothing was

To cure a balky horse, tie his tail to a wiffle tree, just so that when

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Wayne, Greene, Craven, Pamlico. FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT. Bladen. Carteret, New Hanover, Brunswick, Onslow, Columbus, Duplin, Robeson,

Jones,

Sampson. FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT. Union, Harnett, Anson, Moore, Richmond. Montgomery, Stanley, Cumberland. SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT. Northampton, Johnston, Nash, Wake, Granville, Warren, Halifax. Franklin. SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT. Rockingham, Guilford.

Chatham, Orange Randolph. EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT. Davie, Surry. Yadkin, Rowan. Davidson, Forsythe,

Person,

Caswell,

Graham,

Swain,

Cherokee,

Stokes. NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT. Rutherford, Polk, Lincoln, Cleaveland, Gaston,

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Wilson county, G. W. Stanton. Jones county, Jno. S. Andrews. Warren county, Jno. A. Hyman. 36:4w

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A. B. Carson, of Alexany.

Eli Graybeal, of Ashe. R. L. Patterson, of Forsythe. J. J. Mott, of Iredell. *Samuel Forkner, of Surry. James H. Foote, of Wilkes. Lewis B. Banner, of Watauga. William B. Glenn, of Yadkin. William B. March, of Davie.

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