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GARDEN SEED

is the topic of the day, and we have got a large lot to select from. Come quick and get your Onion Sets at 7½c quart. All kinds of Package Seed 2 for 5c, and we keep an article in stock to keep the chickens out of the garden for a little money. 2 ft. Poultry Netting, 150 ft. to the roll, only $1.15 per roll; 3 ft. Poultry Netting, 150 ft. to the roll, only $1.65 per roll; 4 ft. Poultry Netting, 150 ft. to the roll, only $2.20 per roll. The prices strictly cash.

CROCERIES.

Levering's Coffee, 11c package; American Granulated sugar, 6c per lb.; Mother's Oats, 8c package: one barrel Whitewash Lime, 90c at Tolchester; Ground American Salt 65c sack at Tolchester; Coal Oil 10c gallon; best Butchers' Lard 8c per pound; Best Lima Beans, good to plant, 3 qt. 25c; 3 bottles Rumford Yeast Powder 25c; 3 Cans Condensed Milk 25c; 14 blocks Soap 25c; 3 packages 3 lbs Buckwheat 25c. Respectfully,

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Top dress your grass this month. We have a goods that works wonders for this purpose Try it and the cost per acre will cost less than you imagine.

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Are you going to do anything to it this spring? If so, we have the goods. It has Nitrate of Soda and Fish as the source of ammonia, and runs high in Potash and Phosphoric Acid. Some of the finest Asparagus grown in the country is with this goods.

For Corn—

You fertilize your wheat, why not your Corn? It will pay. We have many customers who use it year after year. We have one man in Delaware already ordered 70 tons. We have two more in Maryland who have their orders booked now for 20 tons each, and so on we could give them to you by the score.

Peach Trees—

Many orchards have been taken up the last few years, and peaches brought a good price last year, and don't you think it would be a good idea for you to feed your trees with our FRUIT GROWER, as it has given universal satisfaction. One patron last year claims to have gotten 30 cents per basket more for the same variety where it had been used. We have scores of testimonials concerning it.

Potatoes—

Well, you should use our High Grade Potato Fertilizer if you are going to plant, for this goods has been used for years in four States with the greatest success. It costs $30 per ton, but Mapes and some of the other goods costs $10 more, but we have never come in competition with other high grade Potato goods that ours has not been equal to any and superior to many. There is hardly a day in the last few weeks that some one from Kent or Queen Anne's has not dropped in our office and said: "That Potato goods of yours is the best ever used, and will want more this spring."

For Tomatoes—

Well, you have heard about our Peerless. Mr. Jacob Shriley says it is the best goods he ever saw for tomatoes. Mr. Stewart Graham writes where Peerless went alongside another goods one looked like manured and the other as if it had none and that Peerless yielded over one third more tomatoes.

Mr. B. H. Moore writes: "I used Peerless on 2 acres, sold 27½ tons at 12 cents per basket; netted me $198.40." D. F. Loose says one ton netted him $96.00 more than another ton of $18.00 goods alongside C. R. Dashiel says he would have it if it cost $50.00 per ton. Smith, Rouse & Webster, the great canners, say they never heard of goods spoken of more highly. We can furnish hundreds of testimonials. Many have told us their yield from it was four and five tons more per acre.

☞Now, if you want to sow OATS or top dress your STRAWBERRIES, plant SWEET POTATOES or need a goods for TRUCK, or want anything in the FERTILIZER line, please call on or correspond with us before making your purchases.

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Levering's Coffee	11c	Granulated Sugar	5c
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Sea Gull Yeast Powder	4c	Onion Sets, per quart	5c

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Infants'	25c	Ladies' Dongola Hand Welt	$1.98
Children's	50 and 75c	And all other articles at proportionate prices.	
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A DANISH BOARHOUND.

He Was a Jealous Brute and Carefully Guarded His Mistress.

During a visit to a friend in the country Sir Henry Hawkins had an adventure with a boarhound which he describes in his "Reminiscences:"

There was an enormous Danish boarhound which had, unperceived by us, followed Mrs. Harlstone from the library. He pushed by without ceremony and proceeded until he reached the lady, who was some distance in advance. He then carefully took the skirt of her dress with his mouth and carried it like an accomplished train bearer until she reached the bottom of the stairs and the garden, when he let go the dress and gazed as an interested spectator.

But before we parted from Mrs. Harlstone and while I was talking to her I felt my hand in the boarhound's mouth, and a pretty capacious mouth it was, for I seemed to touch nothing but his formidable fangs. So soft was the touch of his fangs that I was only just conscious my hand was in his mouth by now and then the gentlest reminder. I knew animals too well to attempt to withdraw it, and I preserved a calm more wonderful than I could have given myself credit for.

While I was wondering what the next proceeding might be Mrs. Harlstone begged me to be quite easy and on no account to show any opposition to the dog's proceedings, in which case she promised that he would lead me gently to the other side of the lawn and leave me without doing the least harm.

As I was being led away Mrs. Harlstone said: "Do exactly as he wishes. He is jealous of your talking to me, and any one who does so he leads away to the other side of the garden."

Having conducted me to the remotest spot he could find, he opened his huge jaws and released my hand, wagged his tail and trotted off, much pleased with his performance.

YOUR DAILY TASK.

Bring Your Whole Self to It With All Your Powers Intact.

It makes all the difference in the world in results whether you come to your work every day with all your powers intact, with all your faculties up to the standard; whether you come with the entire man, so that you can fling your whole life into your task, or with only a part of yourself; whether you do your work as a giant or as a pygmy. Most people bring only a small part of themselves to their tasks. They cripple much of their ability by irregular living, bad habits in eating and injurious food, lack of sleep, dissipation or some other folly. They do not come to their tasks every morning whole men. A part of themselves and often a large part is somewhere else. They left their energy where they were trying to have a good time, so that they bring weakness instead of power, indifference and dullness instead of enthusiasm and alertness, to the performance of the most important duties of their lives. The man who comes to his work in the morning unrefreshed, languid and listless cannot do a good, honest day's work, and if he drags rotten days into the year how can he expect a sound career or a successful achievement?

Good work is not entirely a question of will power. Often this is impaired by a low physical standard. The quality of the work cannot be up to high water mark when every faculty, every function and every bit of your ability is affected by your physical and mental condition. You may be sure that your weakness, whatever its cause, will appear in your day's work, whether it is making books or selling them, teaching school or studying, singing or painting, chiseling statues or digging trenches.—Orison Swett Marden in Success Magazine.

Pensioning Judges in England.

It is considered an essential condition of the English court system that the judges shall be absolutely independent financially; that their salaries shall be so large and provision for their future shall upon their retirement be so ample they need at no time of their service have any monetary anxiety. There are now no fewer than eight ex-judges in receipt of total pensions amounting to $121,662.50 a year. A judge who continues on the bench after completing fifteen years' service really does his work for $7,299.75 a year, the difference between his salary and pension. The lord chancellor is entitled to a pension of $24,332.50 a year for life, however short his tenure of the chancellorship.

The King of Korea.

Only the king of Korea may raise goats or have round columns and square rafters to his house or wear a coat of brilliant red. Only the king may look upon the faces of the queen's hundreds of attendant ladies or have any building outside of which there are more than three steps. Four steps would be high treason and would cost their owner a traitor's death.

His Mistaken Idea.

"But, my dear," remonstrated Mr. Meekun, "there's a good deal to be said on both sides."

"No, there isn't," answered his spouse. "I've told you what I think about it, and that's all that is going to be said."—Chicago Tribune.

The Reason.

Ethel—What did you say to papa last night? Ferdy—N-othing. I was so scared that I didn't open my mouth. Ethel—Oh, that accounts for it! He said you impressed him very favorably!—Home Notes.

A thousand times listen to the counsel of your friend, but seek it only once.—Hardy.

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Little Irma had been on an excursion to her father's downtown office and saw for the first time a typewriter in use. "Oh, mamma," she said on her return home, "don't you know, I saw the funniest sewing machine down to papa's office. It sewed A B C's!"—Lippincott's Magazine.

Slander.

Close thine ear against him that shall open his mouth secretly against another. If thou receivest not his words, they fly back and wound the reporter. If thou dost receive them, they fly forward and wound the receiver.—Lavater.

Candid.

He—Yes, whenever I see myself in the mirror I feel that I am much better looking than the average man. Do you call this conceit? His Friend—No. I call it distorted vision.

To what gulfs a single deviation from the track of human duties leads!—Byron.

Consoling.

He—So your father thought I wanted to marry you for your money? What did you say? She—I persuaded him that you didn't, and then he said if that was the case you hadn't any sense.—Detroit Journal.

The Inventor of Today.

The inventor is no longer invested with the pathos and romance of unrequited patience, but is the man of all others who leaps to eminence and fortune.—St. Louis Republic.

Not Wasted.

Mistress—You ruined that terrapin last night, Ellen. I can't have things wasted so.

"Sure, mum, 'twasn't wasted. We ate it in the kitchen."—Life.

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