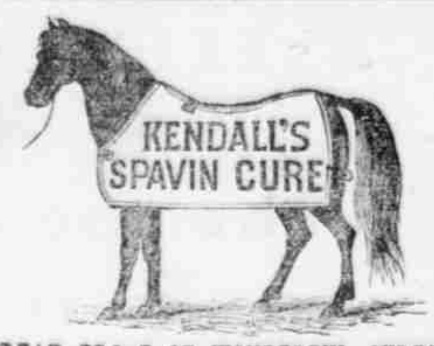

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Kendall's SPAVIN Cure

WILTON, MINN., Jan. 11, 1881.

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From a PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

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Kendall's Spavin Cure on Human Flesh.

WEST ENOSBURGH, VT., Feb. 15, 1881.

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Feb. 18, 1881.-6m.

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Dice was invented 1500 B. C.

Frogs continue to grow for five years.

Fumigation of brimstone is of Roman origin.

It is said that the Emperor Zeno was buried alive.

The earliest known nails were made of copper.

Oregon produces four, five, six, and even seven leaved clover.

The Chinese written language consists of 100,000 characters.

A locomotive drinks forty-five gallons of water every mile it travels.

Out of every 100 inhabitants of the United States 16 live in cities.

Bracelets were given as a reward of bravery to soldiers in the Middle Ages.

The Gauls love to decorate their helmets, swords and buckles with coral.

A crown of red-hot iron was an ancient punishment for rebels and regicides.

The Emperor Augustus in his letter writing dated even the division of the hours.

Coleridge and Goldsmith wrote "The House that Jack Built" and "Goody-two-shoes."

London was first governed by port-reeves, changed into bailiffs by Richard I., and into mayors by John.

In the early days of printing books the paper was only printed on one side and the blank sides pasted together.

The Druids used to teach that the fertility of the fields depended upon the riches they themselves possess.

By the Saxon laws twelve years of age was fixed as the earliest possible development of the legal understanding.

Stanzas were first introduced from the Italian into French poetry about 1580—thence transferred into the English.

In 1584 "cages and stocks." for the punishment of offenders, were ordered to be set up in every ward in the city of London.

Hippocrates, born at Cos, 460 B. C., was the first person to apply himself to the study of physic as the sole business of his life.

The smallest engine in the world has been finished in Baltimore. It can be covered by a thimble. Three drops of water fill the boiler.

The Greek word for horse-shoe first occurs in the ninth century. Horses were then only shod in time of frost or for special occasions.

It was Emperor Charles V. who invented the title of "your majesty," sovereigns having been previously addressed as "your grace."

Edward the Confessor was the first monarch of England who used a seal in his charters. This is the orgin of the broad seal of England.

Coats of arms and heraldry were introduced into England in 1100. The arms of England and France were first quartered by Edward III. in 1358.

The Roman soldiers carried, in their military baggage, chains for prisoners of war—iron for common, and of gold and silver for rich prisoners and princes.

The first silver money coined in Rome was A. U. C. 484. The mint was in the temple of Juno Moneta, which circumstance occasioned the origin of our word money.

A circulating library in the Middle Ages may seem surprising. In 1342 a law was framed in Paris compelling all public booksellers to keep books to lend out on hire.

On the Patent Roll of Henry IV. is a record which allows Matthew Flint, *tooth* drawer of London, sixpence a day for life upon condition of his drawing the teeth of the poor gratuitously.

Professor Huxley declares the supply of herring in the sea to be practically inexhaustible, and that nothing which man can do in the ordinary way of destruction will ever appreciably diminish the stock.

Among the early Romans a kind of *Fasti*, or annals, was kept by driving nails into the wall of the temple of Minerva; and in public calamities, in time of pestilence, etc., a nail was fastened in the temple of Jupiter.

Many a smoker wonders what the letters "T. D.," on a clay pipe mean, and some one has found out that they stand for Timothy Dexter. "My Lord Timothy," the eccentric Newburyport man who endowed a clay-pipe factory, wrote a book with a few pages of punctuation marks in the back, and insited on viewing a mock burial of himself, at which he whipped his wife because she did not weep enough.

HOW TO MAKE OYSTER PIE.—As the oyster season has again begun, receipts for cooking oysters in different styles are now in order. The following Baltimore recipe for oyster pie, although not generally known in the North, is said to be an excellent one and worth preserving.

To prepare oyster pie according to the best authorities a sufficient number of fat, medium-sized oysters must first be obtained. There is a division of opinion at this point upon the question whether the hard part of the oyster should be separated and thrown away, but the weight of authority seems to be in favor of so doing. The oysters are then taken and thoroughly drained in order to get them as dry as possible. They are then rolled in finely powdered cracker dust which has been sifted thro' a flour sieve. Very light puff-paste having been prepared, the dish—which should be an earthen one and rather deep—is lined with the paste on the sides, the cook being careful not to put any paste on the bottom. Into this the oysters are poured, and on the top of them, in pieces about the size of filberts, parsley butter, made by mixing very finely cut parsley with fresh butter and adding thereto a small pinch of mace, should be put. The whole thing is covered with the paste for the crust, rolled thin, and holes are cut to let out the steam. The amount of butter is one tablespoonful to a quart of oysters. The pie is then ready for baking, which should be done in a moderately quick oven and should not last over forty minutes. Eat of this pie either hot or cold, and bless the printer for telling you how to make it.

STRANGE, IF TRUE.—About thirty years ago, says a writer in the *Democratic Union*, the first crow crossed the Genesee river, westwardly, and the fox, the hen-hawk, swallow, and many other birds and insects seem to follow civilization. Within thirty-six years the locust borer made its first appearance in the United States, and as yet has not reached the south and west. It commenced its ravages on the east side of the Genesee river, in 1829, and its progress in the course it takes is from ten to fifteen miles a year. Rose bugs have been so common in some of the Eastern States that on the sea-shores they floated in windrows on the sands, having been driven into the sea by winds and drowned. The cedar or cherry birds were first noticed west of the Genesee river 1828, and they are now so great a pest as to induce many to give up the cultivation of cherries. Curculio, which is indigenous to America, was first discovered by Mr. Gaul, the first editor of the Genesee *Farmer* since which time it has disseminated itself over the whole country. The cut-worm appeared in 1816 and 1821, (noticed as the cold years, when the whole northern country approached the brink of famine,) and are now universal. The Hessian fly was introduced, it is supposed, by the foreign mercanaries in 1777, on Long Island, from their baggage or in the forage of their horses.

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This is what Professor Baird, the United States fish commissioner declares the carp to be. He applies this term to it, because it is singularly adapted to the wants of farmers, and capable of being raised in natural or artificial bodies of water, where most kinds of fish could not live. The trout and bass require not only very pure but cool water, and they must have an abundance of it. Most of the inferior varieties of fish require water that is at least, moderately clear, cool and abundant. The carp, however, delights in water that is warm, and is satisfied with a small amount of it. It prefers a pond where bottom and banks are constituted of mud, because that substance affords a place of protection during very cold weather, and for the additional reason that it produces a large amount of plants that it relishes for food. The carp will eat anything that pigs and fowls will. It will readily devour insects, small reptiles and meat of all kinds, and will also eat nearly all kinds of green vegetables, fruits and garbage.

It is fond of boiled roots, potatoes and cabbage, and all kinds of grain that has been cooked. The growth of the carp may be forced, by affording an abundance of flesh-forming food. It can be fattened like the pig or turkey. The growth of the specimens imported from Germany, only three years ago, has been almost marvelous. Some of them that were brought over when they were no larger than minnows, now weigh eight or nine pounds. In the opinion of several that have experimented with them, it is as profitable to feed grain to carp as to pigs and steers. There are, however, many articles of which the carp is very fond, and which add greatly to its growth, that can be produced much cheaper than grain. Cress, lettuce, parsley, celery, tender clover and grass, brewery grains and the refuse of glucose factories are all well adapted to feeding to the carp. The young fish are especially fond of sweet curd and chopped liver.

No inhabitant of the water, with the exception of the goldfish, is as thoroughly domesticated as the carp. The variety introduced into this country is known as the German carp, but it is probably of Asiatic origin and has been domesticated in China for thousands of years. It was raised in Italy, in the days of Cicero, and was probably carried by the Romans to the various parts of Europe where they colonized. It can be transported easier, and will live longer out of water than any other sort of fish that is covered with scales. On this account it is very valuable for stocking ponds at considerable distance from railroads and other means of public communication. Carp ordinarily spawn in May or June; they are very prolific, a large fish often yielding 400,000 eggs. The eggs adhere in masses to sticks and the stalks of water plants. They hatch in a few days and the young fish grow very rapidly if they are not disturbed. The circumstance that no hatching house is required for propagating them is strongly in their favor.

The flesh of the carp is hardly fit to eat during the summer, partly because it is the season for spawning. They are not favorites with anglers, as they do not take a bait after the manner of the pike, black bass and other game fish. They are easily taken from the water by means of a dip net, or they may be driven into a portion of the pond from which the water can be drained off. The flesh of the carp does not rank among delicacies like that of the salmon, trout, shad and mackerel. It takes its place among the substantial articles of diet that are within reach of persons of small means. It is likely that the carp will be raised in this country with a view to profit, rather than for affording pleasure. Farmers will keep carp as they raise beef and pork—for the purpose of supplying their tables and the market. In many places in South Germany there are carp ponds which are the common property of a village, and the taking of fish is regulated by customs or rules adopted by the citizens.—*Chicago Times.*

A Means of Preventing Droughts.

For a people much given to invention and swift in the application of practical results to special aims, the Americans display an incredible supineness before the accidents of the climate. For eight weeks or more the Eastern belt of country, and indeed, for that matter, large regions of the West, have been parched with drought. Crops have been parched as they stood. The first effects of this untimely disaster have been felt in the large cities in the increased price of all articles of consumption. Butter is poor and dear, and milk is almost a luxury. How extended the damage done the markets show, but the surprising aspect of such an occurrence is the needlessness of it. Take Pennsylvania, for example. There is not a spot of her superb domain which cannot be protected from the severest drought. Rivers traverse the State literally on a score of lines. The Susquehanna alone, if properly managed, would irrigate every mile of the heart of the State, to say nothing of the inexhaustible water-shed from the Blue Ridge Mountains. If the farmers of the State cannot see their way clearly to the private system of land watering in vogue in Italy, Holland, France, Germany and Austria, public enterprise might find use for a few millions of dollars in the construction of viaducts through the farming districts. It is not in the interest of the farmers alone that this project recommends itself to the thoughtful. Pennsylvania is rapidly becoming urban. We shall have Birminghams and Manchesters and Liverpools, with millions crowded together so closely that we shall have the same difficulty in feeding them that the English encounter to-day. This being inevitable, we should not only preserve every inch of fertility in our soil, but add to its fecundity by such means as earlier civilizations found sufficient to check the long, burning intervals of Italian and African summers.

To this day Italy is filled with imperishable memorials of the sagacious enterprise of the Romans, whose parched fields were moistened by waters brought from distant Alpine lakes and the Tyrolean rivers. It will be noted that droughts in this country not only increases the cost of living but that it leaves disease and malaria in its wake. The poison of imperfectly nourished grass, fruit and grain is instilled into the human frame, and plague supplements the misfortune of the season. Any price which should bring about a mitigation of such a disaster would seem a cheap one, and the farmer can not take up the subject too soon. Our inland rivers, the Delaware and the Susquehanna, would furnish a competent basis for a copious supply of the richest portions of the State, while the mountain streams could be made available for the valleys. The subject will be very apt to commend itself to the housekeeper whose provision bills are not alone the strongest remainder of the eight weeks' parching fields.

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