

The Watchman.

BELLEVILLE, THURSDAY, JUNE 6.

Precautions—Hints to Farmers.

The Legislatures of some of our States have already recommended our farmers to plant this year extraordinary quantities of grain and grass. We hear from various parts that this has been and is being done. Nothing should be neglected which will help to make the staple articles of food abundant during the next two years. Our farmers should not only plant large crops of wheat and corn, but they would do well for themselves and for the country to cultivate, to greater than ordinary extent, certain other crops, the products of which are largely consumed by soldiers and sailors.

Beans and peas, dried, form an important portion of the army and navy rations. They are only second in importance to bread and meat, and are of help to a healthy variation of food, and are of equal necessity. Large quantities of these articles will be needed for our provisions, and it is in time for our farmers to prepare themselves to supply this demand. Also, the farmers throughout the country will do well to reserve their calves from the butcher's knife. This is a point of great importance. With a large army to support we cannot too carefully look after the supply of beef. We suggest to our agricultural societies this matter. Many thousands of calves are sold and killed every month in this country. Our farmers will find it profitable to raise all the increase of their herds during the present year at least; and this is a matter of prudence, by which patriotic stock raisers and cattle owners can do very much to help the cause of the Union, for which our brave soldiers have gone to battle.

Hay, also, should be saved as much as possible. It is an article much needed in all campaigns; and there is little doubt that the operations of the rebels have been embarrassed by the lack of it. The South has always drawn its supply of hay from the Northern and Eastern States. Three months ago there were not five hundred bales of hay in the States held by the Union. Great armies cannot be moved without numerous teams, and probably the lack of hay was not unimportant reason for a certain slowing of movement on the part of the rebel army, which has surprised our people and now alarms the traitors in Virginia.

Rebellion will not triumph for lack of patriots to dispute its progress and put it to flight from the land. But an army can do nothing without supplies; and it must be the care of those who remain at home to spare no pains to provide the necessary supplies for our brethren who are doing battle for the Union. Every bushel of corn, every barrel of flour, every bag of beans and peas, every tierce of beef and pork, every bale of hay, that can be raised—N. Y. Post.

The Right Time to cut Asparagus.

A correspondent of the Farmer and Gardener says—Every lover of Asparagus must deprecate the course pursued by most persons, and market gardeners in particular, in regard to the time of cutting this delicious vegetable. For many years my impressions were that the whiter and better bleached stalks, the finer would be the flavor. Besides this, the delicate appearance of a well bleached bunch of asparagus, almost naturally conveys the idea of tenderness and juiciness. Now this is all a mistake, as any person may prove by a single experiment. My plan is never cut asparagus until, by exposure to the atmosphere, the stalks have become green over the greater portion of their length. The white or bleached part is generally fibrous or woody and tasteless. I know of no more unpleasant sight at the table than that of a person drawing tough asparagus through his teeth, sucking off such parts as may be tender, and leaving the unseatable parts on or beside his plate. This may all be remedied, by a little precaution in regard to the time of cutting. To have asparagus in full flavor, tender and juicy, it must be cut when the stalks are just sufficiently green to break off short, like a snap-shot bean. When the crowns have expanded, the proper period is past, for although the whole stalk then becomes green it also becomes fibrous and tough.

It is said, that where it is desirable to have the asparagus retain a fresh green appearance, when served for the table, this can be accomplished by the addition of a very small quantity of saleratus to the water in which it is boiled. I do not offer any of the suggestions in this brief article as novel. They are known to many persons, but very many are not familiar with them. To such they may be acceptable.

A PRETTY WAY OF STEWING CHICKENS.

Parboil two fine chickens, take them up in a pepper dish, cut them up, and separate all the joint bones one from another, then take out the breast bone, add a little of the water they were stewed in, a blade of mace and a pinch of salt, cover closely with another dish and put it to stew until the fowls are tender—serve hot in the same dish.

A NICE WAY TO COOK CHEESE.

Put a quarter pound of cheese into small slices, and boil a minute in a tawnyful of water; heat one egg and one tablespoonful of butter together, adding gradually one pint of milk, pour into the boiling cheese and stir, after a few minutes cooking is fit to serve for a supper relish.

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Are you sick, feeble, and complaining? Are you out of order with your system? Do you have a headache, or a fullness of the bowels, or a general feeling of uneasiness? If so, you are in need of Ayer's Cathartic Pills. They are the most effective and pleasant of all cathartics. They cleanse the system, and give the blood a healthy tone. They are sold by all druggists and dealers in medicine.

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PENNSYLVIA HOTEL.

THE SUBSCRIBER RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Centre county and the public in general, that he has leased this Hotel, and is now ready and prepared to accommodate travelers in a style, which he flatters himself will meet with public approbation and patronage. People from the County during their sojourn at the Pennsylvania Hotel, an agreeable resting place. The House is spacious and furnished with superior accommodations. The TABLE of the subscriber will be supplied with all the substantial provisions, delicacies and luxuries, which a productive Country can furnish under a vigilant and exertion can procure.

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Having purchased the stock of Clocks, Watches and Jewelry lately owned by Bille & Moran, and having made large additions to the same, respectfully invites the attention of the public to his stock, consisting now in part of Gold and Silver Watches, Gold and Silver Chains, Gold and Silver Spectacles, Bracelets, Gent's Gold Rings, Watch Keys, Card Cases, Silver Pencils, Fingering, Ear Rings, Breast Pins, Gold Pens and Pens, Goggles, Steel Bags, Silver Plated Ware, &c. Also, Eight-day and thirty-hour Clocks at the very lowest prices. John Moran offers these goods to the public, convinced that they will meet with satisfaction. He is determined to dispose of his stock at the lowest possible price, and anything in his line but what he can warrant. Considerable experience will give him an advantage, which he intends to use to the utmost. He particularly invites the attention of the public to his stock of Pins, Rings and Bracelets, which are of the latest style. And he also invites the gentleman to examine a very fine lot of Watches offered for sale.

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