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THE TIMES.—The column of the Moon's Southing gives the time of high water at Pairsboro, Cornwallis, Horton, Hantsport, Windson, Newport, and Truro.

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#### AGRICULTURE.

EFFECTS OF SALT ON WHEAT .- In an interesting series of experiments recently made on the farm of the Royal of gymnastic exercises has recently Agricultural Society of England the manurial value of salt was unmistakeably school in France. The result of the indicated. An acre of wheat dressed with enquiry, which extended over a period three hundred pounds of common salt of six months, established:—1. That yielded thirty-nine bushels of grain, the muscular force is increased, on an with a proportionate amount of straw, average, 15 to 17 per cent., and occa-while an adjoining acre, left unmanured sionally from 25 to 30 per cent., produced only twenty-nine bushels per while the force has, as we might acre, with straw imperfectly developed expect, a tendency to become equal showing an increase of ten bushels per on both sides of the body. 2. That acre. The entire cost of the er not stated, but this experiment shows that the additional ten bushels resulting from the salt were produced at a cost of thirty cents each.

In another case a piece of ground intended for wheat was plowed the pre-1st and 2nd of September wheat was ed, according to the estimate of the pending the exercises. owner, Mr. John Parke, not less than forty bushels of grain to the acre with a luxuriant growth of straw. From these and many similar cases the inference seems to be that salt is a specific for the wheat crop, imparting solidity to the grain and firmness to the straw. County Named and the County Marina

TO PREVENT HYACINTHS HAVING paper cut it into squares and roll the piece up into funnels from six to nine inches long, if, for plants in pots, the inches long, if, for plants in pots, the changed every hour. In the room of a base of the funnel should be large small pox patient they blister and deenough to go over the bulb and a portion of the soil; if for glasses, it should the spread of the disease. fit the outside of the upper rim of the off, so that when placed over the plants, the light will come in at the top only; ported, is laced in the palm of the the flower-stem will rise up rapidly to hand. The hand being liable to swell reach it, and as soon as it is as long as in summer, it can be made tight or you desire, take off the funnel and al- loose to suit the occasion. low it to bloom. After a little practice with this method you will be able to grow them all of one height, which very much enhances their beauty where | to roofs and out buildings. It is both a number of them are arranged in a window .- Gardener's Magazine.

NAILS driven into fruit trees as near the ground as possible, are said to have ... A certain rural dean said to his those into which no nails have been | "The very Reverend," and the archinsects. The salt of iron afforded end" might meet the difficulty. by nails is extremely offensive to the worms, while it is not only harmless but beneficial to the foliage and fruit of the tree. The the polyment all &

TAKING UP DAHALIAS. - Somepleasant day on the last of October or beginning of November, the tops of the plant should be cut down near the ground, and the stalks pulled up. Let them then afforded them in pleasant weather. Rats and mice will do them no injury.

SWEETENING PIES .- The usual practice of the housewife, in preparing apple or berry pies, is to add the sugar to the fruit when it is put into the pastry, or stewed preparatory to its being baked. But science teaches us that this is not the right thing to do, but on the contrary, it should not be added until the fruit is nearly if not quite cool. It has been ascertained that cane sugar

TURNIPS A LA CREME.-Take small new turnips; peel and boil them in salted water; drain them thoroughly. Melt one ounce of butter in a saucepan, add to it a desertspoonful of flour, pepper, salt, grated nutmeg, and a small quantity of milk or cream; put in the turnips; simmer gently a few minutes, and serve.

DARWINIAN .- In time the mulberry tree becomes a silk gown, and a "Oh, yes," said Jerrold; " I've all the silk gown becomes a woman.

#### SCIENCE.

EFFECTS OF GYMNASTIC EXERCISES -An official inquiry into the results been instituted at a military gymnastic the capacity of the chest is increased by one sixth, at the lowest. 3. That the weight of the individual is increased from 6 to 7 per cent., while the bulk of the body is diminished, thus showing that the profit is confined to the muscular system. The increase of musceding fall, and again in May, when cular force was generally confined to it was sowed with salt, and afterwards the first three months of the course. plowed twice before seeding. On the During the last moiety a serious diminution usually occured: and here the sown at the rate of two bushels to the dynamometer gave positive indication acre. The crop when harvested yield- of the necessity of moderating or sus-

> The Postmaster-General's report on the Post Office for the year 1875, which has been issued, states the total number of letters posted in the United Kingdom in the year was 1,008,392,-100, post-cards 87,116,300, and newspapers and book-packets 279,716,000.

> If onions are sliced and kept in a compose very rapidly, but will prevent

> A Danish glove, which is much worn in Europe, and is soon to be im-

FIRE-PROOF PAINT. -- Mix common hydraulic cement with oil and apply it water-proof and incombustible.

#### VARIETIES.

the effect of making such trees more bishop that thought it rather hard, as healthy, vigorous and excellent than the dean was entitled to be styled, driven. The reason why nails are so deacon "The Venerable," the rural beneficial is thus explained: The rea- dean-who had, as the Bishop knew, son why the worms will not attack the very grave and responsible duties attree is because the oxidation or the taching to him-was merely "The rusting of the iron by the sap evolves | Reverend." The prelate, reflecting for ammonia, which, as the sap rises, will, of a moment with apparent seriousness, course, impregnate every part of the said he saw the grievance, but was at foliage, and prove too drastic a dose a loss for the remedy, unless styling for the delicate palates of intruding the rural dean "The Rather Rever-

An old colored preacher in Atlanta, Ga., was lecturing a youth of his told about the sin of dancing, when the latter protested that the Bible plainly said, "There is a time to dance." Said the dark divine, "and it's when a boy gits a whippin' for gwine to a ball."

The Judge asked an Irish policeman named O'Connel, "When did you be carefully deposited on the surface last see your sister?" The policeman Agent for the celebrated where they should remain during the replied, "The last time I saw her, my day, exposed to the sun and air. Be- lord, was about eight months ago, when fore night sets in, remove them to a she called at my house, and I was out." duce costiveness (which is the case with dry airy cellar, and place them singly The Judge: "Then you did not see most remedies), or affect the head as it contains no Opium in any form. It is warmless to the most delicate child, although it is an safe, provided a little air is now and there."

"You write for money, but I write for honor," exclaimed an author in the fury of dispute with another author. "Ah! each writes for what he most needs," replied his companion.

Miss Rose. "Goodness? the fire is out. I thought it was very cold."

BEAU. Shall I get my overcoat and put it on you?" Miss Rose. "Oh no; but" (glan-

cing at the clock) "had'nt you better put it on yourself."

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