

FARM NOTES.

Catching Corn Pulling Crows.—When ready to plant corn, take a can of kerosene oil and pour enough into the seed box to just saturate the corn.

Working the Cantaloup Crop.—The surplus plants in the cantaloup hill should be carefully pulled out, and any surplus hills chopped off with one stroke of the weeding hoe.

FEEDING YOUNG TURKEYS.

We have good luck with young turkeys and this is how we treat them. Never take from nest until they are at least 24 hours old, then put them in a pen made of four long boards 1 foot wide.

Wheat chaff contains about twice as much protein, crude fiber and fat as the corn husks. These foods are low in digestible protein and fat and only constitute cheap forms of roughness, more valuable as a filler for ruminating animals than for their high food content.

Be Careful About Lice.—Build the nests of earth and tobacco stems, or paint the inside of the box with a reliable lice paint. After the chicks are hatched, paint the inside of the coops with it occasionally, taking care not to suffocate them.

Apple trees are allowed to grow too much wood and are not cut back sufficiently in some orchards. One of the leading horticulturists states that a large apple tree requires more than a forest tree, and in some cases it may be necessary to cut away three-fourths of each tree so as to afford plenty of room for all and admit air and sunlight.

A strong odor will sometimes prevent attacks from insects. A good remedy is, intimately mixed with a bushel of dry plaster, dusted over vines and bushes, will cost but little and will keep for months.

Put out the young strawberry plants for next year's crop. Every garden can afford space for strawberries, if even but a few rows. Be sure to get the plants of the staminate and pistillate varieties, or there will be no fruit.

For Small Chickens I use a drinking fountain made from a tin can and a cake or pie tin. A small notch is cut in the edge of the can and a hole is cut a little above and to the side of the notch.

Ribbon, ribbon everywhere. There is hardly an article of woman's outer apparel that cannot be made or trimmed with some of the new soft ribbon.

Pompadour is in highest favor, with or without a border of black or colored satin. Facile, a soft, coarse weave, in every beautiful shade, satin, tulle, and lousine are all equally fashionable, besides velvet ribbon in every width.

Feed Chickens at the right time, never before nor after, with just enough to keep them from being too fat, always the right kind of food, never the wrong. They will thrive.

FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN.

A DAILY THOUGHT.

When we are alone we have our thoughts to watch; in family our tempers; in society our tongues.—Zerah Moore.

Very small buttons are to be seen on all sorts of frocks.

SUGGESTIONS FOR MOTHERS.

Never leave bottles containing anything within the reach of tiny children.

Never nag at any time, especially in the nursery.

Never let a child cry itself to sleep. Learn the cause.

Never force a child to eat if its food is distasteful to him.

Never let the little ones play with domestic pets which are allowed to roam about the streets.

Never fail to have all the milk and all the water consumed by the baby bottle.

A Useful Hint.—Castor oil and cod-liver oil will not taste so bad if the child first holds a few drops of vinegar or lemon juice to his mouth. The spoon should also be dipped in vinegar or lemon juice before the oil is put in. This will not spoil the effects of the oil.

Bananas for Children.—Although bananas are so wholesome, many children cannot eat them without suffering afterwards, as they are indigestible. If well mashed with a fork and beaten to a cream, they will not harm the smallest child, and can be easily eaten with a spoon. Many children prefer it to jam between bread and butter.

Clothing for Children.—No persons require more careful clothing than infants and young children, as their body surface is relatively large, and their heat-producing powers feeble. For this reason they require covering up as much as possible with loose light clothing, the under garments of wool.

Unvaluable in the Nursery.—The four most necessary articles in the nursery are: Boracic ointment, camphorated oil, borax and glycerine and honey, and castor oil.

Worth Remembering.—Baby sleeps longer on the right side than on the left. It is well to remember this when laying him down finally for the night.

To Prevent "Thrush."—Artificially fed children should have their bottles boiled every day, and the tubes and other rubber parts soaked one hour in water which contains twenty-five per cent. of pure glycerine.

No Food Between Meals.—It is not good to eat between meals, and parents should take care that they do not let their children fall into the habit, as it is one of the most frequent causes of ill health in the young, and also in older persons.

The Feeding of Children.—When a child has reached the age of four or five years it will be found, in most American homes, eating at the table with adults and sharing their food. It is then time for the parents to consider rules of diet for the child which shall recognize the coexistence of a growing body and an undeveloped digestive system.

Why, then, should it not measure its own requirements? A child should have all it wants, even though it may seem voracious at times, and even though, judging by the variable quantity of food eaten, the appetite may seem capricious. But this law is to be adopted with one important proviso: that the child be not allowed to bolt his food.

The amount of food that children will take varies so much with individuals that appetite must of necessity be the principal guide. The system alone knows how much it has wasted, how much it has built.

So with children's likes and dislikes, provided they are confined within reasonable bounds of wholesomeness, and whims have not been artificially encouraged. What the child likes and craves it will usually digest; what it dislikes will disagree with it. Few children like fat, although nearly all like butter. Foods rich in fat, such as gravies, and lousine are all equally fashionable, besides velvet ribbon in every width.

Of sweets the opposite is true. Children crave them because their system demands them. They should have them in reasonable quantity, but not in the form of complex confections at all hours of the day, or at the expense of other food. Rather let them be given at meal times, and in the simple form of sugar, syrup or molasses, or good preserves.—Youth's Companion.

The sleeve, whatever its length and whatever its character, simply must be puffy and bonfant at the shoulder. Dress-makers are running in little frills of silk upon the lining to support the fullness of the sleeve, and for the heavier materials—the chiffon broadcloths, stiff linens, drapes and such—puffs of princess haircloth are tacked to the sleeve lining to give the requisite smart outline.

Killing of Indians.

The once mighty Winnebago tribe of Indians is facing a miserable end, though the National Government holds \$900,000 to the tribe's credit. Scores of the Indians are dying of consumption and this entails a heavy expense on several towns.

Resident Indian Inspector A. P. Jones is authority for the statement that consumption, unless stopped, will soon kill the whole tribe.

All in the Family.

"My watch," said the young man with the cerulian tie, "is what might be properly called a family watch."

"How's that?" queried the inquisitive person.

"Well, you see, my 'uncle' has it now," exclaimed the young man.

Ideal, but Impossible.

"We can't have everything in this life," said the philosopher.

"No," answered Mr. Dustin Stax. "The ideal but impossible combination is a millionaire menu with a deck hand appetite."—Washington Star.

—One reason why a man looks better in a cheap photograph is that it is easier for him to look pleasant while thinking of what it will cost him.

Announcements.

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