

FARM NOTES.

Some fruit growers are scraping their trees and applying a wash composed of equal parts of lime and ashes mixed to the consistency of thick paste to destroy insects which may be deposited under the bark.

It may surprise the general reader to know that four different species of tapeworm attack chickens, four other kinds attack geese, seven attack ducks and five attack pigeons.

The draught horse never has so hard and sound a hoof as the horse used from collioth to rapid driving on the road. He not only needs to be kept shod when driven, but the greatest care should be taken that he is not over-driven.

A Virginia woman who owns a little land has gone into the business of raising sheep. She spent \$25, paying \$3 a head for ewes, and then turned her flock into her pasture land.

The orchards of this country have received more consideration during the past decade than for a century previous. Crops of apples have been allowed to waste on the ground, the trees were not protected from insects and the quality of the fruit was a secondary matter.

Boiled Cherry Pudding. Delicious (Saturday).—Make a good batter pudding, as follows: Beat two eggs without separating until very light; add one cupful of milk and when thoroughly mixed with the eggs add two cupfuls of flour and beat until smooth and light; then add one teaspoonful of melted butter, half a teaspoonful of salt, and beat again; lastly add one heaping teaspoonful of baking powder.

As soon as the colt has become used to harness, the bit, etc., and has ceased to be afraid of the driver or vehicle, and has learned to go along with his mate like a horse should, we feel no hesitation in hitching singly to a cart.

It is safe for the first few times to use a kicking strap, says "Farmer's Advocate," being careful that it is properly adjusted about half way between the roots of the tail and coupling, and fasten in the proper position to prevent slipping either way; then buckle loosely to the shafts.

It is not well to take long drives at first; in fact, the colt should be returned to the stable feeling fresh rather than weary.

It is preferred to a long wearisome trip, it is always best policy to drive away a distance and then turn around and return by the same road. It is much better to go around a block, a different one at each time, however, so far as practicable, so that he will not acquire notions of his own as to where he should go or turn.

There are numerous ways of getting cows quieted down from kicking. One of the most satisfactory plans I have tried, states O. C. Burch, is to be very patient and kind to them and never use any loud words in their hearing.

I have a dark room to milk in, and in flytime, when they are so liable to be uneasy and whisk their tails and step around enough to try any ordinary man's patience I have a good sized cover to put on them at milking time, made of heavy put on sacks.

I commonly have a lot of corn, cob and all, ground ahead to feed the cows and other farm stock. The meal is improved by soaking from one milking time to the next or longer. If not convenient to grind, I soak in tubs and cut in small pieces, and feed while milking; when eating, cows seem to stand more contented.

When milking an uneasy cow I press my pail and knee close up to her so that she has little or no chance to upset the pail in any way.

Desserts for a Week

Cup Custard (Monday).—Put to boil one pint of milk. Break three eggs in a bowl, flavor with a small teaspoonful of vanilla and a little nutmeg, sweeten with two table-spoonfuls of sugar.

Brown Betty (Tuesday).—Cut into slices six large apples. Cover the bottom of a pudding dish with bread crumbs, cover with a layer of apples, sprinkle with sugar, cinnamon and some lumps of butter.

Blanc Mange (Wednesday).—Mix three table-spoonfuls of cornstarch with a little cold milk. Boil out of sugar. Mix all well when boiling stir in the cornstarch, stirring constantly for five minutes.

Orange Pudding (Thursday).—Pare five or six oranges and cut them into thin slices. Pour a cupful of sugar over them and let them stand for half an hour.

Peach Tarts (Friday).—Make good pastry. Cut into squares six inches each square. Put in the center of each square a well preserved peach or peach jam; fold up the sides diagonally over the peach and bake as you would pies.

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Frozen Vanilla Custard (Sunday).—Separate the whites and yolks of ten eggs, putting the yolks into a large bowl; beat them thoroughly and stir in one pound of granulated sugar. Scald two quarts of rich cream and pour it over the beaten yolks; stand it away until thoroughly cold; add three teaspoonfuls of vanilla, then freeze.

Angel Cake.—To use the whites left from the frozen custard make an angel cake, to serve with the custard. Beat the eggs until very light, then add a cup and a half of granulated sugar and a teaspoonful of vanilla.

How to Make an American Flag. This is a great year for flags, and for the benefit of those who wish to try their hand in making one of the following correct dimensions are given.

Dandelion Wine. Dandelion wine is a beverage both wholesome and acceptable. An excellent rule for its evolution calls for four quarts of dandelion flowers, a gallon of boiling water, one lemon, three oranges, three pounds of sugar and three table-spoonfuls of yeast.

Her Pleiades. A Bolivian woman, after burying her seventh husband, erected a monument to the whole lot. It consisted of a marble band with the index finger pointing to the sky, and on the base, instead of names, dates, etc., were the words, "Seven Up."

No woman who marries an old soldier after July 1st will be entitled to a pension. That law is based on good common sense.

Too Quick for the Teacher. A visitor at a school, during geography lesson, asked a bright boy, "What is the axis of the earth?"

Furniture. That is the object of this announcement, to call attention of the public to the large, complete, select assortment of New Furniture just received and awaiting your inspection at my new store, recently opened in the room formerly occupied by McKee's Hardware store, Allegheny street, Bellefonte.

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Gladstone Buried

The burial of Mr. Gladstone in Westminster Hall on Saturday was marked by simplicity. The casket was of plain oak, and there were no flowers or drapery. About ten o'clock the procession formed, headed by the speaker of the house of commons.

The body was conveyed to the grave by the choir and congregation sang Newman's "Praise to the Holiest." The grave is at the foot of the statue of Beaconsfield.

A Lock Haven Mystery.

Mr. E. Henry, the well-known barber, who recently purchased the property No. 24 Bellefonte avenue, Lock Haven, a few days ago commenced to excavate a cellar under the building.

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What a Prospect for Ohio People!

It is stated that there are not less than 1400 islands in the Philippine group. With proper management each one of these little islands could be made the domain of a government bureau office.

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A Valuable Publication.

Pennsylvania Railroad 1898 Summer Excursion Route Book.

On June 1st the Passenger Department of the Pennsylvania Railroad company will issue the 1898 edition of its summer excursion book. This book is designed to provide the public with short descriptive notes of the principal resorts of Eastern America.

On and after June 1st it may be procured at any Pennsylvania railroad ticket office at the nominal price of ten cents, or, upon application to the general office, Broad Street Station, by mail for twenty-five cents.

Again on the Circuit.

The Chambersburg Valley Spirit recalls the fact that it was at the Girard House, Philadelphia, that Judge Black first uttered the story which has since wended its way in and out of the highways and byways, near and remote, about Democrats and whisky.

Well, you see, if we didn't have corn, if we didn't have whisky, and if we didn't have Democrats, we wouldn't have whisky, would we?

Stinking of the Mecca.

Captain and Fifty-two Passengers Drowned Near Calcutta.

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The Mecca was towing the Lindula, which was disabled, when the hawser parted and the two steamers crashed together. The Mecca sank and her captain and 52 others were drowned. The Lindula brought the survivors to this port.

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William A. Stone, hails from Allegheny county. He is 52 years of age, he served in the civil war in the 157th Pennsylvania Volunteers; is a lawyer and a member of Congress, now serving in his fourth term.

WARM WEATHER WANTS:

Table listing hardware items and prices: Screen Doors with Hinges, Knobs and Latch \$1.75; Window Screens .10; Lawn Mowers 12 inch 2.00; Ice Cream Freezer, 4 quarts 1.75; Oil Stoves, all kinds; Fly Screen Wire; Water Coolers; Watering Pots; Poultry Netting.

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During the Rough Weather that will be experienced from now until Spring you will have a chance to Examine your Roof and see if it is in good condition.

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