

SCIENTIFIC.

Comparative Value of Foods.—In a recent lecture on the chemistry of food, by Professor Church, some suggestive points of difference were well brought out. Of all the cereals, wheat, it is believed to be the most nutritious...

AGRICULTURE.

THE EVAPORATION OF FRUIT.—Multitudes of men of great intelligence do not seem to understand the difference between evaporated and dried fruit. They are almost invariably when told that evaporated fruit sells at two and three times the price of dried...

DOMESTIC.

WET FEET.—The season of the year has arrived when wet feet are usual, to say the least, resulting in various forms of disease. Indeed, it is a well known fact that more colds are contracted from cold and wet feet...

HUMOROUS.

A READY WIT.—Everybody has heard of the ready wit of Douglas Jerrold. The following are a few specimens of his wit. One day Jerrold was a member, a fierce Jacobite and a friend as fierce for the Orange cause...

Smokers will be startled to learn that a false amber can be produced so like the real that the most experienced eyes may be deceived. The process is simple...

COUGHS.—"Brown's Bronchial Troches" are used with advantage to alleviate coughs, sore throats, hoarseness, and bronchitis. A very good remedy for thirty years these Troches have been in use...

HOW TO MAKE GOOD COFFEE.—There are two things which should be well considered when preparing coffee. First, the water should be well washed and rinsed. Second, always measure the amount of water...

NO CHANCE BEFORE.—A bridal party approach the hymeneal altar and the clergyman proceeds with the service. "With thine, Mary, take," etc., he inquired. "No," said the bride...

Electricity as an Ornament.—M. Trouve, who has recently utilized electricity for many novel purposes, has applied it now to trinkets and articles of ornament. For instance, of two scarf-pins one has a health-head, gold or enamel, with diamond eyes and an emerald tail...

VEGETINE IS Nourishing and strengthening; purifies the blood; regulates the bowels; quiets the nervous system; acts directly upon the secretions, and arouses the whole system to action.

SLAUGHTERING FOWLS FOR MARKET.—Death by strangulation always presents a certain appearance, because the blood is instantaneously arrested, and having no outlet to flow off in, it coagulates in the veins, presenting a swollen, dark appearance...

IF YOU WOULD BE PROPERLY SUITED with spectacles, apply to DR. N. C. GRAY, Optician, 25 N. 7th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. Wilson Flagg explains why certain birds, like chickadees and robins, never freeze in winter. It is not their feathers or down, but their fat. Their food consists of insects, and hence they are compelled to scatter. Their natural gregariousness, however, causes them to sound a note every now and then, in order to keep within hearing.

WE HAVE NO HESITATION in recommending Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup for children teething or suffering from Wind Colic, Diarrhoea or Dysentery.

TO REPAIR CRACKS IN WALLS.—Equal parts of plaster of Paris and white sand, such as is used in most families for scouring purposes, mixed with water to a paste, and applied to the crack and smoothed with a knife or flat piece of wood, will make the broken place as good as new.

There is Nothing Certain except death, and that is now rendered extremely uncertain by the discovery of a new and powerful medicine, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

For the Hair.—For falling out of the hair a lotion is prescribed composed of water of ammonia, almond oil, and chloroform, one part each, diluted with five parts of alcohol, or spirits of rosemary, the whole made fragrant with a drachm of lemon. Rub it on the skin, after thorough cleansing with the hair brush. It may be used sparingly or abundantly, daily or otherwise.

FATHER (to a son, whose school reports ran low)—"Charles, I see no improvement in your remarks. I have spoken about this several times. Charles—"Yes, father, and if you don't have a serious word with the teacher he'll go on this way forever."

TO MEND IRON WARE TAKE sulphur 2 parts and fine blacklead 1 part. But the sulphur in an iron pan over a fire until it melts, then add the lead, stir well, then pour out. When cool, break into small pieces. A sufficient quantity of this compound being placed upon the track of the ware to be mended, can be soldered by an iron.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures all Humors, from the worst Scrofula or Blood Poison, to the most delicate Syphilis, and is a remedy for all such cases.

A WORD OF CAUTION.—Simmons Liver Regulator or Medicine manufactured by J. H. Zöllin & Co., like all standard and really valuable articles, has met with a degree of annoyance from impostors and mercenary adventurers.

A DARING FEAT.—Some medical students in Baltimore planned one day recently a daring feat, which miscarried only by a mere chance. They went up to the top of the Washington Monument, about five o'clock in the evening, when it was fast growing dark...

"I'LL HAVE A SHINE."—A specimen of the genus free lunch feeders; coat threadbare and greasy, hat among the tiles that have seen better days, boots down at the heels, "check" prominently displayed, happiness great, hunger greater, impetuosity greater...

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A GRATEFUL RECOGNITION. "To cure a chronic or long standing disease is truly a victory in the healing art; that a remedy which clearly discovers the cause and supplies a remedy; that restores step by step the body which has been slowly attacked and weakened by insidious disease not only commands our respect but deserves our gratitude."

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