

AGRICULTURE.

FEEDING FOR EGGS.—Hens are the most valuable stock on the farm...

BEST VARIETIES OF WHEAT.—At a recent meeting of millers in Cincinnati, the comparative value of the different kinds of wheat for flouring purposes was considered...

STILL THE COMMITTEE PURSUES the following winter varieties: "Longberry Amber," Lancaster, Indiana Red, Alabama Orange, Velvet Chaff, Rappahannock and Jennings...

POTATOES.—A Kansas farmer says he raised some of the finest peach blow potatoes he ever saw in the following manner...

DURING the dead of winter any living plant which looks green adds to the cheerfulness of a room...

A farm cart, which, with good usage, would last almost a lifetime, will last only a few years when exposed to the weather.

Not the least promising applications of the new luminous paint is found in the production of a safety lamp for coal miners...

Herr Bergel, of Berlin, has brought out a curious device by means of which pictures of various kinds are burnt out on a piece of ordinary-looking rose-colored paper...

An easy method for showing whether butter is adulterated with beef fat has been submitted by Hager. He saturates a cotton wick with a suspected sample, which is first melted...

The experiment of irrigating lands in the neighborhood of Paris with water from the sewers is said to be working successfully...

A great telescope lens, nearly twenty inches in diameter, is being finished for the Paris Observatory.

DOMESTIC.

CURE FOR DIPHTHERIA.—Diphtheria is becoming a dreadfully scourge and the writer of what is here said, saw the working of this cure in the hands of an English physician at a time when the disease was prevalent in an English town...

ONE secret of making short crust light is to roll it only once, and to sand it as little as possible...

MOCK GINGER PRESERVE.—Cut into strips the thick rind of a watermelon, trim off the green and cut out the inside until the rind is firm...

STEWED BEETS.—Wash two or three large beets without breaking the skin or removing tops and roots...

SCOTCH COOKIES.—Beat two cups of sugar with one cup of butter and five tablespoonfuls of milk in which has been dissolved one teaspoonful of soda...

To wash a fine cambric handkerchief, embroidered in colored silks, so that the colors do not run, the secret is to wash in a soap lather very quickly...

ALWAYS have in the house a bottle of alcohol for use in case the gas pipes become frozen...

LEMON PIE.—For a good sized pie take one large lemon; grate the rind and add the juice to one and a quarter cups of sugar...

Professor Fleming Jenkin has stated that the following are the main conditions to be fulfilled in putting a house into good sanitary order...

Professor Tyndall says that "burning" of zinc is to be regarded as one of the most serious drawbacks to the general use of the electric light...

In 1689 Johannes Swammerdam wrote a treatise upon insects, in which he declared he could show all the parts of a butterfly in a caterpillar...

HAPPINESS and prosperity are so indissolubly linked with good health, that all those suffering with Hoarseness, Cough, Colds, etc., should try Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup...

UMOROUS.

"GUILTY or not guilty?" asked the Galveston Recorder. "Of course I'm not guilty."

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"The other day a bright three-year-old boy, 'who has been around some,' was taken to church to be baptized and christened...

It was a little evening gathering. She was a delicate dated of about forty summers and as many hard winters.

"Ah, dear," sighed Miss Fitzjoy, as she yawned wearily. "There isn't anything to occupy one's mind now. I've made toilet cushions and tidies and embroidered slippers and painted majolica jugs until I'm weary of life."

SMITH—"Say, Jones, let me ask you confidentially, why you associate with that fellow Tompkins? He is a fraud and a beat and a scamp."

WHEN a New York young man pops the question he now says: "Let's consolidate."

ARKANSAS women love to whistle. And what is more lovely than tulips; well below.

"ALL the well that ends well" does not apply to a dry oil well.

There are many indications that in the present condition of applied science the time is not far distant when all our telegraph lines will be lily and grand, where they will impair the beauty of our streets and be protected from adverse atmospheric influences.

A GALVESTON school-teacher had a great deal of trouble making a boy understand his lesson. Finally, however he succeeded, and drawing a long breath, remarked: "If it wasn't for me you would be the biggest t donkey on Galveston Island."

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The first thing to do in the Spring is to clean house. For internal cleansing and renovating, no other medicine is equal to Kidney-Wort—Palladium.

Every square mile of the sea contains from two and a half to three tons of limestone.

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To All Our Friends.

Having had numerous inquiries for advertising cards from ladies in all parts of the country who are interested in the prevailing fashion of making "Card Collections," we are having printed for them a set of seven beautiful cards, each in six colors and on a gold background...

THREE RECIPES TO CURE CORNS.—1. Bathe the corn with strong borax water; then shave it loosely, but be careful not to make a deep cut...

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STATISTICS show that most insane people become so between the years of twenty and thirty.

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A CHRISTIAN: "What are you doing there?" calmly asked an elderly and pious looking stranger of a young man who had fallen on the ice and was rubbing his thigh with considerable energy.

LAND of the free: "You boast that your country is the land of liberty," said a young English nobleman...

Almost young again. My mother was afflicted a long time with Neuralgia and a dull, heavy inactive condition of the whole system...

A QUINCY boy sat beside his girl for just one hour the other night, and during that time kissed her ninety-six times out of a possible hundred.

"A kiss," said young Charles, "is a noun, we allow; but tell me, my dear, is it proper or common?"

"VEGETINE," says a Boston physician, "has no equal as a blood purifier. Hearing of its many wonderful cures, after all other remedies had failed, I visited the laboratory and convinced myself of its genuine merit."

A RUSSIAN claims to have found a new substitute for rubber. It is strongly suspected that while traveling in this country recently he tackled a ham sandwich at a railway restaurant.

An observer of Vesuvius notes an increased activity in the crater at the time of each full moon.

The market is flooded with worthless and vile compounds for the rejuvenation of the hair, but Carboline, the great petroleum hair restorer and dressing, as now improved and perfected, still takes the front rank...

The raw oyster is the lazy man's friend. An assistant opens the oyster and all the lazy man has to do is to open his mouth.

"He sleeps where he fell," says a late ballad, which suggests that he must have a drink.

FLASHES of lightning, which embrace the whole horizon, do not last one second.

A YOUNG lady resembles ammunition because the powder is needed before the ball.

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Catarrah. Pond's Extract is the only specific for this disease. Catarrh of the Head, etc. Our Catarrh Cure (75 cents), specially prepared to meet every case...

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND. It is a Positive Cure for all those Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best population.

ELGIN WATCHES! All styles, Gold, Silver and Nickel, \$1 to \$100. Cheats, etc. sent O. D. to Standard American Watch Co., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Save Money. If you are going west to California, you can learn something to your advantage by reading 'The West' by W. W. Foster & Co., Publishers, Chicago.

ALL-NIGHT INHALATION BY THE PULLOW-INHALER. Will Cure Catarrh, Bronchitis, and well-advanced Consumption.

KIDNEY DISEASES, CONSTIPATION AND PILES. See quickly and surely cured by the use of KIDNEY-WORT. This new and wonderful remedy works on the natural principle...

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BLATCHLEY PUMP. YOU CAN BUY THE BLATCHLEY PUMP. Unlined or with Copper, Ferrelite, or Iron Linings.

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