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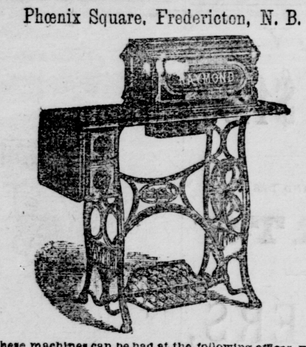


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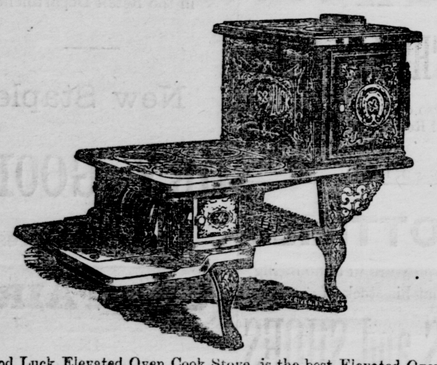

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Fredericton, August 10, 1887.

**Notice of Assignment.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that THEOPHILUS EDWARDS of the Parish of Canterbury, in the County of York, Trader, has this day assigned all his property, rights and credits to the undersigned in Trust for the benefit of his creditors, who shall have executed the Trust Deed within ninety days from the date thereof. Duplicate copies of the said Trust Deed lie at the office of Gilbert W. Vanwart, Woodstock, N. B., and the office of Bedell & Barry, Solicitors, Fredericton, N. B., for inspection and signature.

Dated August 31st, 1887.

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**NOTICE OF SALE.**

To WILLIAM J. TAIT of the Parish of Douglas, in the County of York, and Province of New Brunswick, Farmer, and all others whom it may in anywise concern:—

NOTICE is hereby given, that under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the first day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, and Registered in Book Z 3, of the York County Records, pages 21, 22 and 23, under No. 39685, made between the said William J. Tait, therein described as of the Parish of Douglas, York County, New Brunswick, Farmer, of the first part, and Matilda Seely, therein described as of the city of Fredericton, County and Province aforesaid, wife of George Seely of said city of Fredericton, Lumberer, of the second part, there will for the purpose of satisfying the moneys secured by the said Indenture of Mortgage, default having been made in the payment thereof, be sold at Public Auction at Phœnix Square, in the City of Fredericton, on **WEDNESDAY, the 23rd day of November next, at 12 o'clock, noon,** the lands and premises described in the said Indenture of Mortgage as follows:—

"All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Parish of Douglas in the County of York, and bounded as follows: situated on the northwesterly side of the public highway road leading through the said Parish of Douglas, and described as follows: Beginning at the line of land between the said lot and land owned by John Johnston and John Burpee, and running along the said northwesterly side of said road easterly to a small spruce tree standing on the northwesterly side of said road, thence running northwesterly in a line parallel with the said Johnston and Burpee line aforesaid to the Mill Pond, thence running westerly along the shore of the said Mill Pond up stream to the said dividing line of the said land owned by the said John Johnston and the said John Burpee; thence along the said line southeasterly to the said road or place of beginning, containing by estimation two and one half acres, more or less, the same having been conveyed to one John Mitchell by Alexander Thompson and wife, by deed, dated the 13th day of October, 1866," which said Indenture of Mortgage, mortgage debt and mortgaged lands and premises, were assigned by the said Matilda Seely and the said George Seely to the undersigned Charles S. Ingraham, by an Indenture dated the seventh day of October, A. D. 1887, and Registered in the York County Records on the fifteenth day of October, A. D. 1887, under No. 37491, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, and rights, privileges and appurtenances to same belonging or appertaining.

Dated this 15th day of October, A. D. 1887.

CHARLES S. INGRAHAM,
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October 19

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## STOCK FARM SALE.

### The Prices Realized at the Provincial Farm.

The Provincial Stock Farm is now in a better condition than ever before. A larger crop has been raised this year than in any previous year There will be a surplus of hay and sufficient of other stuff. The buildings are in a good state of repair, and the stock is looking very well. The animal sale took place on the 18th inst. Not nearly as many animals were offered for sale as usual, but the prices obtained were exceedingly good. Among the gentlemen present were Hon. David McLellan, Hon Dr. Pugsley, W. A Quinton, M. P. P. C. H. Lugrin, J. E. Fairweather, G. L Colwell, R. Leb. Tweedie and C. Spooner.

The sale commenced about 11 o'clock, D. B. Hatfield of Norton, being the auctioneer.

Following is a list of the animals sold, the names of the parties by whom they were purchased, and the prices paid for them:—

AYRSHIRES.

1. Miss Valentine (female). Sire, Lord Lansdowne, 236 N. B. H. B.; dam, Lamson, 10th, 306 N. B. H. B.; calved 24th February, 1887.—Arthur Burnett of Bloomfield, $32.

2. Queen Vic. (female). Sire, Lord Lansdowne, 236 N. B. H. B.; dam, Whitelady, 302 N. B. H. B; calved 24th May, 1887.—C H. Lugrin of Fredericton, $29.

3. Bruce (male). Sire, Lord Lansdowne, 236 N. B. H. B.; dam, Rose, 305 N. B. H. B; calved 20th April, 1887.—Hardingville Agricultural Society, $45.

4. Alexander (male) Sire, Lord Lansdowne, 236 N. B. H. B.; dam, May Bloom, 304 N. B. H. B.; calved 8th December, 1886.—Sussex and Studholm Agricultural Society, $41.

SHORTHORNS.

5. Major of Kings (Male) Sire, Major, 203 N. B. H B; dam, Flora, 5th, 118 N. B. H. B.; calved 27th March, 1887.—Hardingville Agricultural Society, $51.

6 St. Lawrence (male). Sire, Major, 203 N. B. H. B.; dam, Colleen, 3rd, 189 N B H. B; calved 10th August, 1887.—W. H. Fowler of Hampton, $20.

7. Sir Tom (male). Sire, Major, 203 N. B. H. B.; dam, Queen Anne, 159 N. B. H. B.; calved 6th July, 1887.—H. Cochrane of Bloomfield, $27.

8. Josephine (female) Sire, Major, 203 N. B H. B.; dam, Colleen 2nd, 184 N. B. H. B.; calved 19th December, 1886.—Robt. McLeod of St. John, $30.

RED POLLED NORFOLK.

9. Victoria, (female). Sire, Benjamin, 2 N. B. H. B.; dam, Norfolk Lass, 3 N B H. B.; calved 3rd March, 1887.—S. S. Hall of Rothesay, $53.

10 Nellie, (female). Sire, Benjamin, 2 N. B. H. B.; dam, Snelling, 2 N. B. H. B; calved 6th March, 1887.—Major Markham of Markham-ville, $56

11. Coronation, (female). Sire, Benjamin, 2 N. B. H. B; dam, Lady Norfolk, 1 N. B H. B.; calved 28th June, 1887.—John S Leighton of Debec, $31.

POLLED ANGUS.

12. Jubilee, (male). Sire, Laird of Drum, 1 N. B H. B; dam, Miss Watt, 2nd, 2 N. B. H. B; calved 18th March, 1887.—Sussex and Studholm Agricultural Society, $46.

13. Livingstone, (male) Sire, Laird of Drum, 1 N. B. H B.; dam, Princess, 3 N. B. H. B.; calved 28th April, 1887.—John S. Leighton of Debec, $38.

14 Rothesay Lass, (female). Sire, Laird of Drum, 1 N. B. H B; dam, Miss Watt, 1 N. B. H. B; calved 2nd March, 1887.—John S. Leighton, $55.

SHEEP AND SWINE.

A border Leicester lamb—Henry Marven of Springfield, $4.

Berkshire boars—1st choice, C. H. Lugrin of Fredericton, $3 50; 2nd choice, Geo. Burnett of Norton, $2 50; 3rd, W. Gilbert of Rothesay, $2 50.

Berkshire sows—1st and 2nd choice, C. H Lugrin; $5 50 and $5, 3rd, E. L Dunn of Rothesay, $2 50.

Yorkshire boars—1st and 3rd choice, Henry Marven of Springfield, $3 50 and $3; 2nd, Washington Alden of Nauwigewauk, $2.

Yorkshire sows—1st choice, W. Fraser of Rothesay, $4 50; 2nd, Geo. Pettingill of Rothesay, $3.50; 3rd, A. Burnett of Norton, $3 25.

After the sale, all present sat down to a good dinner, and an hour or so was very pleasantly spent. Mr. Barker did everything in his power to make it pleasant for visitors and the members of the Board of Agriculture who were present put forth every effort to make the day one of enjoyment. It is hardly necessary to say that they succeeded.

### Look Out for Your Wells.

It becomes more and more evident each year, says the *American Agriculturist*, that much of the sckness prevalent in the country is directly attributable to the quality of the water By carefully studying the matter it is found that in nine cases out of ten typhoid fevers originate in families whose water supply is from a well, into which impure water comes. This may be from the farm yard, and quite generally such is the case. For some years the water in the well near the house may be pure and wholesome, but by-and by the soil between it and the barnyard will become so impregnated with pollution that an unhealthy quality will be imparted to it, and disease will result from its use. This is almost sure to be the case when the distance between the two is not great, because as a general thing, the bottom of the well is lower than the yard, and the drainage from the latter will extend in all directions through the most porous strata of soil, and when it reaches the well it will naturally flow into it as a reservoir No matter now pure the water may have been when the well was first dug, sooner or later it will be contaminated by water flowing through the soil from barnyards and cesspools located anywhere near it. We have in mind a case in which four children died from diphtheria. An examination by the physician proved that the slops from the kitchen had so filled the soil for a distance of twenty feet between the back door, out of which they were thrown, and the well, that the water in the latter was polluted by foul gases, and from the use of it diphtheria had certainly resulted. When making a well have it, if possible, above the barnyard, and let the drainage be from it rather than into it.

During its period of growth Indian corn draws from the soil thirty-six times it own weight of water.

## THE KINGSCLEAR EXHIBITION.

There was a large attendance of people at the Annual Exhibition of the Kingsclear Agricultural Society, held last Thursday afternoon, and the Show was above the average. The Society's new building which has been completed this year, is made a part of the old one, giving a total length of ninety feet, and a width of twenty-five feet, and furnishing ample accommodation. A great many Fredericton people attended Thursday's show, among them being Mr. J. L Inches, the president of the Kingsclear Society, Messrs. James Tibbitts, John Owens, Wilmot Guiou, John M Wiley Ald. Smith, W. F. Nicholson and Richardson Boone, and other gentlemen present from adjoining districts included B. Close, Gibson, Geo J Colter and Norman Hallett, Douglas, Isaac Peabody, W. F Clements and John McCoy, St. Marys. The show of horses was excellent, roots were above the average, while in the ladies department, the display was about the best ever seen at Kingsclear. Murray Brothers showed a Swede turnip that weighed 17 lbs., and a Squash that turned the scales at 96 lbs. The display of apples made by the Messrs. Camber, attracted much attention from the visitors The prize winners were announced by Mr. Inches, and the premiums handed over to the successful competitors by Mr. James E. Camber, the zealous and industrious secretary of the society. In the evening the young folks held a social dance in the Exhibition Building, spending a very pleasant time.

The prize winners at the Exhibition were as follows:—

Murray Bros.—1st Turnips, $1; 2nd Turnips, 50cts; 2nd White Carrots, 50cts; 1st Mangold Wurtzel, $1; 2nd Mangold Wurtzel, 50cts; 2nd Wheat, $1; 2nd White Oats, 50cts; 1st Black Oats, $1; 2nd Black Oats, 50cts; 2nd, Rough Buckwheat, 50cts, 1st, Corn, $1; 1st, White Barley, $1; 1st Grapes, $1; 1st Brood Mare, $2; 1st Tomatoes, 50cts; 1st Blood Beets, 50cts; 1st Squash, 30cts; 1st Stallion, over 3 years, $1; 2nd Brood Mare, $1; 1st Sucking Colt, $1; 1st Gelding, over 2 and under 3 years, $1; 1st Horses for general purposes, $2; 2nd Yearling Colt, 50cts; 1st Bread from flour grown in York Co., 50cts; 2nd Bread, 25cts; 1st Parlor Bouquet, 50cts; 1st Cut Flowers, 50cts; 2nd packed Butter, $1; 1st Bull Calf, $1; 1st pair Steer Calves, $1; 2nd Milch Cow, $1; 1st Bull, 2 years old, $2; 1st Bull, over 1 year old, $1; 1st pair Ewes, over 2 years, $1 50; 1st pen Shearling Ewes, $1 50; 2nd Geese, 25cts; 1st Ducks, 50cts.

James E Camber—1st White Carrots, $1; 1st Red Carrots, 1st; 2nd cooking Apples, 50cts; 1st table Apples, $1; 1st collection Fruit, $1; 3rd Cheese, 75cts; 2nd Filly over 3 and under 4 years, 50cts; 1st Lace Work, 50cts.

John A. Campbell—2nd Cow 50cts; 1st Sweet Corn, $1; 1st Parsnips, 50cts; 1st Potatoe Onions, 30cts; 1st variety Flowers in pots, 50cts.

John W Camber—2nd, Red Carrots, 5cts; 1st, White Oats, $1; 1st, Smooth Buckwheat, $1; 1st, Cooking Apples, $1; 2nd, table Apples, 50cts; 2nd, collection Fruit, 50cts; 1st, Cheese, $1 50; 1st, Water Melons, 30cts; 1st, Gelding, over 3 years and under 4 years, $1; 2nd, Fancy Flannel, 50cts; 1st, Fulled Homespun, $1; 1st, Hand Bouquet, 50cts; 1st, Ram over 2 years old, $1 50; 1st, Shearling Ram, $1; 1st, Ram Lamb, $1; 2nd, pen Ewe Lambs, 50cts; 1st, Geese, 50cts; 1st, colored Turkeys, 50cts; 2nd, Ducks, 25cts; 1st, Brahama Fowls, 50cts.

John Elliot—1st, Wheat, $1 50; 1st, Rye, $1; 1st, Rough Buckwheat, $1; 2nd, Bread from imported Flour, 25cts.

Robert Sloat—1st, cattle Potatoes, $1; 1st, Peas, $1; 1st, Pumpkins, 30cts; 1st, packed Butter, $1 50; 4th, roll Butter, 50ct; 2nd, Bead Work, 25cts; 2nd, Woolen Blankets, 50cts; 2nd, White Flannel, 50cts; 1st, Fancy Flannel, $1; 2nd, Woolen Socks, 50cts; 2nd, Woolen Stockings, 50cts; 1st, Hard Soap, 50cts; 1st, Bread from imported Flour 50cts.

Alfred Everett—2nd colored Beans, 50cts.; 2nd Cheese, $1; 1st Polled Beans, 30cts.; 1st, fat Pig, $1; 2nd, Crochet work, 25cts.; 2nd Knitting, 25cts.; 2nd cotton and woollen Homespun, 50cts; 2nd pen Shearling Ewes, $1; 2nd pen Ewes, over 2 years, $1.

W. W. Graham—4th packed Butter, 50 cts.

George Leek—2nd Gelding, over 2 and under 3 years, 50cts; 2nd Filly, over 2 and under 3 years, 50cts.

Z. R. Estey—2nd roll Butter, $1; 1st Onions from seed, 30cts; 1st Rag Carpet $1; 1st Heifer Calf, $1; 1st Heifer over 1 year old, $1 00.

George Barker—2nd Smooth Buckwheat, 50cts; 3rd packed Butter, 75cts; 1st Bush Beans, 50cts; 2nd Quilt, 50cts; 2nd Woollen Mitts, 50cts; 1st Woollen Stockings, $1; 1st Cotton Stockings, $1; 2nd hand Bouquet, 25 cts.

Mrs. Straton—1st Tatting, 50cts; 1st Bead Work, 50cts; 2nd Parlor Bouquet, 25cts.

Henry Burnett—1st Soft Soap, 50cts.

Robert Gray—2nd Sweet Corn, 50cts; 1st Filly over 3 years, $1; 1st Steers over 3 years, $2 00

Isaac Kilburn—1st Grass Seed, $1; 1st Cracket Work, 50cts.

James B Campbell—1st, Early Rose Potatoes, $1; 1st, Susy Potatoes, $1; 1st, Hebron Potatoes, $1; 1st, Jumbo Potatoes, $1; 1st, Barley, $1; 2nd, White Beans, 50cts; 1st, Knitting Work, 50cts; 2nd Knitting Work, 25cts; 1st, Embroidery, 50cts; 1st, Bead Work, 50cts; 2nd, Berlin Work, 25cts; 1st, Woolen Blankets, $1; 1st, Quilt, $1; 1st, Shawl, $1; 1st, Milch Cow, $1 50; 1st, Bull over 3 years old, $2; 2nd, Ram Lamb, 50cts.

Benjamin Everett—1st Spring Pig, $1; 1st Berlin Work, 50cts; 1st Homespun, cotton and wool, $1; 1st Sow, over 1 year old, $1 50

Frank Cliff—1st Cabbage 50cts.

John C Murray—2nd cattle Potatoes, 50 cts; 2nd Susie Potatoes, 50cts; 1st Mohawk Potatoes, $1; 2nd Hebron Potatoes, 50cts; 2nd Peas, 50cts; 1st colored Beets, $1; 1st yearling Colt, $1; 1st Knitting 50cts; 1st Carpet, woolen, $1; 2nd Sweet Corn, 50cts.

Judson Dunphy—2nd Early Rose Potatoes, 50cts; 1st Filly, over 2 and under 3 years, $1; 1st Boar under 1 year, $1 50; 1st Sow under 1 year old, $1; 2nd Sow under 1 year old, $1; 1st White Flannel, $1; 2nd Soft Soap, 25cts.

J. L. Inches—2nd Embroidery, 25cts; 2nd Bead Work, 25cts; 2nd Cotton Socks, 50cts.

Henry Penn—1st White Beans, $1; 1st roll Butter, $1 50; 2nd Horses for general purposes, $1; 2nd colored Turkeys, 25cts.

Shepherd Everett—3rd roll Butter, 75cts; 2nd Lace Work, 25cts; 2nd Bull over 1 year old, 50cts; 2nd Shearling Ram, 50cts; 1st pen Ewe Lambs, $1.

Joseph Holyoke—1st, Woolen Mitts, $1; 1st, Woolen Socks, $1; 1st, Cotton Socks, $1; 2nd, Carpet, Woolen 50cts; 2nd, Bull Calf, 50cts.

The following gentleman were the judges in the various classes:—

*Roots and Vegetables.*—Norman Hallett, W. W. Graham, Ben Close.

*Grain and Pulse.*—Wilmot Guiou, James Tennant, Patrick Lucy.

*Horticulture, Fruit and Dairy.*—Mr. Clements, Robt. Barker, D, Haines.

*Fancy Work and Flowers.*—Mrs, C. McGibbon, Miss Allen, Mrs. Straton.

*Domestic Manufactures.*—Charles McGibbon, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Mc Keen.

*Horses and Swine.*—Geo. I. Ganter, William Segee, James Yerxa.

### The Sparrows.

Sparrows are being properly appreciated in New York. Hundreds of them are being caught by enterprising people for sale to certain restaurants where reed birds are in demand A German woman on Third avenue sets three traps every day, and she catches probably seventy-five a week. They are cooked and served to her boarders the same as reed birds, and are delared quite as great in delicacy. This German woman bastes them, leaving the little wooden skewer in the bird when served. They are cooked with a bit of bacon. She tempts them with oats, and after the catch they are fed awhile with boiled oaten meal. She sprinkles oaten meal in the back yard also, and thereby fattens the free birds. The females are the choice meat. The males can be told by the circle of white feathers at the neck. So soon as it becomes generally known that the sparrow is a table bird their number will rapidly grow less. People don't like to experiment, but when it is discovered that the sparrow has been declared good by those upon whom they have been tried, no boarding-house meal will be deemed in good form unless a dish of fat sparrows adorns it. Sparrow pie is a delicacy fit to set before a king.

### Horses' Names.

The rules of the National Trotting Association require that "every horse shall be named, and the name correctly written in the entry; and after entering or trotting in a public race such name shall not be changed without procuring a record thereof to be made in the office of the Secretary of the National Trotting Association, for which there shall be paid a recording fee of $50." For each violation of this requirement a fine of $100 is imposed, and the horse is placed under suspension until the fine is paid. The object of this rule is to put a stop to the masquerade business. Something of the same kind should be enforced on the running tracks. Unnamed horses should be excluded from the entry list, and the penalty for changing a name should be made five times more severe than what it is. If the intentions of the nominator are honest he will preserve from the beginning to the end of its career the name under which his horse has entered in stakes and first ran in public. He certainly will not mislead the public by running the same horse under three or four different names in the same season.

When the iron plough was first introduced about a hundred years age, Rir Robert Peel—the first of the name—interested himself greatly in getting them used by his tenants. After a year or two's use of the implements, Sir Robert asked them what they thought of them. "We be all of one miud," returned the honest Saffordshire men, "that they do make the weeds grow." This was looked upon at first as a display of dense ignorance and conservatism, but it turned out to be true—the iron plough could be run deeper, and thus they brought up to the surface within the influence of light and air millions of weed seeds that would have laid undisturbed for ages below the reach of the old wooden implements.

King cotton is no longer a correct phrase in the United States, and it is also improper to say "wheat is king" if the *American Farmer* is to be believed. That paper publishes the following figures showing the value of four sources of wealth in the United States for 1887:—

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| Dairy products, | - - - | $260,000,000 |
| Cotton " | - - - | 400,000,000 |
| Wheat " | - - - | 450,000,000 |
| Poultry " | - - - | 600,000,000 |

The despised hen throws the wheat fields and cotton plantations into the shade, and eggs and poultry should therefore not be neglected by the farmer.

It is poor economy to use old and dirty sections for comb honey.

The fence corners are the pest-holes of the farm. From them spring nearly all the weed seeds and undesirable grasses which are scattered over the fields.

Save the wood ashes to use as a fertilizer. It is more profitable than to use them for soap making. Wood ashes never come amiss on the farm or in the garden.

Old leather contains a considerable percentage of ammonia compounds, which, are, very slowly soluble. A good way to dispose of old boots, therefore, is to bury them at the foot of an apple tree.

The carrot has more fattening qualities than other roots, and for this reason is particularly adapted to sheep. Carrots will help to fatten animals quickly and with less cost than other roots, and quick fattening produces tender and juicy meat.

Prof. Robertson of Canada claims that cream raised by the deep cold process produces a butter that is less highly flavored when first made, and is, in fact, often insipid at that time, but its flavor increases with age, and is at its best when several weeks old.

Do not forget those leaves now. It will soon be time for them to gather in the fence corners in immense quantities, where they will surely go to waste unless you show some enterprise in collecting them. There is no better bedding for the cows and horses, and nothing makes better manure.

One great cause of bulls becoming vicious is that they do not have exercise enough. Kept up in stables, and especially if high fed, they chafe in their confinement and when let out are disposed to play or attack any thing or person they can get at. The best way to keep bulls quiet is to let them run in a strongly fenced yard with one or more cows.

## ALL SORTS.

### A SONG OF LIFE.

Let's oftener talk of noble deeds,
And rarer of the bad ones.
And sing about our happy days,
And not about our sad ones.
We were not made to fret and sigh,
And when grief steeps to wake it;
Bright Happiness is standing by—
This life is what we make it.

Let's find the sunny side of men,
Or be believers in it;
A light there is in every soul
That takes the pains to win it.
Oh, there is slumbering good in all,
And we perchance may wake it;
Our hands contain the magic wand—
This life is what we make it.

Then here's to those whose loving hearts
Shed life and joy about them.
Thanks be to them for countless gems
We ne'er had known without them.
Oh! this should be a happy world,
To all who partake it;
The fault's our own if it is not—
This life is what we make it.

Why are pipes all humbug? Because the best of them are meerschams.

THE MOST DELIGHTFUL Handkerchief Odor is "Lotus of the Nile" Perfume.

Our observation is that when a man is wrong, and won't admit it, he generally gets angry.

NEGLECTED COLDS, Pain in the Chest and all diseases of the Lungs, are cured by using Allen's Lung Balsam.

"Wife," said a henpecked husband, "go to bed." "I won't." "Sit up, then. I will be obeyed somehow.

Hard and soft corns cannot withstand Holloway's Corn Cure; it is effectual every time. Get a bottle at once and be happy.

A great many good men have missed the top of the ladder by attempting too many rounds at the first jump.

A COMPLETE REVOLUTION in the state of a stomach, harassed by dyspepsia is caused by using Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, or great blood purifier, a medicine specially adapted to renew healthful activity in that organ and in those which must closely co-operate with it, the bowels and the liver. Easy digestion, an increase of appetite and a free secretion of bile, mark the radical change which it produces.

The freshest eggs are heaviest. Placed in a pan of water they sink; older eggs will partly sink, and stale ones float on the top.

Some persons have periodical attacks of Canadian cholera, dysentery or Diarrhœa, and have to use great precautions to avoid the disease. Change of water, cooking, and green fruit, is sure to bring on the attacks. To such persons who would recommend Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial as being the best medicine in the market for all summer complaints. If a few drops are taken in water when the symptoms are noticed, no further trouble will be experienced.

The kitchen window is the best of all windows for plants. They receive the needed moisture from the steam of the kettles and boilers.

### Tamarac.

When so hoarse your voice seems unnatural. Get thee to your druggist for a bottle of Tamarac Elixir. It never fails to cure Hoarseness, Coughs, Colds, etc.

An English physician recommends football for girls. He says it is an exhilarating game and would prove highly beneficial to young ladies who are apt to be morbid or hysterical.

### No Gas.

The easiest way to pay a gas bill is to burn kerosene. The surest way to get rid of rheumatism, croup, hoarse