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EDITORIAL SUGGESTIONS.

The late Hiram Sopith declared that
The believed he could reach the point
where he could keep a cow on every
acreof tillable land. He succeeded in
keeping half that number.
Orchards and the dairy go well to-
gother. Cows like apples, and fed
judiciously they matze changouse and therere iisalwe asyenenough to
fall to the ground to furnish the supply
It is not everybody who can enjoy
the privilege of working for the Rothe-
cinilde. The American farmer is favored
in that way, however. That intreset
and premium on thoee bonds must be
New England farmers bave declared
that by the administration of tubercu

remedy in Massachusetts is an out-
rageous injustice.
Rotation in crops must be, but it is
not tal. Every crop takes out of the
land certain prop
land certain properties, leaving the
taram and the farmer just thet mueh
poorer. Theee muut be eupplied ; there
A Alilo o 22 feet deep and 12 feet equare
should feed a herd of 10 cows for six
nonthe
months. The corn should not be cut
so green that it will oee much of ite
teediog value, nor so late that its suc
Filty wead of of turned into dry fiber.
ts. 500

price-81,250.
Science benefits only "those
khesp up with the procession." It h
injurred the majority of farmers, per
hape,
low itiopply because the minority fol thinge and the rest do not
low ite teachings and the rest do not
Those who pursue the slow inaccurate

and science has done it.

corder had put itself in line with the
Reform movement, if it it to be jugged
by its utterances, but there was ssme.
by its utterance 8. but there whas ssmed
thing the Recorder wanted that it idid't
get, and zs soon as the legislature ad journs it begins to pour out the vials
of its wrath-ito animus is but little
better than that of the Neves and ObNow, why all this splen? What did
he legilatare do to arouse the wrath the legislature do to arouse the wrath
ot this erigious jounnal tosucha a pitch
that for a whole month it devotes althat for a whole month it devotes al-
most its entire eiditorial space to bittor
nvectives igainst it, and most of them without a abadow of excuse.
'The legielature did everything in
ancus, notwithetanding the caucus, notwithetanding the Recorder
"note of warning," men went into the
eucus "oppoeed to a proposition and cace out in favor of itr"; m man by no
means connected with the Aseembly meacestully worked for nota fow meas-
surees, and all they had to do was to get Such are a fow specimens of the Ree
corder's charges. Now, every member corder' charges. Now, every member
of the legisalature knows that these
charges are false, not to say malicious.
 job bat But what was it that the Recorder
wanted It the Recorderk nuew better
It Whet the intarests of the State and its
peoplo demanded than the pooples
repreentatives, it ought tohavetbrown
 this ruin, and not wait, till it was too
late, and then cry out, "Itoold you sol"
But what did the Recorder want? Take its editorials since the adjourn-
ment of the legialature and he that runs may read. Had the legisiature
withdrawn all appropriationg from the
University and other institution hiversity lanning the Recorder would, no
houbr, have lauded us to the alk, bo inamuen as we did not do that, we
did nothing worthy of the Recorder
approval.
The legislature did reduce appropri
atione ations where they were not for the
general good of the state, but the body was not composed of destructives; it
was not its work to pull down and destroy, but to build up and strengthen.
Thoueands of dolipra had been pepent and the state to build up the U Niveraity cted in a manner to cripple and destroy enticled to the distinction of idiots. The University question was no desired to see the University what it name indcat s, but so lheng state for upport from its treess-
tory, the means to meet its annual expenses, it will never ris above what it -simply a college. and nothing more.
What does the Recorder hope to gain by its course? Will unjust criticiem
of the legislature help its cause? will nisrepresentation aid the truth? Men sometimes hurt their cause by attempt.
Joans. Ammons. The foreign demand for American
bred troters is increasing. Even in
Belgium there is some demand and it Belgium there
is extending.

## suggestion


 is, and I live with him and read it reg.
ularly; therefore, you will please allow me space to make a suggestion, if it is I read an article written by Prof. J.
A. Holmee on the monazif queation, in
which he requests people to send sam. Which he requeets people to send sam-
ples to the Experiment Station for ex.
mination. Thet mination. That is a very good sug
gestion and I have taken advantage of



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RALEIGH, N. C., APRIL 23, 1895

minerels of of all kindst bin this mountain
can be found any where, but we do not
know all of them
have gold, , silver and copper that we
know of, and various other kinds that
Now, Mr. Editor, I want to Ray that
we cannot do without THE PRocres-
SIVE FARMER at our house, although
father'subuscription is ount; but you will
please continue to señd it; we wili
send you the money before long and
probably one or two other subscribers.
I cannot write an article worth pub.
lishing, but I endorss the motto of THE
PRocrkssive FARMER and ite many
correspondents. I am tired of of much
clase legisitaion and think it time that
very farmer should begin to every farmer should begin to study
omething about the government as
well as how to impre hin

This is my first letter for the press
and if you think it worthy of publica:
tion you can publish it, if not, just
throw it in the waste basket.
Long live TEEE Proarksive Farmer od its fearless editor
ery truly,
G. S. Friguson.
Short rotation of crops and clean till
Short rotation of croys and clean till
age practicilly do do away with the old
weed problem. The clover, for instance,
gets a foothold, and then we do not
wait until it runs out and the pesta in, but turn it right over and put in a cr STRONG BACKING.
The Richmond Star says: "The free
iiver advocates have the strongee known advochorititie to the Chrisitian
world and the American citizens in maintaining their position in advocacy
of the coinage of silver and gold at a of the coinage of gilver and gold at a
ratio of 11 to to Those authoritiea are
the Bible and Constitution of the United States. A shokel of silver in Bible days
was of the value of 50 cents, while shekel of gold measured to the value of 8 .
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on
itiesth old the gold gamblers and their organs hold the faithful prophets of true bi
metallism as ignorant, vicious and dis. honeet. But the cry of "Stop, thieft'
will not throw the intelligent from the zold sharks will be made to disgorge ome of the hundreds of millions they legislation stolen ae unquestionably and
as brazenly as ever a hen house was
is the conversion real
The following editorial paragraphs
from a recent iesue of the Atlantac Con.
stitution seem to indicate a full conver. sion to the Alliance system of finance. At any rate the "calamity howler"
vho can get ahead of it ought to have a premium:
Scratch a goldbug and you'll find a
An American
We people of this country want. ditor who will tell heo truth and stick
There are plenty of tories in this
cuntry who are anxious to Country who are anxious to see the

The British bankers are already in complete control of our treasury. How
long before the British politicians will have co
chinery?
Governor MCKinley is more in favor of protection now than ever. He wante
obe protected againet the silver ele ment in the Republican party.
The cuckoos in the South will have oo get John Sherman to carry on their
goldbug campaign. John was a goldbug before Mr. Cleveland was heard of. It is to be observed that some of the
 he British gold standard, and tuey solemnly reproducue the fallacious argu
nento that are invented by the organs

$\underset{\text { CREAM OF THE PRESS. }}{\text { d Hits, Bold }}$ Paragraphs fold Som Refings and Patriotic
Reform Papers-One Paper
The strike th cannot
anker mistakes an ability to nances,-Southern Mercury.
Not more money alone, but more
noney with justice, will solve the ooney with justice, will solve the
financial problem.-Ottaua Journal. "I conceive the eatabliehment of a
tional bank dangerous to the tafety
$d$ welfare of the Repubic"-Henry Coming beck to the original question
what has become of the old-fashioned natic who talked about overproduc It hapena Advocate. virtue for a Congreaseman as a great.
Congress a poor mana "The issuing power should be takeq.
from the banks, and restored to the government and than people tored to the the
properly belonge."-Thomas Jefformon. Debts are increasing, both net tional
and private, but the dollars with which to pay the debts are decreasing, under
democratic and republican finandierThe world has learned how to creat $\rho$
wealth, but not on how to equitably distribute it, which is the problem on
the economic revolution of the im ediste future.-Farmers' Tribune. ple, whether it be gold, silver or pe-
per, and it should be made alegal tender for all debts, public and private."-
Peter Cooper.
With the banks controling 94 per est on four times the amount of actual money in circulation, how long will it be until they own the earthy The
only reason they don't forecose now is that poopple will workh harder and pay
taxes better when there is a shado w of Chicago Express. Hetty Green is epigramatic. Ste
nows how to reach a point in a direct way. In a big law auit in which she is that "there was no use in saying anything more," whereupon Hetty said:
"Lee us have more money and less
wind." Carry that sentiment grese, Hetty, j 'st as soon as it sita. The new constitution of New York State forbids members of the legida-
ture from riding on free railroadpassee. Chauncey Depew proposes
that members of the legielature dodge he iesue by voting themselves milieage president so anxious that law-makers
shall ride on his road without paying The reform press will please take notice that the Associated Press story Legislature has adopted a resolution in avor of silver 16 to 1 is a "fake" from
eginning to end. The Legislature has taken no action whatever on the mat
ter. The intelligence of that body on, The members as a rule are all old party "cuckoos," and there are 18 of
them who know not the meaning of the word "ratio" to one who does have a
glimmering uncertainty about it:-
Brockton, Mass,
It is of little use to clear a potato field of weeds after they have grown as high as the potatoes, The time tocheck:
them and to hasten the crop is whem: they first appear bbove ground. Also, decayed matter is exposed to oxygen,
and plant food is more rapidly der veloped.

> Too much praise cannot be given to
this excellent grass ;it is very nutritious this excellent grass; it is very nutritious
and animals are fond of it. It has a and animals are fond of dr. It has a
tap root and stands a drouth better
than any other forage plant that I everthan any oth It yields enormously in
cultivate.
good seasons, and in dry ones more than double that of clover or timothy
I have never used it as a pasture, and can't say whether it will stand as much
tramping as blue grass. For hay it. and at each cutting will yield twice as much as timothy or clover. I would
recommend all who oocupy light and

