SEEING THE DARK SIDE.

Have you among your acquaintances a weman who is everlastingly calling to mind unpleasant reminiscences? A woman who delights to tell you how she had typhoid fever and pneumonia and scarlet fever and chicken poxand so on away back to childhoodwhen it is to be supposed, from her statements, that she appropriated Pan- meal Mr. Longford did ask the girl dora's legendary box and made its direful contents all her own. She wil dle when you ask her how she is, and you had better not risk asking her.

Oh, she is miserable, miserable, mis erable! Didn't sleep any last nightnever sleeps any any time, oh, no! Everybody else is in bed, enjoying themselves, and the is just tessing and turn | way endangered his liberty. ing, and feeling as if she should die any minute! Ah-er! and she sighs dolefully.

Headache? Humph! She is never free from headache, never! Nobody knows anything about it; no indeed! She doesn't say much; ah, no-she doesn't want to make folks uncomfortable Backache? Yes, all the livelong time, with cold chills running up her spine and her face covered with cold sweat Neuralgia? Bless your soul! She never without that. If she should be she should think she was about through. Yes, indeed, Dr. C., he call ed it heart disease, and said she was liable to go off like the snuffing out of a candle any time; and Dr. B., said it was asthma, and likely to go to consumptive cough-fast enough. Her second.

ther for malaria, and most everybody know if you've had it yet, and assures | Dr. Duncan's knock." they expect Bigbee's folks will al have it. Schools stopped on account of it, or will be right off.

Heard about the burglary over to been murdered in their beds! And Thompson's folks think that the bur glars tried to get into their house, bu the dog scared them away.

And then she waxes reminiscent, and tells you in detail how her stepfath young, and the doctor had to take some music. seven stitches in it, and he never got over it, but was out of his head al ways afterward.

She likes to prognosticate evil. you are riding a wheel, she will tel you how she saw in the paper about a man that fell off from his wheel and died before any one could get to Ah-er! Worse than being killed by calmer in her life. lightning. And then she will tell you that it is never safe for a woman to ride off by herself. She is liable to be seized and dragged into the woods and murdered for her watch and bos om pin, just as a poor girl she read about in the paper was!

She refuses to see the bright side of anything. Speak about the sunshine she will remark that it rained yes terday, and is going to storm to-morrow. Allude to the flowers which per haps bloom in her window, and she will deliver a dismal dissertation or the red spider on their foliage, and the worms in the pots. Tell her how you it is "bloat." Say that her house is pleasant, and she will give you the gruesome statistics of the deaths which have occurred there. Praise the dog and she will entertain you with recol lections of "a man that was bit, and had hydrophobia."

Stroke the cat, and she will warr you that you are liable to get fleas

how wretched she can make herself and those around her. She woudln't smile if she could. The very muscles of her face are fixed in dolorous lines. She wouldn't let anything make her happy if she could by any possi bility prevent it.

ATTACKED THE WRONG CIVILIAN.

Army Officers Properly Resented.

It is to be hoped that an incident adoption by the authorities of some which is but too frequent a characteristic of young officers in this country as well as in Germany. As the latest victim is a man of title and of high rank, Baron Fiath, the Ober- until it was no longer so. gespan or lord l'eutenant of the Stuhlweissenburg Comitat, it is not improbable that, at least in this partiled wonders. cular instance, the result of the in-

classes were concerned. While on his way to Vienna with of two who sat at a table with a numwas in a public place, in which it was not customary to uncover. The officer then carried out his threat, and the Biron retorted by administering a vigorous cuff on the ear, which made his assailant stagger. Thereupon the second officer drew his sword and attacked Baron Fiath. The latter, more tortunate than other civilians in simi. lar circumstances, succeeded in de-He afterward returned to the restaurwhile one of his aggressors was rather rudely ignored her. severely wounded. Perhaps the most extraordinary feature of these en- troubled Eva. Conard Longford, with counters is that, as in the present in- his lank yellow hair flung back from stance, an officer should consider it his prominent but empty-looking fore-

SHREWD ADVICE.

are often negative rather than posi- irresolute and yet self-satisfied aptive. It is said that a great broker pearance, with a figure that was as once told his son that only two things manly as the heart of its possessor was were necessary to make a great fian- noble, she had a quite little smile to

And what are those, papa? the son together unmoved by any want of prudently. Honesty and sagacity.

of honesty to be? Always to keep your word. And the mark of sagacity? Never to give your word!

She Would Be a Lady

CHAPTER V .- Continued. They had returned earlier than was and nervous prostration, and measles, them, but they sat down very contentedly to tea, and, beyond a polite, greeting to Eva, neither of the men took much notice of her. When he had nearly finished his

what kind of a journey she had had, and a few trifling questions of the kind, but his son was quite absorbed put on a face as long as a broom han- in flirting with the widow and doing justice to a particularly juicy steak, He saw girls enough every day of his ife, and one more or less in the house could make but little difference to him. But Mrs. Harding amused him, and her evident determination to make him in love with herself flattered the young man's vanity, while it in no

> drawing-room, Barbara took Eva's arm them. and said, in a low tone: "Let us two have a chat together,' and so saying she led her into th

"She has fallen into Bab's clutches," laughed Bell, with a glance at her eldest sister, "and Bab will make her as confirmed a blue-stocking as her- and, to do her justice, it may be ad-

"All the better for her," replied Ale-

want to have long dresses and to give ing inquiries of the girl herself. up looking like a child, and ma says ters on her hands at once." sake of the length of your dresses,"

nothing on earth could save her! And ly wonder you haven't succeeded, Thea;! Fut naving so very nearly compromhe said that her cough—she speaks of you're ever so much better looking ised himself once, he thought discre- gratulated herself upon being once constantly looking at his watch and be expected on the following Sunday it as if she had patented it and was than Emma Harding, and she has tion would be the better part of valor, sole proprietor of it—her cough is a had one husband and is looking for a and so prudently kept out of danger.

her? Yes, it's awful wea with a lofty air.

of marriage," said Alethea Longford, no such invitation was sent to her.

Mrs. Westbrook had taken it in

will before long. Scarlet fever, she as a few minutes later a short, conse-critical age, when she was not young tones, of his companions.

transferred her attentions from Con- tween herseif and her patrons might ridiculous brain, and each would have some diet, the peaceful surroundings storms. the Ridge? Jones' folks like to have rad to himself had he shown the least be ignored for the time, it always ex- expected the same respectful sympa- make the farmer's life pre-eminently. There is an old saying—which originally inclination to step into that young isted. As it was, Mrs. Westbrook thy from the rest which they all will- a healthy one, and surely health is nated perhaps for the benefit of school man's shoes.

came with a very different purpose in injudicious kindness, and, to a certain his mind from that, and at length, extent, she was right. seizing his opportunity, he asked Ale- If Eva had never been invited to the er's fourth wife's brother got his head thea if she would not take him into Grange and treated as an equal, she out open by a burglar when he was the back drawing-room and give him certainly would not have hoped to be

> she replied quietly. 'I always like the twilight." the way. A crisis of her life was at and another from her son. hand. What she had long hoped for was coming, but she was in no wise

Bell, looking into the room some time afterward, and wondering what had become of her sister, since had had heard no music, saw two figures seated very close together upon the couch. For a moment she hesitated, then was about to retreat, when Dr. Duncan gravely informed her that he

her brother. "And may I tell ma?" asked the girl, eagerly. 'Yes, tell anybody you like," was the reply.

The next instant the girl was flying toward her mother exclaiming: well she is looking, and she will assure Miss Randolph has brought us good lack already. Dr. Duncan and Thea are going to be married.' '

CHAPTER VI.

Eva's life with the Longfords was by no means unpleasant, neither was idle family. Barbara being, perhaps, At one exhibition after another her that I could not turn myself asked the gardener why he applied to the fire there will be a squall. the most stupid and certainly the pictures were hung—in some cases they in bed, and had to be moved such a great quantity, he could give speak about the rank her grandson holds in school, and she will shake her head dolefully and remind you that these bright children never live to grow up.

How were sold; and when she had been had to be moved like a child. The little nourishment I took had to be administered by my friends. During this time I her time pleasantly in visiting exhibitions and galleries and museums during the day and in participating in leaf and had to be moved like a child. The little nourishment I took had to be administered by my friends. During this time I her time pleasantly in visiting exhibitions and galleries and museums during the day and in participating in gratitude, and inform her that she from the shoulder to the foot. The ing the day and in participating in gratitude, and inform her that she from the shoulder to the foot. The secured increased crops by the application of out a perfect mate. social gatherings and dramatic and need no longer trespass upon her lib- doctors could not tell me what my tion of increased amounts of stable the wind the next day. musical entertainments in the even- erality, as she was now in a position trouble was and the medicine they manure. In the application of this Magpies flying three or four to-

But though, with the natural love of she would have enjoyed this kind of pened to be on the Continent at the dition and sleep was almost impossible. He has been obliged to apply this unlife, had life, with her been only a time it was written. However, Eva ar- Just as I would fall asleep I would usual amount of manure to secure the When the cwl nests look out for a question of enjoyment, she felt it ranged with the Longfords to remain start up as though in a fright. This requisite amount of nitrogen, owing to storm. would be dishonest to the friends who with them. ly be her portion.

which has just occurred at Komorn leaves, and to try to treat them as she believes, heart whole. in Hungary, may at length lead to the such would only be to drive them more It is thus that we find her a month strength and was able to do my own The conclusions then are these: deeply into her sensitive feet. So she after the letter to Mrs. Westbrook housework. I could eat my meals That a large percentage of the first worked hard, early and late, shaming had been written, and this evening with relish. I sleep and am still con- cost of the manure, the great labor adequate measure for the protection Mr. Longford himself into devoting she has promised to accompany Mrs. stantly gaining ni strength. My and expense of hauling, handling and haps, be considered more beautiful and of civilians from dangerous manifesta- more time than usual to his easel, and Longford and Barbara to the annual friends were surprised at my speedy spreading, was wasted for the reason tions of that over-weening arrogance making him often conquer the fits of conversazione at University College. ennui and indolence that so often at-

believe that he drew inspiration from time, until she is disturbed by the enhis hours of idleness, but though this trance of Mrs. Longford, who somemight once have been true, idleness what impatiently declares that she a son of a Hungarian state officia! and aimlessness had grown upon him ought to be dressed and ready to

However, a change for the better set in now. The presence of this one small busy bee in the idle hive work- a smile, and half an hour later she is tired and jaded nerves. Substitutes best, most beneficial and cheapest times they seem dull and sluggish, but

Industry became the order of the to go. quiry by the military authorities may day, and, consequently, Bell was not | Very unlike is she now to the poor- may be had from all dealers in acts quickly and produces immediate be somewhat more satisfactory than far wrong when she said that Eva, ly-clad girl who looked out with ad- medicine, or from the Dr. Williams' results and is hence almost indis- set them ablaze. With such eyes, the it has been in previous cases, when from the first hour of her arrival, had miring wonder upon Ernest West- Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., at 50c pensable in forcing vegetables of all intellect will be powerful. only members of the middle and lower brought good luck into the house. whom Eva seemed to influence less brook Grange long ago; still less is his father Baron Nicholas Fiath, a than any other was Conrad Longford, she like the child who astonished her young man of 20, took advantage of the only son. He was a somewhat girlish companions by calmly announcthe few minutes stay by the train at foolish, empty-headed young man, who ing her intention of becoming a lady. Komorn to go into the restaurant to believed himself to be a born genius; The oval face, the clear, dark eyes, buy cigarettes. There an officer, one he had secret aspirations of becoming and the glossy hair are the same; so the acknowledged leader of a new also is the creamy tint of her complexber of women, said to him: "Remove your hat, or I will knock it off your head." Baron Fiath replied that he women is a solution of the free solution in the figure has developed in dignity and grace and the bondage of compulsion; but she has grown tall, her figure has developed in dignity and grace and the bondage of compulsion; but she has grown tall, her figure has developed in dignity and grace and the permanent. The temporary blue, tinged with green or orange, in certain unappreciated brothers of the of form and color in her countenance. brush, was, of course, lavishly regaled Her dress this evening adds not a litwith adulation himself. A mutual- tle to the effect of her charms. It is are made continually, but the simple- begin to fall out at about the age of emotion, deep and almost dark. There adulation clique having thus been of the pale greenish blue—a heavy, minded peasant is no match for the three years; first the two center in- in tint started, the members of it talked so costly silk, with a rich bloom upon it; alert recruiting officer. loudly and so incessantly, and seemed and yet it is both plain and simple, so firmly to believe the rubbish they and it fits the curve of her undulating expounded, that the world at large beform without a crease, and falls in a Russia a peasant pleaded deafness and come out at about four, and the corthan any other feature. Form and
gap to be doubtful of its own inde gan to be doubtful of its own judg- long, graceful train behind her. ment and a great number of easy-gofending himself with a chair, and made bers of this noisy coterie at their own own style of beauty, is almost severe

Concord tried to enlist Eva in the ant, accompanied by his father, when train of his admirers, and he talked cards were exchanged as a preliminary a great deal of art nonsense, at first to two duels, which were fought in to wondering and then to wholly un- like yours." the evening with sabres. It is a appreciative ears. And when he at source of legitimate satisfaction to last realized that all his efforts were know that Baron Fiath escaped unhurt, in vain, he gave her up, and sometimes

Not that this in the least degree consistent with his honor as a soldier head, with his colorless, sunken, unto drew his sword upon an unarmed healthy countenance, with his limp mustache and washed-out gray-blue eyes, might be interesting to some people, but when Eva compared that face with one that had ever looked kindly

herself, and went on with her work al-

courtesy on the part of such an inflat-But what do you consider the mark | Three months after Eva's arrival in Gower St. Alethea became Mrs. Dun- It had dawned upon her mind of late fingers as easily as anybody else. He

this made little difference to our heroine, for it was with Barbara that she driven the short distance which inexpected, and there was no dinner for attended the art schools in connection tervenes between Mr. Longford's house in the sculpture galleries of the British Museum, and who guarded her from impertinent attentions from the opposite sex, as well as from undesirable acquaintances of her own. And so time went on, and Eva saw nothing of Mrs. Westbrook or of her

> Not once during the London season had the proud mistress of the Grange been to see her, and not once in that time had she invited the girl to visit On her return to the Grange she wrote a brief little note to Eva, tell-

> ing her to be a good girl and to work hard. But she showed no curiosity This was Mrs. Westbrook's way,

however. She had no intention of being cold or unfeeling, and to those immediately around her she was invariably kind; but she was unsympathetic, and very apt to forget those mitted she had privately received from before her. the rector, to whom Mrs. Longford ofthea, discontendedly; "I wish I had ten wrote, a glowing account, not only gone in for hard work when I was of Eva's good qualities an dof her pro-"I wish you'd make haste and get not occur to her that it was necessary

can't till you go off; she doesn't that unfortunate portrait of himself, want to have three grown-up daugh- and had not been so near proposing to the producer and possessor of it, sim-"I am afraid I shan't hurry for the ple good nature would have induced the building to show her some curiosi-

Christmas approached, and Eva hoped, father and her grandfather, and her "I don't know if you are aware of oh! so anxiously, that an invitation peculiar style of hair and collar progreat grandfather, all had it-just the fact that it is very indelicate for would come for her to spend a week claimed them as embryo artists, stroll- of all men at birth, and he who for- fine as we'l.

"Is it? Then you shouldn't have set her head that she had made a mistake ation. is having it this year. She wants to me such a bad exam le. But that is in ever receiving the girl as her guest. feared she had made the girl restless ingly accorded to the present perfor- one of the most important factors in But he did nothing of the kind, he and discontented by her one piece of mer.

asked there at Christmas; nor would "Yes, I will have the gas lighted," she have felt so unutterably miserable when not the least notice was taken "We can leave the doors open and of her. But the new year brought its SAYS DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS conduct theirs will pay, and it is the do without the gas," he said, eagerly; compensations; with it a kind letter came from Mrs. Westbrook, accompan-Without another word, the girl led | ied by a new year's gift from herself |

"The watch is my present to you, him. Yes, broke his neck short off agitated; it seemed to her then and ter ran. "We are both very much afterward that she had never been pleased at the progress you are makng, and with the good reports we hear

Grange must not be thought of, or re- use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, a reshould have the happiness of becoming garded as her home; she must make porter of the Tribune was sent to inonward, and there was no returning; when the attending physicians found and that bright afternoon which she it necessary to administer chloroform. but would never be repeated.

not very joyfully, Eva worked harder particulars as follows:-" Previous to she won her reward.

to provide for herself. This letter did not reach Mrs. West- pondent and thought I would surely three necessary elements of fertility- dict windy weather. youth for indolence and excitement, brook for a week or two, for she hap- die. I got into a highly nervous con- nirtogen, phospnoric acid and potash.

were paying for her education and advancement if she relaxed in the least ing these three years, and love had relaxed in the least ing the relaxed in the r The Ordinary Insolence of Young German | dergee from the course of study and not knocked at her door. At least, if ful I am that I took that advice. only nitrogen is available as plant | If the rooster crows at night he will hard work that she knew should right- Cupid had been so unwise she had not After I had used the third box I was food. He has each year added infinite- "get up with a wet head. heeded him; and, here she is at twen- able to leave my bed and move around ly more potash and phosphoric acid to Six weeks from the time the first The thorns of her life were not rose ty, talented, exceedingly pretty, and, the house a little. By the time I had the soil than was required by any kary-did is heard will be frost

The weather is very hot, and the

brook as he plays on the lawn with a box or six boxes for \$2.50. Perhaps the members of the family his dogs that first morning at West-

Some lilies in her hair and bosom in its grand simplicity.

wish mamma had bought me a dress

isn't she?" laughed Barbara, good-na- hand were joined together and could

turedly; "but I don't care, I feel on not be taken apart. very good terms with myself, and this The appearance of the fingers did not rose-colored silk with black velvet, isn't indicate, however, that such was the corner ones at the age of eleven. Thus eyes is the length of one eye. unbecoming, though it's neither clas- fact, and the examining surgeons, who The virtues of a keen business man upon her, and contrasted that limp, to-night; my ridiculous sisters make a rate the two fingers, and after a great to-night; my ridiculous sisters make a rate the two fingers, and after a great to-night; my ridiculous sisters make a rate the two fingers, and after a great to-night; my ridiculous sisters make a rate the two fingers, and after a great to-night; my ridiculous sisters make a rate the two fingers, and after a great to-night; my ridiculous sisters make a rate the two fingers, and after a great to-night; my ridiculous sisters make a rate the two fingers, and after a great to-night; my ridiculous sisters make a rate the two fingers, and after a great to-night; my ridiculous sisters make a rate the two fingers, and after a great to-night; my ridiculous sisters make a rate the two fingers, and after a great to-night; my ridiculous sisters make a rate the two fingers, and after a great to-night to-night; my ridiculous sisters make a rate the two fingers, and after a great to-night t a point of speaking to me as though deal of exertion gave up in disgust. At I were preordained to be an old maid." last a clever thought struck one of "Only make a conquest of some one them. worth having," remarked her mother, "Tell me," said the surgeon, "how

"I need not give the same advice always like this?" to Eva," she added, significantly. Eva took no notice of this remark. ing young peasant, and he opened his can, and Bell blossomed out into a that Mrs. Longford was anxious to pro was astonished at the laughter his act evoked. The surgeons did not attempt ward found a husband for herself. But rad, and our heroine had never miss- to examine him further; he passed.

ed an opportunity of trying to extin-Conrad would never do anything for himself, his mother thought, and therefore it was very desirable that he should marry a wife who could supply his deficiencies.

But, meanwhile, our party have been

with University College, and it was and the University College. The ladie Barbara who went with her to draw ascended the staircase, and having been received by two members of the council, passed on into the crowded rooms. It was like coming among old friends -like the breaking up party of a school; and Eva and Barbara shook hands with one acquaintance, chatted with another, and our heroine found herself as pleasantly and comfortably at her ease as though she were in her own paint-

But Eva attracted much attention this evening. The fame of her talent and unusual success had been whispered about among less fortunate artists. Professors had heard of her, and those who did not know her personally, eagerly asked to be introduced, for learn-But when tea was over, and the rest of the party had adjourned to the them about her comfort or happiness, and ed professors, old or young, are rare-third a high place in society, to a ly proof against the combined attraction about ly proof against the combined attraction. tions of talent and beauty.

So Eva found herself greatly sought after on this occasion, and she was not and there, half screened from observawho were not actually under her eyes; tion, to sit and watch the brilliantly-

man, had found her out, and was talkgress, but of her comfort; so it did Barbara Longford joined them. For ence he ought to keep ever in mind married," peuted the younger girl. "I or desirable to make any very search-Scherer was a man whose attention she would have liked to monopolize. But Eva had evidently little care for the sometimes what the world calls failure grain; on Wednesday, warfare handsome doctor, and when he volun- is in reality the truest success. teered to take her to another part of him to call at Gower street and take ties, she pleaded fatigue and suggest-Eva and one of the girls to see some ed that Barbara sould go with him in-

ever. A group of young men, whose honorable and you like it.

you that if you haven't you probably The flush on Alethea's face deepened, condition of life, and that, too, at a individual, in low but impassioned tabalbe inclination and aptitude for tells you, is over to Bunker's, and quential-looking man came into the enough to be unconscious and unappreciative of the advantages of his behavior; each one of them would as agriculture. ly, and Mrs. Harding would have lize that, though the difference be- if the idea had happened to enter his stant contact with the soil, a whole-

To Be Continued.

SAVED HER LIFE. Confined to Bed for More Than a Month and Wholly Unable to Move-Food Had

to be Administered to Her as to a Child-Thankful Words of Praise. From the Tribune, Deseronto, Ont. of you. Work hard, my dear Eva, and to, is well known in the town and sur- him from success or from the enjoyprove to me that I was not mistaken rounding country, her home having ment and development of his social and nostricate frost in winter; snow in ments have demonstrated that the always been in this vicinity. Mrs. intellectual faculties. This letter acted as an additional Doxtater has passed through a more spur to the girl, though it likewise than usually trying illness, and as it dispelled many illusions. Westbrook was said she ascribed her cure to the

Accepting this destiny cheerfully, if despaired of. Mrs. Extater gives the

used six boxes I had gained greatly in single year's plant growth.

sufferer the road to health. strength through the fair use of Dr. the application of the additional 50 Williams' Pink Pills. They enrich tons of manure. "I won't he long," Eva replies, with and build up the blood and stimulate Nitrate of soda is undoubtedly the surrounding them— are tropical. Some er cured anyone. The genuine pills plied to garden crops of all kinds. It

VERY RAW RECRUITS.

Simple-Minded Russt in Peasants No Match

for the Recratting Officer. ions. Attempts to escape enlistment teeth of both upper and lower jaws certain lights or when affected by

ining surgeon, in a very low voice, and manent teeth in the crown have a de- reflecting greatly. Eyelids half closbara Longford enthusiastically; "I The shout of the surgeon brought him of the upper incisors are six lines or definite ideas, greater steadiness in acback, however, and he was informed one-half an inch deep. The teeth tion; they notice less, but think and "You would have looked a fright in that he had successfully passed the wear off with a certain rate or regulation feel intensely.

sic, artistic nor severe. But now we were strong men themselves, tried with

were your fingers before? Were they "This way," replied the unsuspect-



HINTS FOR THE FARMER.

SUCCESS ON A FARM.

to different minds. To one it represents a large account at the bankers, fifth the trumpet-voice of fame. By sorry at length to get a seat in a cor- way with money-getting. Now, while and save in freight charges. ner near some rare plants and flowers, many truly successful men have been wealthy and while money as a means dressed and constantly-moving throng to an end is a splendid goal, yet simply as an end it is a serious evil, and Super-titions and Sayings as to the Mean-One of the professors, a young Ger- while it is commendable in a young man to resolve upon earning a competone moment the artist's daughter look- the fact that it is possible for one to and yet live and die in poverty, and summer, it foretells an abundance of

any of her family could get to her bedside; and then there was old Dr. A., he said it was nervous debility and nothing on earth could save her! And the same are considered and sound go with him in the could go with him in off the delighted girl, while Eva con- ing, but he works mechanically, he is

Mrs. Westbrook had taken it into diately went into raptures of admir- to entitle him to encouragement. To

ready here-when the farmers will be some portion of the day. the great middle-class, standing between the few who are very rich and the many who are poor. by farmers, that farming will not pay. improve.

No business conducted as some farmers best evidence of the remunerative nature of agriculture that so many are able to get a living out of it. They would fail in any other calling. You wind. are likely to get out of a business what you put into it and for the past amount of capital put into farming it will give as good returns as any busi- sages wind. Mrs. Wm. Doxtater, whose husband ness. The young man of to-day ought works on the Rathbun farm, Deseron- not to feel that rural life will debar may expect cold weather.

PROFITABLE GARDENING. This depends upon a number of a home for herself; she had no certain- vestigate the case. It appears that things but more largely upon the ty of ever walking through the dear Mrs. Doxtater's illness dates from the amount and character of fertilizer old grounds again. Her course was birth of a child on Feb. 15th, 1899, used than upon anything else, Un- wind cracks off the ice snow follows. der the old regime it was customary had spent with Ernest Westbrook The shock was greater than she could for market gardeners to apply large might be treasured up in her memory, stand and the result was partial amounts of barnyard or stable manure. the odor of fruit is unusually noticed paralysis, during which her life was In some cases where the manure is rain may be expected, cheap and of easy acquirement, 90 than ever. Early and late, with nev- the birth of my child I had enjoyed tons have been applied to a single er-ceasing assiduity, she devoted her- very good health, but following this acre for the growth of cabbage. Under self to her art, and as time passed on my health gave way entirely. I was these conditions, other things being in bed for over a month, and had two equal, the results are satisfactory. It Prize after prize came to her share. doctors attending me. I was so weak is safe to say, however, that if you mackintosh. If she lies with her back

was the start of affairs when a friend the small nitrogen content of the When the swallow flies low rain will

is the means of pointing to some other a profitable acre of cabbage, and the necessary nitrogen might have been delicacy. People who are run down, weak or supplied in a better and more avail- Black eyes, so-called-for they are

apply, being merely sowed broadcast regions. Other intellectual indicaover the area of growing plants.

DETERMINING AGE OF A HORSE up in subtlety and versatility. Hazel Before we can determine the age of stant affection and power of cona horse by the teeth it is necessary though frequently fascinating, are The life of the Russian soldier is a that we have a general understanding dangerous, for they are a sign of smooth at the age of nine, the next wide, careless and extravagant.

all are smooth at the age of twelve. After the age of twelve there is no certain rule that will apply.

BUYING FRUIT TREES.

It is a mistake to buy of traveling agents: not one in a hundred is acquainted with the varieties of fruit, and cannot advise as to best kinds, writes A. A. Halladay. In buying of agents we usually pay three or four times as much as the same stock can be bought for by sending direct to a first-class nursery, which is always responsible. Last spring I saw an orchard, the trees of which were bought of an agent, and there was not a tree true to name. I know of another apple orchard, bought of an agent, and not a tree had ever been grafted, all being seedlings. Think of the loss to the farmer, not only in the extra prices paid, but in time lost in getting an Success has a different signification orchard to bearing size only to find it worthless. There is no excuse in neighborhood of large towns and cities. these days for paying high prices for The delicate instruments employed in nursery stock. The best can be such observatories lose their useful- GLOBE OPTICAL CO. bought for a very low price direct ness when extensive electric plants are from the nursery. If not acquainted in operation near them. One of the latwith the best varieties, ask some est instances is that of the magnetic neighbor who will give you his ex- observatory of Vienna, which has been perience with best kinds for your lo- abandoned. The Austrian government nine out of ten it is identified in some cality. Neighbors can club together has been asked to provide a new obser-

WEATHER LORE.

ing of Various Signs. Thunder on Sunday is considered by threatened; on Thursday, an abund-Can a young man succeed in farm- ance of sheep and corn, the farmer ing? The first point to be consid- may reckon upon; on Friday, some

thinking of his sarary. It matters not |-that is, if it rains on Friday noon, It was only for a few seconds, how- so much what your work is if it be then it will rain on Sunday, but if Friday be clear, then Sunday will be

that very neck. In the family away a child like you to be always talking or two at Westbrook Grange. But ed in her direction, and one of them, sakes it for other pursuits must show The twelve days immediately follow- ed it, while the French developed the who had never seen her before, imme-substantial reasons for the departure ing Christmas denote the weather for the young man possessed of a fair the coming twelve months, one "Who is she? Who can tell me? amount of health, intelligence and day for a month. The day of the It lifted her out of her actual rank and Who can introduce me?" asked this strength and who has not an unmismonth the first snowstorm appears some other calling, no occupation of indicates the number of snowstorms the first snowstorm comes on Novem-Mrs. Longford received him gracious- wealth, and yet not old enough to rea- have acted in precisely the same way Daily exercise in the open air, con- ber 29-look out for twenty-nine

she came over to find out who it was. children-that there is only one Satur-The time is soon coming—if not al- day in the year without sun during

A gale, moderating at sunset, will increase before midnight, but if it moder-We often hear it said, and that, too, ates after midnight the weather will for material in filling teeth, in plates

> No weather is ill, If the wind is still. If the full moon shall rise red expec

The sharper the blast the sooner 'tis A light yellow sky at sunset pre-

When you see Northern lights, you Hazy weather is thought to prog- produce a male and a female. Experispring; fair weather in summer, and | egg first laid produces a male. rain in autumn.

be followed by a rainstorm.

Three foggy mornings will surely be followed by a rainstorm. If the ice on the tree melts and runs off rain will come next; while if the When the leaves of trees show their under side there will be rain.

When the perfume of flowers or When the sky is full of stars expect If a cat washes herself calmly and smoothly the weather will be fair. If

she washes against the grain take your Cats with their tails up and hair

gave did me no good. I became des- manure he has applied to the soil the gether and uttering harsh cries pre-Flocks of crows signify a cold sum-

ALL ABOUT EYES

Eyes, mirror of the soul, may, perrecovery after beginning the use of Dr. that it was unnecessary. Less than attractive than any other feature. Di-Williams' Pink Pills, and I believe 40 tons of average stable manure viding them into two great classes. that but for them I would not be alive would have supplied all the potash light and dark, it has been said that At one time he used to say and to days are long, and Eva works away to-day. I will be glad if my testimony and phosphoric acid necessary to grow the dark indicate power, the light, leading to some other a profitable acre of cabbage, and the

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tions being equal, what they may lack in power and passion they will make

are but few of the infinite varieties

cisors of the lower and upper jaws, It should never be forgotten that At a recruiting station in eastern the next adjoining one on each side eyes are more capable of misleading Russia a peasant pleaded deafness and come out at about four, and the col-would not answer any question put to ner incisors fall out at five. Now the steady or shifting, quick or languid, permanent teeth fill these places as keen or soft, perhaps even more. Wide-"You can go home," said the exam- fast as made vacant. These per- ly expanded eyelids see much without pression or cup three lines deep or ing over the eyes denote less facility

larity, one twelfth of an inch per Deep-set eyes with wrinkles at the er, calmly. "Now you and Eva are a Here is another story of an unwiller, calmly. "Now you and Eva are a Here is another story of an unwill-contrast, but if you were dressed like ing recruit. He was a big strapping six, the next two at the age of seven er, especially when there are wrinkles Every town can have a band. her you would be but a bad imita- fellow, possessing the strength of a and the lower corner ones at the age across the nose, are a sign of cunning Hercules; but he declared that the in-of eight. The upper incisors are six and meanness in small things, money "The mater is complimentary to me, dex and middle fingers on his right lines deep and therefore the upper two matters and otherwise. Set wide apart, middle incisors would be worn off the character will be generous; if too adjoining one at ten, and the upper The proper distance between the

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