

Farm, Garden and Household.

Raising Summer Calves.

The Record and Farmer says: The hot months of summer are the worst of the whole year for young calves, partly because of the unavoidable heat, and partly because they have not suitable quarters at that season.

How to Kill Grasshoppers.

Reports of Western railway trains stopped by grasshoppers are apt to be taken by Eastern people as samples of Western humor rather than as statements of actual fact.

SUMMARY OF NEWS.

A tank in the Weekawken Oil Dock containing 15,000 barrels of oil was struck by lightning. The bolt fished like a meteor around the immense dome and darted down the eastern corner.

Stop It.

"Times are hard, money is scarce, business is dull, retrenchment is a duty—please stop my tobacco!" "Oh, no; times are not hard enough for that. But there is something else that costs me a large amount of money every year. Please stop my—tobacco, cigars and snuff?"

The Markets.

Table with market prices for various commodities like wheat, flour, and oil. Columns include item names and prices.

"EAT TO LIVE."

Advertisement for F. E. Smith's "EAT TO LIVE" diet, including a list of ingredients and a testimonial.

Colorado for Invalids and Tourists.

Advertisement for Colorado travel services, including a list of agents and a testimonial.

Kitchen Gems.

The other day Mary was ironing and asked for a piece of sand paper for her iron. I was astonished that she never thought of that before; it is so nice, removes every bit of starch or anything else and makes them so smooth.

Detecting Adulteration in Flour.

The substances with which flour is most frequently adulterated are: Plaster of Paris, the dust of burned bones, pea or bean meal, and potato flour.

The Indian Outrages.

A letter from Dodge City, Kansas, says: The Indians are very bad out here. They are committing terrible outrages. Up to this time nine hunters and four other men have been killed, scalped and mutilated.

Who is the laziest man?

The furniture dealer in his kitchen chairs and lounges about all the time. "The laziest man for the healing of the nations." A valuable medicinal herb.

Don't put up with poor washing.

Advertisement for Seltzer water, highlighting its benefits for health and digestion.

Rich Farming Lands in Nebraska.

Advertisement for rich farming lands in Nebraska, offering land for sale and lease.

Waukesha Water.

Advertisement for Waukesha Water, a mineral rock spring water, and its health benefits.

Sheep Stories.

At the cattle yards in East Buffalo there is an immense sheep house, capable of holding twenty thousand sheep.

One of the New Cadets.

Hon. James B. Beck has appointed to the United States Naval Academy, at Annapolis, Hugh R. Ayres, of Frankfort, Ky., of whom the following incident is told:

Improved Starch.

A beautiful finish can, it is said, be given to articles to be starched by taking one-fourth of a pound of starch, and working it over and kneading it with a little water, then placing five or six pints of water in a pan and adding to this a very small quantity of powdered borax.

Wanted: Agents for Charles Sumner.

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Household Panacea.

Advertisement for a household panacea, a medicinal product for various ailments.

Best in the World.

Advertisement for a medicinal product, claiming to be the best in the world.

Iron in the Blood.

Advertisement for a medicinal product to increase iron in the blood.

Asiatic Locusts.

The locust is an insect which, in the east, is often five or six inches long, and of the thickness of a man's thumb.

Worse than the Bugs.

The Rockland (Me.) Journal says: "Dr. Wiggins had a call to visit a patient at the north part of the city, yesterday, and found him suffering from a fearful eruption covering his entire body."

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