

this brings in some food. He
and I together worked nearly
two weeks on a church for
\$15— and we haven't collected
the \$15— yet and don't know
when we will—. My mare Flora
has worn her feet down to stumps
and I haven't the money to
get her shod. In regard to
the horse "Victor" I am at
your mercy. I do not think
it is necessary to go to any
law proceedings. I do not dis-
pute the debt and if you
wish to slaughter him I can
not prevent it, but I hope
you can save him some way.
I am now in correspondence
with party who may buy him
or if he does not buy the horse
may advance enough on him
to pay you. I hope I can make