

The Chess Board.

My little love, do you remember—
I was grown so sadly wise—
Those evenings in the bleak December,

Ah! still I see your soft white hair!
Hovering warm o'er queen and knight.
Brave pawns in valiant battle stand;

Our fingers touch—our glances meet
And falter; falls your nut-brown hair
Against my cheek—your bosom sweet

Ah me! the little battle's done,
Dispersed in airy dizziness.
Full many a move since then I have

Woe is it we have won?
This—this, at least! if this alone—
That never, never, nevermore,

WARNING APPARATUS.

How to Produce a Pure and Healthy Atmosphere.

The London Times in a recent issue says:
The season has now arrived when the cold
of winter has to be combated in our houses by

An almost universal practice is to place on
the stove a pan of water, with a view to
purify the air by absorbing the carbonic acid

Worth's Newest Fashion.

It is rather a refreshing amusement, now-a-days,
to drop in at Worth's when passing
through the Rue de la Paix, and to indulge at

Within the past few weeks there has passed
away another relic of the London of the days of
Elizabeth—the residence on the western side

The British Consul at Panama reports that
India rubber has almost ceased to be an
article of export from the Isthmus, mainly in

ABOUT THE WORLD.

Latest Interesting British and Foreign News.

The hour for dinner in Paris is at half past
seven p.m.

The Irish of County Westmeath are likely
to return a Jew.

Mr. Gladstone writes that the next election
will be the most important of the twelve in
which he has taken part.

Martin Luther was the hero of a play lately
produced in Paris to a delighted audience, and
Sardon's latest piece has spiritual conflict for

The Baroness Bardett-Comte narrowly
escaped shipwreck lately off Jersey, in her
steam yacht Walrus. The vessel struck a

According to Mr. Lowe, the cost of bringing
the 7,000 Sepoys to and from Malte last year,
at the time of Lord Beaconsfield's grand

Three kittens have died of diphtheria in
Ogdensburg, N. Y. They contracted the disease
from children affected with it. The

The Egyptians built the Pyramids, the
Greeks created the Parthenon, Christianity
raised the Gothic cathedrals, some uncertain

The Cologne Gazette says that it is still
doubted whether the Duke of Cumberland
will renounce his rights to the throne of

On Nov. 3 the Prince and Princess of
Wales opened the new medical school of the
Bartholomew Hospital. The London Standard

It is hard that not only the bread staffs,
but the wine stuffs of France should fall short
this year. In Champagne the failure of the

According to the investigations of a Russian
professor, Dr. Monassein, singing is an excellent
means of preventing consumption, and for

In England one Harding and his wife, while
drunk, resolved to drown themselves. She
was rescued and charged with murdering her

Elephants have sold as high as \$15,000
apiece, and such animals as are now exhibited
with Forepaugh's or the London circuses are

"The telegraph wire," says the London
World, "is equal to wondrous vagaries, we
all know; but it has attained its extreme

Notwithstanding the general distress in the
agricultural and manufacturing interests in
England, a large number of persons there are

The condition of Ireland, says the London
Examiner, is attracting great attention in
Russia and England to rise en masse and

The late Duke of Brunswick's sealed packet
has been found. The document reads: "To
M. de Munchhausen, to my Marshal of the

The sunflower is turned to extraordinary
account in Lithuania. The seeds yield at
first pressure excellent salad oil, and the

who also relish the leaves and stalks chopped
up. The flowers a little short of full bloom
are, when cooked, nearly as good as arti-

The London correspondent of the Liverpool
Post says: "Rumors have been current all
over the world that the meeting of the Cabinet next

Prince Gortschakoff's retirement has been
prematurely announced almost as often as
his death; but even when it has taken place

A singular case of recovery from insanity
through an injury occurred recently in the
N. Y. Homeopathic State Asylum for the

ALLAN LINE.

Important New Shipbuilding Contract.
(From the Liverpool Journal of Commerce, Monday, 10th November, 1879.)

Referring to a recent announcement that
tenders were being asked for the construction
of a large passenger steamer of 5,500 tons for

Few of us can reach the philosophic
heights of indifference which are expressed
in the following touching lines, written, it is

Roll on, thou ball, roll on!
Through pathless realms of space,
Roll on!
What though I'm in a sorry case?
What though I cannot meet my bills?

FARM AND GARDEN.

A BUDGET COMPILED BY A PRACTICAL AGRICULTURIST.

Experiments at the Model Farm.

A talented agriculturist thus refers to the
experiments lately made by Prof. Brown at
the Ontario Agricultural College:

Although nothing final and conclusive is as
yet attained by Professor Brown, or could
possibly be in so short a time, his labors
afford some practical hints and lessons

The experiments in sheep and cattle feeding
deserve and will repay careful study. In
the feeding of sheep for the market, the
best results were obtained from the use of

CANADIAN APPLES IN ENGLAND.

A dealer in Birmingham, England, writes:
Sir,—We are now receiving from your side
of the Atlantic large quantities of apples, and

HOW TO PREPARE POULTRY FOR THE MARKET.
Abstain from feeding poultry twenty-four
hours before killing. Pluck while dry, leaving

able quarters are very susceptible to colds if
unduly exposed. We once knew of a fine
herd that had been carefully fitted for the

DON'T FEARE THE FEED.

Now is the time to make money and enrich
your farm. The prices of all kinds of farm
stock are good. The best yield the most

KEEP YOUR CATTLE WARM.

Make the stable tight and warm, give the
cow a good warm bed at night, of soft straw,
cut straw is the best; keep her coat clean

SELF-PUNISHMENT.

A Man Freezing Himself for Miss Com-
mitted in His Youth.

Those who happened to be in the Boston
and Providence Depot at 4 o'clock yesterday
afternoon witnessed a sight which caused

A FAITHFUL DOG'S FUNERAL.

Laid to Rest with all the Ceremony At-
tending a Human Being's Burial.

New York, Nov.—An account is pub-
lished to-day of the burial in Greenwood
Cemetery yesterday of a large Newfoundland

AN ENORMOUS WOMAN.

She Dies and Leaves a Five Year Old
Son One Hundred and Seventy-five
Pounds in Weight.

On Sunday last Mrs. Evans was buried
in the Township of Murray, Hastings
County, whose weight sometime before her

AN EXCELLENT MEDICAL APPOINTMENT.

Mr. John Kirkpatrick, M. D., M. R. C. S., of
Chippewa, leaves for England next Wednes-
day to fill the responsible position of President

Female dentistry—"It's nearly out; but
my wrist is so tired that I must really rest a
bit."