

WHEN THE MAIL GOES THROUGH.

Nathin' in a country town... When the mail goes through!

STEPPING STONES.

By Martha Prouty.

Victoria Moore was born in Petersham with a predisposition to physical frailty...

Over Petersham's valleys and hills there then arose a wave of protest...

Indeed, after the first few years of earning her livelihood had gone by...

Occasionally thereafter Petersham folks saw Victoria Moore's name in print...

The time came when Mrs. Peats and Mrs. Trueham met Victoria on an afternoon train...

Victoria set up her few belongings in her old home without much trumpeting...

When she had been back among them for two years and Petersham had let her alone...

"Oh, yes, I know her well," he answered, smilingly...

"Of course, oh, yes, very proud," stammered the Petersham citizen...

The stranger, viewing the scenery with delight, spoke absently...

"They owed it to me," she kept saying to herself as she went about the house...

"I owe it to them," she whispered "I owe it to them, for every step of the way I've taken upward has been by their help..."

And she did.—Boston Post.

WHEN BLEEDING WAS IN VOGUE.

Little Instrument of Torture Was Used on Martyred President.

"Farmer" Lawton, of the Western Union, uses a greswome-looking paperweight in the shape of an old-time physician's bleeding instrument...

The little instrument of torture is a brass box, one and one-half inches square...

Then the instrument is gently pressed against a portion of the body, usually the arm...

Dr. Hewitt performed the operation unwillingly, then watched the effect for a few days...

A Better Record.

When Peter Jenkins returned to Lanesboro for a short visit after having lived ten years in Colorado...

"Why, when I went out there I only weighed 130 pounds, and now I turn the scales at 195."

A chimney of concrete block was decently built in Germany without the use of scaffolding...

Women's Realm

Sentimentality.

It is the fate of womankind to be charitably regarded as sentimental creatures, but if they are half as sentimental as the American man has shown himself during the past year...

Our wonderment as to how Rome could be amused so successfully with gladiatorial shows while the early emperors were subverting their liberties...

Having Pictures Taken. Fashions in dress for the "taking of photographs" are almost as closely observed by smart women as the

Our Cut-out Recipe.

Souffle of Ham, Macaroni and Cheese.—Cook three-fourths cup of macaroni, broken into inch lengths...

style of street costumes and gowns worn for dinner, and few care to pose nowadays in any but the accepted design of frock.

Shorter coats are coming into use. All the new dance frocks have short skirts.

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Day Dreams.

British use of American shoemaking machinery and the making of half sizes and various widths has lessened the sale of American shoes in England.

Rubber leads in acreage and will soon be the most important agricultural product of the Federated Malay States.

Wholesale cost only thirty-five cents a pound half a century ago. Today it costs about \$5 a pound.

THE EDITOR'S MISTAKE.

Generally Deemed an Inexcusable Outrage For Newspaper to Err.

It is held to be an inexcusable outrage for a newspaper editor to make the slightest mistake in a statement of any sort, while professional persons, upon whose certainty of knowledge and on whose statement in regard thereto, life or death and the most important interests depend...

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A Gorgeous Mace.

A reception was held at the Queen's University, Belfast, on Saturday, at which the mace to be presented by Mr. William Gibson to the university was on view.

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Wise Old Rip.

Rip Van Winkle awoke from his long nap and started down the rocky heights in a hurry.

Not Guilty.

Prisoner (as he is being dragged back from his cell)—"I tell you I am innocent!"

Dreaming in boyhood of the day when as an advocate-at-law to which profession his plastic mind aspired...

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POPULAR SCIENCE

John MacMurtrie, a Norwood (Pa.) mechanic, has invented a plumber's firepot, which burns kerosene instead of gasoline or charcoal.

The leading makers of "all-British" automobiles are giving special attention to aeroplane engines and have delivered several V-type fifty-horsepower machines to intending aviators.

A minor drawback connected with the use of the electric fan has been found to be in the fact that the temperature varied considerably...

History is the disappearance of the gigantic dinosaurs, which may be said to have ruled the animal world in the cretaceous period.

Through the discovery of radium in the neighborhood, it is possible that Mariebhad will be in a position to add radium baths to its other healing institutions next year.

Has So Many That He Lends Them to Save Expense of Upkeep.

There is a good deal of speculation in England as to who will have the offer of White Lodge from King Edward, as is expected, Mrs. Harman resigns her tenancy owing to financial difficulties.

These extra residences around London prove rather an embarrassment of riches to the King, who does not need them himself.

Senator Tillman at a Washington dinner party was talking about the duties of an ambassador.

"They are important duties," said he. "A really good ambassador should know all about the country he is sent to."

The morning of the shahzada's arrival the American host visited him in his apartment and was amazed to see the royal guest and his entire staff hopping about the floor in the oddest way.

Coal Wasted by Locomotives. Ninety million tons of coal were consumed by the locomotives on American railroads last year, according to Professor Goss, of the University of Illinois.

Upon asking what the intruder wanted a high, shrill voice piped out: "Hey, there, why don't you put down that other shoe, or are you a one-legged man?"

The publisher of a newspaper has one thing to sell and one to rent. He has the newspaper to sell and the space in his columns to rent.

The oil strike in Tayabas, P. I. has brought into existence six oil development companies.