

Humorous Department.

HE MUST GO.—There is a postmaster in a village not 50 miles from Detroit who has got to go.

WEeping AT THE PANORAMA.—Among the crowd present at the battle panorama the other evening was a boy about 15 years of age.

A SURPRISE.—The Northern Pacific railway was but just finished when it began to put on uniform the same as other railways.

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Wayside Gatherings.

The song of the widow—"What is home without another?"

There are in Paris 8,000 women who are heads of mercantile houses.

The engine of an express train consumes 12 gallons of water for each mile traveled.

Parents who are rude to their children need not be surprised if their children become rude to them.

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The lad who accidentally sat down on a red-hot stove pensively remarked that he was reminded of the retreating general who burned his bridges behind him.

It was a New Jersey wife who said, "My dear, if you can't drink coffee without abusing me, how is it you can drink bad whisky without abusing the barkeeper?"

We often wrong ourselves, but we soon forgive ourselves these wrongs, and they do not at all lessen our love to ourselves.

A whale recently captured in Arctic waters was found to have imbedded in its side a harpoon that belonged to a whaling vessel that had been out of service nearly half a century.

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In Germany the bridal wreath is usually formed of myrtle branches, in Switzerland and Italy of white roses, in Spain of red roses and pinks, in the United States, France and England, of orange blossoms.

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A cotemporary asks: "Did you ever notice how sensitive are the ears of a woman in church to the crying of some other woman's baby, and how deaf to a post she is when her own offspring sets up its piercing squall?"

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For the Home Circle.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON I, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, OCT. 4.

Text of the Lesson, I Kings 1, 28-39. Memory Verses, 28-30—Golden Text, I Kings 1, 3—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

"Then King David answered and said, Call me Bathsheba. And she came into the king's presence and stood before the king."

"And the king swore and said, As the Lord liveth, that hath redeemed my soul out of all distress."

"Assuredly Solomon thy son shall reign after me, and he shall sit upon my throne in my stead."

"Let my Lord King David live forever." Thus said Bathsheba. Compare I Sam. x, 24, and margin.

"How many there are who profess to forgive, but who cannot forget an injury. Such are like persons who sweep the chamber, but leave the dust behind the door."

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Farm and Fireside.

SOWING RYE.

A field of rye sown so that a thrifty growth is made in good season furnishes good winter pasturage.

In many cases a very good plan is to sow the rye among the standing corn, working it into the soil with a five-shoed cultivator.

In addition to the pasturage, rye is one of the very best crops to build up the land. It can often be grown on land so poor that it will not make clover, and when land has been cropped down, one of the best plans is to seed it to rye in the latter part of the summer or very early in the fall.

Rye can also be sown early in the fall, pastured during the winter, then allowed to make a good growth and be plowed under and corn be planted.

The larger the yield of the crops the more food, and the more feed grown the larger number of stock it is possible to keep, and the more manure can be made.

Lemons are an excellent remedy in pulmonary diseases. When used for lung trouble, from six to nine a day should be used.

A piece of lemon or stale bread moistened with lemon juice bound on a corn will cure it. Renew night and morning. The first application will produce soreness, but if treatment is persisted in for a reasonable length of time a cure will be effected.

Lemon juice will relieve roughness and vegetable stain on the hand. After washing the hands in hot soapsuds rub them with a piece of lemon. This will prevent chapping, and make the hands soft and white.

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periment is a valuable one, especially on the Pacific coast, where a half-degree rise in the temperature means the saving of millions of dollars to the state.—American Agriculturist.

How TO EAT A BANANA.—And now comes a woman, who has long resided in the tropics as a missionary's wife, to tell us, according to the Philadelphia Record, how to eat a banana digestibly.

An orchard which is so large that manure cannot be had with which to fertilize it is seldom a profitable part of the farm. It pays to raise only so many trees as one can raise well.

VALUE OF THE HEN.—A careful estimate places the number of fowls in the United States at 400,000,000 and the value \$200,000,000. The egg produce of last year was 1,200,000,000 dozens, netting \$150,000,000.

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