

Humorous Department.

DECEIVED THE SURGEON.—A good story is told as having occurred in the north of Scotland, where a bone-setter had risen to great fame and no small fortune by his skill.

OLD, BUT GOOD.—The Cincinnati Gazette, a number of years ago, published a good story on a distinguished lawyer named Benham, of that city.

A HOOSIER, who was jogging into Indianapolis the other day, looked so down in the mouth that an acquaintance halted him to ask if any of the family were dead.

A CLEVER CATCH.—A young lady was once talking with a very young and very smart man, who was inclined to air his knowledge of the languages a little beyond what she felt that modesty required.

TWITTING ON FACTS.—Two men were quarrelling. One of them threatened to shoot the other. The threatened man, in revival of an old piece of sarcasm, asked:

"Where do you bury all your dead?" Just then an excited man drew the satirist aside and said:

"You look worried," said the improvident man's friend, "I'm slightly annoyed. I am having difficulty about getting a check cashed."

Wayside Gatherings.

HOPE is the sugar coating on the pill of life.

HELENA, Mont., with a population of only 25,000, contains 32 millionaires.

DEER have increased so in Vermont woods as to become troublesome to farmers in the mountain sections.

THE HARDEST people on earth for an editor to please are those who borrow the paper from some of his subscribers.

THE HEAT in some gold mines is so intense that if ice be dropped into them it would melt before reaching the bottom.

YOU CAN ALWAYS tell a bachelor by noticing whether he carries a baby more like a lighted lamp or an old overcoat.

THE UNIVERSITY of Calcutta is said to be the largest educational corporation in the world.

SECTARIANISM is a miserable, shortsighted prejudice. It makes you hate your neighbor because he eats his oysters roasted when you prefer them in the shell.

THE ORIGIN of the bicycle is now traced back to the year 1731 in France, when the Sieur Maillard presented to the academy two rolling chairs propelled by pedals.

EDUCATION begins at the mother's knee, and every word spoken within the hearing of little children tends toward the formation of their character.

International Lessons.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON II, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, OCT. 10.

Text of the Lesson, Acts xli, 17-30—Memory Verses, 22-24—Golden Text, 1 Pet. iv, 16—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

17. 18. "Make haste and get thee quickly out of Jerusalem, for they will not receive thy testimony concerning Me." In our last lesson Paul was on his way to Jerusalem in spite of the Spirit's warning that he should not set foot in the city.

19. 20. "And I said, Lord, they know that I imprisoned and beat in every synagogue them that believed on Thee." It is all right for us to confess to God our sins, but it is not for us to argue or reason with Him when He commands us to do anything or go anywhere.

21. "And He said unto me, Depart, for I will send thee far hence unto the gentiles." We cannot expect the full blessing of the Lord unless we are ready for that work which He has appointed for us.

22. "Away with such a fellow from the earth, for it is not fit that he should live." The same privileges should be set before unconverted gentiles as before circumcised Jews was to them intolerable, and it was for this same thing that Peter was called to account (chapter xli, 2, 3).

23. "I am not sure but the chief captain commanded me to be scourged." Paul was certainly being a Roman citizen when he had been beaten by the Jews (xli, 22) and was now threatened with scourging by the gentiles.

24. "Is it lawful for you to scourge a man that is a Roman and uncondemned?" This he said to the centurion who stood by while the soldiers bound him with thongs preparatory to scourging him.

25. "Take heed what thou sayest, for this man is a Roman." This is the centurion to the captain. As far as heaven is above the earth, so far are the privileges of heavenly citizenship above all those of earth.

26. "Then the chief captain came and said unto him, Tell me, art thou a Roman?" He said, Yea. So a believer should be ready always to give to every one that asketh as definite an answer concerning his standing in Christ.

For the Home Circle.

MANNERS.

It is a self-evident fact that the boy who wishes to succeed in life must have good manners. No matter how poor a boy may be, or how little he possesses, he may always possess good manners.

The well-mannered boy holds in his hand the key which will open hearts and doors for him. "Win hearts," said Lord Burleigh to Queen Elizabeth, "and you have all men's purses."

The place to learn and practice politeness is at home. I do not think much of the boy who practices it outside, and who, when he is at home, is rude and unmannerly.

Some boys, and some brought up in well-to-do families, pride themselves on being rough. They think it betokens manliness. On the contrary, it shows a small, low nature.

First impressions go a great ways. It is well-known that the polite youth who applies for a situation has much in his favor. An employer soon learns to notice all externals and to judge the inner spirit by them.

The perfect manner is one of ease, altogether unaffected and self-forgetful. In order to acquire this you must make it your home manner.

It is well, however, to read some thoroughly good book on etiquette, so as to know the rules which govern polite society, for some day, though you may be poor now, your lot may be among cultured people or among people who consider a breach of etiquette almost a crime.

Always be in haste, but never in a hurry. Observe system in all you do and undertake. Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well.

Never fail to keep your appointments nor be punctual to the minute.

Farm and Fireside.

LOCKJAW FROM TIGHT SHOES.

Tight shoes caused the death of Philip Schreiber at the city hospital yesterday. The same fatal disease that resulted from tight shoes in Schreiber's case, according to Superintendent Otto Sutter, of the city hospital, threatens every man and woman whose vanity is stronger than their desire for comfort.

The disease was lockjaw. It overtook Schreiber in its most horrible form. His death was agonizing. As to whether it will serve as a horrible warning, Dr. Sutter does not care to venture an opinion.

Besides being tight across the foot, the part that laced across the instep bound Schreiber's feet securely, and by Tuesday a sore began to form on the instep of the right foot. It gradually developed into an abscess, and Thursday Schreiber decided he needed medical attention.

That such a fate awaits the greater portion of the feminine population of St. Louis and a large number of the male persuasion seems improbable, but Dr. Sutter declares it to be a fact.

"Another possible source of danger is the wearing of corsets. Women addicted to tight lacing are in considerable danger, aside from the compression of the vital organs.

It is not intense cold that injures a plant. If a comparatively tender kind could be frozen up in autumn and continue in that condition until spring had come, so that there would be no change of condition during all that time, it would be pretty likely to be all right.

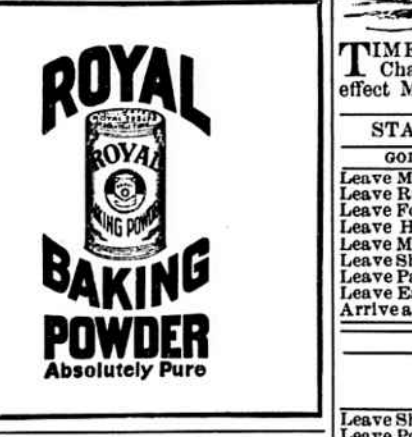
Plants in the house are often frozen, but by thawing them out gradually they are often saved, and frequently no great damage seems to have been done.

Because of this, I am an advocate of protection for all plants. It is absolutely necessary for tender kinds, and advisable for the hardiest.—Demorest's Magazine.

SEED CORN.—Dr. E. L. Sturtevant, by selection of seed, effected an improvement in the yield of his corn, so that he attained a yield of 128 bushels on an acre.

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selection of seed and proper cultivation, he would soon find it a profitable business, with a brisk demand from his brother farmers for supplies of seed.—Colman's Rural World.



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OHIO RIVER AND CHARLESTON R. R.

TIME TABLE of the Ohio River and Charleston Railway company, to take effect Monday, May 5th, at 7.30 a. m.

Table with columns: GOING SOUTH, No. 12, No. 31, No. 32, No. 34. Rows include stations like Leave Marion, Leave Eutherford, etc.

Table with columns: GOING NORTH, No. 33, No. 35. Rows include stations like Leave Camden, Leave Kershaw, etc.

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CONNECTIONS. No. 32 has connection with Southern Railway at Rock Hill, and the S. A. L. at Catawba Junction.

Table with columns: GOING NORTH, No. 10, No. 90. Rows include stations like Leave Chester, Leave Rock Hill, etc.

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