

A CORN ROAST.

Polite Form of Social Entertainment That is Out of the Ordinary. One of the boldest social events imaginable is a genuine corn roast...

THE RECTOR'S REVENGE.

Harvey's Whooping-Cough Was Used as an Offset to Harriet's Teeth. In these pleasant days of universal vacation, brotherly clergy men are wont to occupy one another's pulpits...

THINGS TO KNOW.

A Few Items of Domestic Information Which May Be New to Some. Stain of fruit, etc., may be taken out of wash-goods by first saturating the spot with coal oil...

WORD FULLY EXPLAINED.

When He Came to Fully Understand It "Besties" Gave the Old Man a New Idea. Back from the day's hard work in the wheat field the disappointed peasant set down to interview the young man...

FRUIT AS A DIGESTIVE AID.

Pineapples Are Especially Beneficial for Persons Afflicted with Dyspepsia. The partaking of a slice of pineapple after a meal is quite in accordance with physiological indications...

NEW PEERS FLEECE

Obtaining the Patent of Nobility Is Expensive in England. The newly installed members are elected without money by the powers behind the throne. English titles are conferred either directly or indirectly...

PURGENT PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. Pashy—"Paw, what does 'octo' mean?" Father—"Octo means eight." Son—"These grapes must be an octagon, coz he's 80 years old." Mr. Pashy—"Didn't I see you on the avenue the other day?"...

SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY.

The amplitude of vibration of the diaphragm of the telephone receiver in reproducing speech is about the one-twenty millionth of an inch. Holophane glass is a pressed glass resembling cut glass...

A LARGE METEORITE.

Eastern Scientist Locates One Weighing Fifty Tons in Mexico. Some Special Attraction Seems to Exist in That Region for Meteorite Hunters from the Heavens. At a meeting of the Rochester Academy of Sciences recently, Prof. Henry A. Ward, of Chicago, talked informally...