Many ditch banks are now unsightly from tangled briars and weeds; let these then let the bank of the ditch be thrown as far as convenient with hee and shovel towards the burnt mass, and the next crop, with good cultivation, will amply repay the labor, and leave, for years to come, a garden spot of decided beauty. verdure and fertility up to the ditch's:

Is there a hill-side wash defacing your field fill it with decaying logs, bark, leaves and straw' and over all a layer of soil; then for water vent,' dig a trench, placing the dirt compactly on the lower side, descending the hill with as gradual a slope as possible, after which so arrange PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY, MARYLAND. your rows as to allow the water to pass off through this trench with as little descent as may be. In a little time the decaying debris will make the ghastly chasm a cheering view of golden grain or snowy cotton, while the conquering farmer will feel that he has not only enhanced the value of, but beautified his landscape and curbed the fierce torrents to his will.

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Now is a good time to do these things,

-Professor Riley, of the National Entomological Commission has submitted to the Governor of Kansas, a report of the result of three weeks' examination of the grasshoppers in that State and in Texas. He thinks that there is in the main says also, that the examination has confirmed his theory that the grasshoppers cannot thrive permanently out of their natural habitation. The Professor, after giving various plans for destroying the grasshoppers, says: "When the locusts' course has been fully understood, and the farmers unite in a determined effort to counteract it, it will no longer interfere with the settlement of the Western plains, which its visits at irregular intervals."

- A Parisian and his wife quarrelled. "I shall drown myself," she finally cried out, exasperated. "Go, if I am all that deters you," he answered. Still, he followed her, and when she threw herself into the Seine, plunged in and brought her to land. As he was climbing up the bank, however, he slipped back into the river, and, being exhausted by his previous exertion, was unable to save himself. His wife seeing his situation, plunge i in after him, but as he could not Roses, Evergreens. 25 packets Flower or Garswim, that was of no avail, and both den Seeds, \$1.00 by mail. must have been drowned had it not been C. C. The True Cape Cod Cranberry, who pulled them out. The pair went! home like two turtle doves.

-Kats are affectionate, they luv young | Seed warer lished 1842. chickens, sweet kream, and the best place in front of the fireplace. Dogs are faithful, they will stick to a life t

bone after everybody else has deserted it. Parrots are eazily edukated, but they will learn to swear well in half the time they will learn ennything else. The birds eat bugs and worms for plain

vittles, but their dessert konsists ov the best cherrys and gooseberries in the gar-

-A resident of Worcester, Mass., received recently through, the postoffice, from Olympia, Washington Territory, a package, which contained a large potato. It had been cut in two and the inside scooped out, and in the cavity were found flowers and leaves, which, as he learned by a note previously received, had been land, Maine. picked in a garden in the open air a short time ago. The flowers-pansies, geraniums and others-were fresh and bright, although their journey across the continent had occupied fifteen days.

-The ages of some of the leading men in Europe are as follows: Prince Gortchakoff, 76; Lord Beaconsfield, 82; Mr. Gladstone, 68; Prince Bismarck, 63; Lord Granville, 61: Marshal MacMahon, 69 M. Thiers, 80; Emperor William, 80; Victor Hugo, 76; Thos. Carlyle, 81; Alfred Tennyson, 67; Bishop Dupanloup, 75; Pius IX., 84; Garibaldi, 70; Earl Russell, 84; Lord Stratford de Redcliffe, 89; and Jules Simon, 62.

-- An assistant of a druggist recently put up a prescription of a dose of castor oil for a young lady. She innocently inquired how it could be taken without tasting it. He promised to explain to her, and, in the mean time, offered her, courteously, a glass of flavored and scented seltzer water. Atter she had finished it, he said, triumphantly, "You see, miss, you have taken your oil and you did not know it." The young lady screamed out, "It was for my mother!"

-An island was put up at auction in London last month, with no bidders. It was Herm, one of the Channel Islands, three miles from Guernsey and Sark, comprising 400 acres, with a good harbor, granite quarries, excellent fishing, an oldfashioned residence with a chapel and a new villa and no taxes.

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-When a San Franciscan gets to be immensely wealthy he builds a palace of a stable, with marble halls, Brussels carpets, and hot and cold water in every stall; a Chicago millionaire builds a hotel nine stories high; a New Yorker builds a hospital; a Bostonian builds a college, and a Burlington man builds another bay window to his house and paints his front fence.

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both as a Reaper and Mower, and the Table Rake side delivery is surely far the best for making good bundles that I have seen or heard of, and I think it cannot be improved. It delivers the bundles on the side out of the way without a particle of tangle underneath and saves at least two binders as well as ena bles them to make nice sheaves and clean work. In some of the worst down and tangled wheat I have ever seen it went right through cutting smoothly and delivering in good chape. It delivers in good order the june 19 '75-1y.

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Yours, &c., JOSEPH SMALLWOOD, "Locust Grove," Howard Co., Md. ELLICOTT CITY, Aug. 24, 1876.

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