

it makes a cheap and excellent food were given out. Then the bear who was standing so near the tree that Thus we effect by mechanical means the gnat could hear all he said, called what the hard-working or decrepit animal is incapable of doing-perfect mas-tication." to the fox, and said, "Reynard, you are the eleverest of ail the beasts ; therefore

New Varieties of Oats.

The signs of the times, even now in advance of the season, indicate signal, by which we may know what you want us to do." "Behold," said the very clearly that the excitement and fox, "I have a fine, long, bushy tail, speculation in the farming community which looks like a plume of red feathfor 1870, is not to be potatoes but oats. ers, and gives me a very warlike air; The latter is a crop sadly wanting now bear in mind, when you see me improvement and renovation, by new and more productive varieties. Wonraise up my fail, you may be sure that the battle goes well, and that you have derful things are told about the producnothing to do but to rush down upor tiveness of Norway oats, and yet ac-counts greatly differ. It is probable the enemy with all your force. On the other hand, if I drop my tail, the day is lost; and you must run away as fast impure seed may have been sent out to account for this. We see it stated as you can." Now when the gnat had that as much as 300 bushels of Norway heard all this, she flew back to the tom-

oats has been raised to the acre, or at tit, and told him everything that had that rate. This is so entirely beyond passed.

anything known or heard of, as to be At length the day came when the battle was to be fought; and as soon as almost incredible, 200 stalks or stopls are said to have grown from a single it was light, behold ! the army of beasts seed. We have samples in our office of came rushing forward, with such a fearboth varieties, procured from what is fol sound that the earth shook. And believed to be head quarters, or so callhis majesty the tom-tit, with his troops

ed, and the Surprise oats is much the came flying along in warlike array, flap heaviest and best. ping and fluttering, and beating the air We shall take pleasure in laying the so that it was quite frightful to hear; and both armies set themselves in order

trath about these and other new varietics before our readers if there is any way to find it out. What are the re-ports about the Excelsior oats sent out by the Agricultural repartment at Washington? We got a small package of this, and thought it was the beaviest and best oats we had ever seen. -Prac. and best onts we had ever seen .- Pracmain.

tical Farmer.

How to Cook Potatoes. BARED POTATOES .- Potatoes are more nutritious baked than they are cooked legs, but still held up his tail with won-in any other manner; and they relish derful bravery. At the second sting he better with those who have not been accustomed to eat them without seasoning. Wash the potatoes clean, but do not soak them. Bake them as quickly as possible, without burning in the least. As soon as they are done, press each po-tato in a cloth, so as to crack the skin and allow the steam to escape. If this the country in the greatest dismay, is omitted, the best polatoes will not be mealy. They should be brought immed-iately to the table, as they will soon be come solid and lose their flavor.

STEAMED POTATOES .-- Polutoes are much more nutritious and palatable if they are properly steamed, than they are boiled. Wash them clean and place So the king flew off to the hear's den them in a steamer over boiling water. If the potatoes are of u good quality, the secret of having them mealy and pal-atable is in steaming them very rapidly -as without a rapid condensation of steam and a detention of steam in the steamer by a close lid, the potatoee will be hard and appear not to be done, however long they may have been cooking. They should steam until the skin cracks, and a fork will easily penetrate the

centre. If not to be brought to the table soon, they should continue to steam until wanted, as steamed potatoes become solid much sooner than boiled

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The hornets did as they were told and when Reynard felt the first sting, he started aside and shook one of his derful bravery. At the second sting he was forced to drop his tail for a moment. But when the third hornet had fixed itself, he could bear it no longer, but clapped his tail between his legs, and scampered away as fast as he could. As soon as the beasts saw this, they thought leaving the birds masters of the field. Then the king and queen flew back

to their children, and said, "Now, children, eat, drink, and be merry, for the battle is won !" But the young birds said, "Nol no! not till Master Bruin

So the king flew off to the bear's den and cried out, ' Thou villain bear ! come forthwith to my abode, and humbly beseech my children to forgive thee for the reproach thou hast east upon them : for if thou will not do this, every bone in thy wretched body shall be broken into twenty pieces!"

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