OF WEALTH

Careful Tillage, Good Manage-ment and a Beneficent Soil.

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Reading the reports of the managers of the ghartered bailes in Canada, one \$\frac{1}{2}\$ struck by the wonderful showing that they have made during the past two or three years. They are careful in their statements, and while they attribute the sincess that they have met with fogether with that which has followed other lines of business, they are careful to emphasize the fact that the condition of big business may have the condition of big business may have a constant of the statement of the stateme

"The farm is the chief source of wealth. We have now three trunscontinents railways with pranches; running through thousands of miles of the very best undersloped agricultural land in the world. In the natural course of things, these must attract immigration. The products of the farm are now commanding the highest prices ever known, and in my opicion even fatter the end of the war, high prices for foodstoffs must continue to prevail. With the mechanical appliances now available for farm work of the prevail. With the mechanical appliances now available for farm work of the prevail. With the mechanical appliances now available for farm work of the critical products of the extent needed upon good security. The food supply of the world is short, the demand is likely to increase rather than decrease. Development of mines, extension of factories and the reconstruction of devastated Europe must all call for supplies for the workers. On the whole, the farmer has been helped rither than huit by the war, and wiff continue to be, at least for a long time to come." Many men of authority at predicting the supplies of the workers. On the whole, the farmer has been helped rither than huit by the war, and wiff continue to be a least for a long time to come." Many men of authority at predicting the supplies of the workers of the supplies for the workers of the supplies for the workers of the supplies for the work of the supplies for of colored disturb, proving had a singly and colored colored the colored colored the colored c



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GHAPTER XVII.—Continued.

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coherencies the range boss told what Law found it sood to feel a horse between his kiness. We had not realized between his kiness. We had not realized had been empty. The sun was bot and riendly, the broses was sweet in his overtile as he sweet past the smill ledd and out into the meaquite country. Heat wares danced above the

patches of bare ground; insects and notify from every side; for ahead the known averling course through a deceifful mirage of rippling ponds. It was all familiar, pleasant; it was home. With every mile he covered his strength, and course increases the was all familiar, pleasant; it was home. With every mile he covered his strength, and course in the familiar pleasant; it was home. With every mile he covered his strength, and a feeling of unreality to discover no hiteration in the ranch he had somehow feel that the buildings would have grown tallers and so when he finally can't in the home of the had somehow feel that the trees would have grown tallers and so when he finally can't in the had somehow feel that the trees would have grown tallers and so when he finally can't in the had to have a several passengers, and one of the had use traveled. The menches was rounning fast, as in long stream he he finally can't like he was no down a bank that the sender was the head of the pains of the pains of the had sentenced his as belonging to Jonewille's proseculing attorney. As a lit tore past him its owner shouted some thing, but the words were lost. In the automobile with the driver were several passengers, and one of these serval passengers, and one of the head of the palms. The serval passengers, and one of these serval passengers, and he perceled the mean of the serval passengers, and he perceled the serval passengers, and he perceled the passengers and passengers, and one of these are to work the lease of the passengers, and the serval passengers, and he perceled the passengers, and the serval passengers, and



Dave Stood Staring at the Master Las Palmas.

his fingers unclenched, a great sigh whistled from his lungs. Before him, booted, spurred, and fully dressed, lay the dead body of Ed Austin.
Dave was still staring at the master of Las Palmas when the prosecuting

of Las Palmas when the prosecuting attorney spoke to him. "God! This is terrible, isn't It'r he said. "He must have died instantly." "Who—did It'?" "We don't know yet. Benito found him and brought him in. He hasn't ben dead an bou."
Law ran'his eres over the room, and then asked, sharply, "Where is Mra. Austin."
He was answered by Bonito Gon-

seems youner in the name. Section has was drinking again, you understand? The senora had reason to go." "You think she ran away to escape him before the section of the seems of the seems

here."

Benito hurried away, leaving Daven prey to perplexity; but he was back again in a few moments. His face was

Bentio hurried away, leaving Day of prey to perplexity; but he was back again in a few moments. His face was grave.

"Jose did not go to the east pasture," he said.

"Where is he now?"

"No one seems to know."

Law walked to his horse, mounted, and gailoped away. Bentio, who watched him, saw that he turned toward the river road which led to the Las Palmas pumpling iplant.

The more Dave thought about Ed Austin's death, the order cardial become did to the comment of t

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"I don't see bow you do it."
"Why not?" responded the form
teller. "We can figure what goods it
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The Wrong Place.

The traveling man who had struck the slowest town in the country on Membral day, and had not made a sale of anything, was writing back home. (He had to pass the time away somehow, and there were no other traveling men near the place.)

This is the conclusion of his entergy to the town:

"This is the rottenest town I have ever struck, and I have met some mightly rotten ones! Today is Memorial day, They are maining a big noise in this town. They all go on the town of the third the burgh, but in really the ones they should have decorated were the homes of the living lead ones on the east side. Those people out there in the demeter, are the livest products this place has ever produced. Some town!"—Indianapolis News.

town!"—Indinapolis News.

Wonderful.

The old soldier was again giving the youngster accounts of the wonders he and experienced, especially in the way of climate. Said he; "I remember when we were at Frardum we used to toost our bread in the son and—"" Youngster (Interrupting)—"es. I know, and you were supplied with corkscrews to draw your breath.

"Has your friend high ambitions?"
"Sure. He's an aviator."—Baltimore



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