

FARM NOTES.

The season of ripening, as well as the keeping qualities of fruit, depend much upon the kind of soil in which they are planted.

Old, musty hay should be used for bedding only. During the summer season there is nothing better for horses than to cut a few armfuls of grass in the morning and allow it to wilt during the day.

Fruit trees that have been lately planted should be attended to. A few minutes only will be required to see if they are firm in the ground and where the dirt had around them again.

A good way to get rid of potato bugs is to poison them by the use of Paris green and water at the rate of one pound of the poison to one hundred gallons of water.

Lime is in general use as a fertilizer, and to a limited extent, also, as an insecticide. Testimony as to its value is conflicting, and this is due to its condition when applied.

Do not disturb the ground near the roots of apple trees or other trees just set out. The loosening of the soil around the tree will always loosen the roots, allow the tree to wobble, sway backward and forward in the wind and tear the roots loose as fast as they take hold of the ground.

It is much easier and cheaper to give the pigs a large-size yard and feed the clover to them, instead of allowing them to roam all over the pasture. As the pigs root up many portions of the field, they do more or less damage, and as it is but little labor to cut the clover when they do not waste much.

It is dangerous for the ducks to be footed around where hogs are. An old mother hog soon develops quite a fondness for duck meat after once getting a taste.

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FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN.

Should ants get into the refrigerator, a saucer of tartar emetic mixed with sugar and water should be placed therein. It will drive them away.

The latest idea in bedsteads has a headboard only a trifle higher than the footboard, and both are made interchangeable, so as to be adjustable to any room.

People must drink water! Sooner or later those who don't drink look like parchment, if they live.

Prophets are foretelling a military note in the street gowns and coats of the coming season. Military coats, cuffs, collars, piping are, it is said, to be much in evidence.

For Casino wear all the best-dressed women favor mousseline de soie, encrusted with lace and adorned with many fluffy frills on a sweeping shaped flounce.

White is immensely worn just now, and the loveliest toilettes seen at the most fashionable rendezvous of the smart world are in mousseline de soie, with deep insertions of delicate lace.

School girls dress their hair this season with a difference. The large, wheel-shaped bow of black taffeta ribbon, which has all the loops widely separated and pulled apart as stiffly as possible, is removed from the crown of the head, its former position, and is withdrawn lower down.

The hair is generally worn with loose locks on the shoulders, unless the latest gowns so tall as to require long frock, and then, of course, her hair must be tied in a giant knot or braids pinned up. She cannot wear her hair in a plain knot at the back of her head so long as she wears short frocks.

In the morning play in sand or grass the little blue overalls are a boon. The mother who is foolish indeed who is only interested in the mind and clothes of her offspring.

Temperance fruit cup.—Shave the yellow rind from four lemons, taking care that you get none of the bitter white, and drop into a large earthen bowl. Squeeze the juice from a dozen lemons on to the rinds, add two pounds of granulated sugar, cover and let it stand over night.

Dr. Mary Chandler, of Lowell, Mass., is said to be the only woman in America who is entitled to practice both law and medicine.

Children's first teeth should be kept clean and filled just as carefully as permanent teeth, says Harper's Bazar. One of the most obvious reasons is to spare a tiny child any unnecessary pain.

A child's first tooth should not be pulled until it fairly drops at the touch. If it is taken from the jaw before the permanent tooth is well formed the jaw shrinks. When the permanent tooth appears, being larger than its predecessor, it does not find the proper room which growth of the jaw would otherwise give, and the results are those ugly overlappings so disfiguring, so painful and so costly to remedy.

About the time we are convinced that bare arms are not a sensible style for the daytime we begin to consider appearing sans neck covering. If we care anything about it we may easily see just how few of last year's dresses are being worn. It is very seldom that we come upon a fair one with the snug, ruffled elbow sleeves these days.

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Bank Robbed of \$50,000. Cashier of State Bank of Cornwall a Defaulter—Arrested and in Jail.

Joseph W. Cummins, cashier of the state bank of Cornwall, N. Y., is in the county jail, charged with being a defaulter to the extent of nearly \$50,000.

The bank was capitalized at \$25,000, and had about \$80,000 in deposits. It will be closed and probably permanently. Its largest depositor has been the Fifth Carpet company of Firtholff, in the town of Cornwall, which concern drew out \$4,000 on Saturday last week.

Cummins is about 29 years old and besides being a church member was president of the Cornwall board of trade and president of the village board of education. He was bonded for \$7,000 and it is understood that he has turned over to the bank all his real estate and personal property, which with the bond is expected to reimburse the bank to the extent of between \$15,000 and \$20,000.

It is said that a recent loss of \$5,500 in Wall street speculation made a shortage that he could not well cover up, and that is the direct cause of the defalcation becoming known.

Three Delicious Ice Creams. LEMON ICE CREAM.—In spite of the usual theory that lemons and milk will not blend, this cream is an exceptionally good one and can be relied on to give satisfaction provided the directions are minutely followed.

As a dessert for a company luncheon either winter or summer the biscuit place holds its own as the elegant sweet. This excellent recipe has been well tested, and found to be delicious. Boil half a cupful of water and two-thirds of a cupful of sugar together for half an hour.

Remove from the fire and stir in three well-beaten eggs. Then place the saucepan in one of boiling water and beat the mixture vigorously for eight minutes. Then transfer the saucepan to one of cold water, and continue beating until the contents are cold. Add a teaspoonful of vanilla and one pint of cream which has previously been whipped to a stiff froth; stir well and fill individual paper cases, which can be bought from a confectioner or made at home from fine white cardboard.

RASPBERRY SOUFFLE.—Nothing is more delicate and palatable than a souffle. It is slightly more substantial than a water ice yet not so heavy as a cream. To make a good raspberry souffle select ripe, red berries, sugar slightly, and let stand on ice for two hours. Then pass through a fruit-press, strain, and measure the juice. To every pint allow the same quantity of water, six eggs, and one pound of sugar less the quantity used in sugaring the berries. Beat the eggs, add the other ingredients, and cook in a double boiler until the mixture arrives at the consistency of boiled custard. Strain and freeze.

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Texas Offers \$50,000 Reward. Will Give That Sum to Any One Who Will Destroy Cotton Boll Weevil.

Gov. Lanham, of Texas, has issued a proclamation offering a reward of \$50,000 to any person or persons who shall discover and furnish a practical remedy for the destruction of the cotton boll weevil in Texas.

The issuance of the proclamation does not indicate that the boll weevil is doing serious harm to the cotton crop. It was made necessary by law. The fact is, comparatively small harm from the boll weevil is in evidence this year.

NIGHT WAS HER TERROR.—"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consulted so many doctors that I was almost in despair, but when I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but when all other medicines failed, three \$1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds. It's absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, influenza, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c, and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Green's drug store.

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