

The Fun of the Thing.

STUTTERING. O how beautiful Mary, say, when she is called out...

Too Hard for Texas Society. A few days ago, a wagon drawn by a yoke of long horn Texas cattle...

A Dry Zeal. On a sleeping car on the other night, one lady exclaimed in a slow and solemn voice...

An Humble Follower of "G. W." A good little boy out West undertook to come to G. Washington on his mother in this way...

A MAN was seen coming down Montague street, Brooklyn, on his way to the Wall Street Ferry...

A doctor always treated his juvenile patients for worms, whether or not they had any...

An eminent lawyer, a short time since, while solemnly and eloquently advocating his client's case...

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For the Farmer.

PLANTING FRUIT TREES. The following suggestions by Andrew S. Fuller are especially valuable...

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Silver Maple As a Shade Tree. From its very rapid growth, and making so quick a shade...

Growing Hedges. Are our farmers paying enough attention to their growing hedges?

Testing Seeds. Now that spring and the planting season are approaching, it is often important to test the seeds...

Newspapers as Plant Protectors. A writer in the English Gardener's Record says: "The weather is often so variable in early spring..."

Seeding Seeds. One of the best methods of preparation of seeds for early sowing is to soak them in diluted liquid manure...

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Our Scrap Book.

TWO APRILS. Write as soon as the dogwood blooms. The leaves were sweetly blue...

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