To make sausages for long keeping : For fifty pounds chopped pork, fat and lean combined, add one pound two ounces best salt, four ounces each black pepper and pulverized sage, two ounces saltpetre dissolved in a gill of boi ing water. Mix until thoroughly incorporated; then pack tightly into narrow cloth sacks and hang in a cold place. If not all consumed during cold wheather, it will keep sweet until late in the spring. As many persons do not like high seasoned food, and if made only for present use it is advised using only three onnces each of pepper and sage for the above amount of meat, the other proportions of seasoning being ASPECIFIC FOR MALARIA,

correct. In rendering lard for family use keep the lard from the intestines by itself, and use it during the winter. For long keeping cut the leaf into small sections and place it over a slow fire, stirring it often from the bottom lest it scorch on the kettle (use no water) and cook it slowly until the scraps become slightly crisp, when remove the kettle from the stove and let stand until cool enough to handle safely. Then strain directly into well cleansed stone jers kept for the purpose, and when cold cover and con- THE KASKINE CO., 54 Warren St., New York. vey them to the cellar. Lard rendered in this way will be pure and white, and keep perfectly sweet for an indefinite length of time.

For curing hams: To each 100 pounds of hams take 8 pounds best coarse salt, 2 ounces saltpetre, 2 pounds brown sugar and 4 gallons water. Slightly rub the hards with fine salt and pack firmly into the barrel. Mix the above after the nams have lain two days and pour over them; it will just cover them. Let the hams remain in the brines x weeks and they are then just right for smoking.

The above receipts are vouched for by a New York correspondent in Country Gentleman.

The Shot Tower in a Vision.

There was once a mechanic at Bristol. England, who had a queer dream. Watts was his name, and he was by trade a shotmaker. The making of the little leaden pellets was then a slow, laborious and consequently costly process. Watts bad to take great bars of lead and pound them out into sheets of a thickness about equal to the diameter of the shot he desired to make. Then he cut the sheets into little cubes, which he placed in a revolving barrel or box and rolled until the edges were off from constant friction and the little cubes became spheroids.

Watts had always racked his brain trying to devise a better scheme, but in vain. Finally, after an evening spent with some jolly compinions at the alehouse, he went home and turned into bed. He soon fell into a deep slumber, but the liquor evidently did not agree with him, for he had a bad dream. He thought he was out again with the "boys." They were all trying to find their way home when it began to rain shot. Beautiful globules of lead, polished and shining, fell in a torrent and compelled him and his bibulous companions to draw their heavy limbs to a place of shelter.

In the morning, when Watts arose, he remembered the dream. He thought about it all day, and wondered what shape molton lead would take in falling a distance through the air. At last, when he could rest no longer, he carried a ladleful of the hot metal up into the steeple of St. Mary of Redeliffe and dropped into the most below. Descending he took from the bottom of the shallow pool several handfuls of perfect shot, far superior to any he had ever seen. Watt's fortune was made, for he had conceived the idea of the shot tower, which has since been the only means employed in the manufacture of the little missle so much used in war and sport.

Does the Earth Revolve! How to Prove it.

It has puzzled the heads of a good many youngsters to know how the earth turns round. A German educational journal published in Frankfort, gives the following directions for proving that the earth "does move ?" ' Take a good-sized bow!, fill it nearly full of water, and place upon the floor of a room which is not exposed to shaking or jarring from the s reet. Sprinkle over the surface of the water a coating of lycopodium powder-a white substance, which is sometimes used for purposes of the toilet, and which can be obtained at almost any apothecary's, Then upon the surface of this coating make, with powdered charcoal, a straight black line, say an inch or two in length. Having made this little black mark with the charcoal powder on the surface of the contents of the bowl, lay down upon the floor, close to the bowl, a stick or some other straight object, so that it will be exactly parallel with the mark. If the line happens to be parallel with a crack in the floor or with any stationry object in the room, this will serve as well,

"Leave the bowl undisturbed for a few hours, and then observe the position of the black mark with reference to the object it was parallel with. I will be found to have moved about and to have moved from east to west; that is to say, in the opposite direction of the earth on its axis. The earth, in simply revolving, has carried the water and everything else in the bowl around with it, but the powder on the surface has been left behind a little. The tine will always be found to have moved from east to west, which is perfectly good proof that everything else has moved the other way."

IT is almost impossible-certainly is always difficult-to stop an evil course when once it is well under way. We should, therefore, be exceedingly careful to watch the tread of every habit to which we commit ourselves. Nothing in this world is little when we think of the possible outcome which may be wrapped up in it as in a seed.

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Facts About Musk.

Every one knows the odor of musk but every one does not know that it is the product of a secretion of the musk

This animal is regarded by certain natuaralists as a species of gozelle ; it is about the size of a roebuck, and of a gentle and timid nature. Its movements are quick, lively and graceful but it is especially distinguished by little sac situated near the navel, and containing the much-prized musk. which is secreted as a kind of clotted and fatty humor of a brown color, much resembling dried blood. It is only found in adult males.

Four kinds of musk are distinguished in commerce- that from China or Tonquin, which is considered the best that from Yunnan, that from Assam. and the Kabartine musk, from Russia and Sibera. It appears, notwithstanding the opinion of Cuvier, that many other species of this family are provided with a musk-pouch, which may explain the difference presented by the various samples met with in commerce.

The price of musk is from \$8 to \$20 an ounce in the natural pouches. The high price is a strong temptation to fraud; and the musk is often found mixed with lead, iron, copper, sand, dried blood, or even paper or rags, to increase the volume and weight. After the introduction of the foreign bodies, the pouches are closed up again in so ingenious a manner, that only the eye of an expert can discover the fraud.

The purest musk, and the most valued by the Chinese themselves, is that voided by the animal upon stones and trees, The odor of musk is perhaps the strongest of all known perfumes. Only a minute quantity is necessary to perfume a large quantity of other material. It is of an incalculable divisibility. If one opens a bottle containing this pertume, the whole surrounding air is saturated with its odor, which may be carried by the wind for long distances. Musk was well known to the ancients, and was highly prized by them as a medicine, as it still is among the Oriental nations, About 600 pounds are annually consumed in the United States, of which ninety-eight per cent. is used in perfumery, and the remainder in medicine.

The Action of the Heart.

As with each stroke the heart proects something like six ounces of blood into the conduits of the system, and as it does so some 70 times every inute and 4,200 time in an hour, this implies that it does the same thing 100,-800 times in 24 hours; 30 000 000 times in a year, and more than 2,500,000,000 times in a life of 70 years. The mechanical force that is exerted at each stroke amounts to a pressure of 13 pounds upon the entire charge of blood that has to be pressed onward through the branching network of vessels. According to the lowest estimate that has been made, this gives an exertion of force that would be adequate, in another form of application, to lift 120 tons one foot high every 24 hours. Yet the piece of fiving mechanism that is called upon to do this, and do it without a pause for three score years and ten, without being itself worn out by the effort, is a small bundle of flesh that rarely weighs more than eleven ounces. It is in the nature of the case, also, little vital machine can not be at any time stopped for repairs. If it gets out of order it must be set right as it runs. To stop the beating of the heart for more than the briefest interval, would be to change life into death. The narrative of what medical science has done to penetrate into the secrets of this delicate force-pump, so jealously guarded from the intrusion of the sye that it can not even be looked into until its action has ceased, is nevertheless a long history of wonders. By means of the spymograph-a writing style attached to the wrist by a system of levers and springs-the pulse is made to record actual autographs of cardiac and vascular derangement.

Wheat From Seed 5000 Years Old.

A most interesting experiment culminated in the raising of some wheat grown from seeds as old as the Exodus. The experimenter is David Drew, who last year received from a friend in Alexandria, Egypt, some grains of wheat taken from a mummy exhumed near the ruins of Memphis, and belonging, it is believed, to the period of the Ninth Dynasty, which would make it grown about 3,000 B. C., or be nearly five thousand years old. He planted the seed early in the Spring and carefully nursed it. It grew rapidly, and at the time of cutting measured from six and a half to seven feet high. The leaves alternate on the stalk like common wheat, but the product of the plant is the most singualar part of it. for instead of growing in an ear like modern corn, there is a heavy cluster of small twigs in place of the spindle which hangs downward from its weight, and each twig is thickly studded with kernals each of which is in a separate husk. From what is threshed a larger crop can be grown next year, as the result proves this grain to exceed in quality anything that the modern grain can.

Horse Maxims.

The stable door should be locked before the horse is stolen. When horses Trade for Ebensburg and Viare frightened is not the time to whip or beat them. The annoyance of flies is often harder on horses than the work | T they do. The value of a good horse is rarely realized until he is dead or parted with. Time spent in looking after the comfort of work horses is well invested. Horses which are compelled to do hard work are entitled to the best NOT DEAD YET! treatment possible. Never use harsh. sharp language when handling horses. It is useless to try to make a fast trotter out of a poorly bred horse. It never pays to work a slow, lazy horse beside a quick, spirited animal.

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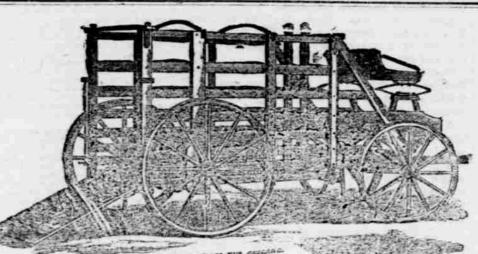


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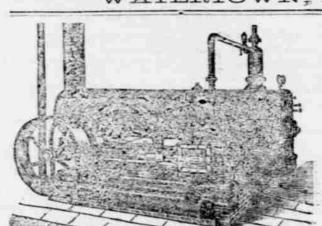
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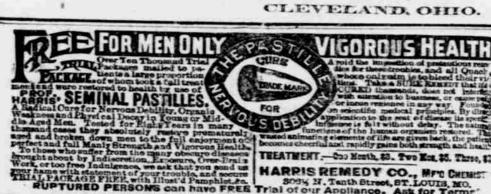
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What the Goose Bone Says.

The foreshadowing of the approaching winter, as is read from the dots and lines of the goose bone, is not a cheerful story. The promise given forth of sleet, snow and cold is a gloomy picture for the poor to look upon, and the many whose short purse will not permit them to lay in a bountiful supply of fuel will shiver at the thought of the kind of weather that the little bone foretells for the next four months. There will be more cold and wet weather than the people of this latitude have experienced for many a winter, and the cold spells will be longer and more severe than usual. The bone is dark at both ends, which indicates a long winter. Winter weather we vill have in November, and the ice and snow will be familiar sights far along into March. The goose from whose bone this study was taken was batched in April and killed after the ides of September. The bone is wonderfully marked, the dots and breves and lines mingle all along the keel, thus indicating very changeable weather, but the breves mostly turn down and are heavy, showing that the general character of the winter will be falling, cold weather. The danger period is longer for November than for any other month, running from the 10th to the end, with the most severe weather falling between the 20th and 26th, and at any time within this period blustering scows and unseasonsbly cold weather may be looked for. The first danger period in December

extends from the 1st to the 5tn, after which there will probably be a few days of sunshing weather. The heaviest storm period of the month centers in the Christmas holidays, beginning on the 18th and passing to the 27th. At the opening of the holidays there will be very foul and probably some of the coldest weather of the season, and these cold lines run along the bone until about the middle of January. Watch this period, but above all, prepare for it. It is more than probable that the earth will be covered with snow when Christmas dawns, and that a cold north wind will be blowing so that Christmas fires will have to be big and bright for comfort. December 24 and 25 will be the darkest storm days of the month. On the sone all the indications of wet, cold and stormy weather meet about this time. It is a curious clustering of bad signs, such as is seldom seen on the bone, and a mixture of weather may be looked for with wet and cold predominating. During this long spell of had weather some of the dots on the bone are very work, which means very cold, and the mercury will probably not be seen far away from zero during the holiday week.

The new year will come in cold and elsa: with the first danger period commencing on the 4th. There are three storm periods in this month, the second commencing about the 14th and the last about the 23d of the month. The dots that appear on the bone up to the middle of the month are heavyfrom about the 10th to the 15th especially so-and during this period very cold weather may be looked for, During December and January the mercury will frequently be below zero, probably remaining there for days, and the Susquehanna will probably freeze over.

For February short storm periods run all along the bone, and the general character of the month will be stormy and blustering, with some very cold days at the first of the month and again at the close. These severe spells and continued cold weather will keep the ice and the snow in the mountains, and the first spring month will be as hoary as old winter. As the bone ends very dark, it is very probable that March will be repetition of November. In that case the farmers will find it very difficult to break ground, and all kinds of regetation will be very late in getting a start. It will not be safe to put things in the ground too soon, as such a winter will be likely to be followed by killing frosts far into April. The writer remembers to have seen only one other bone to compare with the one this year, and that season there were frosts as late as May. Every indication, from the reading of the bone, points to a backward spring, and the gardners who have their richest barvest in early regetation will find their work risky and difficult.

Origin of the Eskime,

The Eskimos are called Innuits by some writers because the name is derived from a native, word signifying "man," and is supposed to be their own designation of themselves. In Alaska the Eskimos number altogether about 18,000, inhabiting most of the coast line, as well as the interior portions of the Arctic division. Where they came from is, of course, pure matter of conjecture, but one theory is, that they originated in the centre of the American continent, and that their settlement on the Alaskan coasts was coincident with the general migration which led a portion of the same race to Greenland. The theory of a common origin finds some support in the fact that the kaiak, or skin cance of the Alaskans, is identical in construction with that of the Greenlanders. This kaiak, which is a coverad: boat, is found only among pure Eskimos, and is lost wherever there has been intermixture with other races. This is, a curious fact, as it forms a distinct mark of identity.

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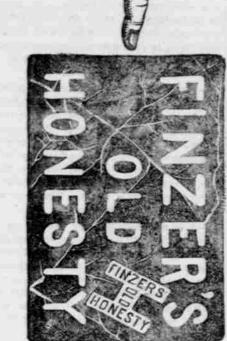
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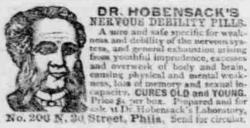
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Licking Cam.

mix with it to a slight extent,

I once had a cow, eight years of that was the worst kicking cow I stre saw, from her youth up. She had her coaxed and whipped, whipped and caned, but all to no purpose. I made my mind that the next time that ab kicked I would take up her hind) and hold it up while some one mike her. I only had to wait wotil the per morning soon came round, the cor kicked as usual, and the instants kicked I lifted up her hind leg, an spite of her, held it up until she gave to all effor, in trying to get control of he leg again, I colled a hand to nome and milk her, I holding up her leg all th time; I then let her have her leg again I kept her three years after that, at she was never known to kick. I have broken a number of cows of the habi of kicking, in the same way.

The instant your cow kicks lift up her leg, and hold it just as a blacksmill would a horse's hind leg to set a shor, If you let your cow go until you call the neighbors to help you, she will never get the idea that you hold up her leg because she kicked. The minute treatment is more effective than all the halters and tying legs ever invented to break a cow of kicking. - Cor. One

Darly Printing.

The art of printing on wooden blocks in China seems to be due to the accident of some one desiring a fac simile of an inscripition on a stone managent, in the first instance, by the process of rubbing with coloring matter over the paper, and subsequently by covering the stone with Indian ink, placing the paper against it rubbing. In 175 A. D. t. text of the Chinese classics was cuttablets, and of these impressions we taken, some of which are said to still in existence. Printing from we en blocks seems to be no older than b end of the sixth century. It was a until the tenth century, that printed books became common. The use movable type was said to date in Chis from the eleventh century. Mayalis copper type was used in Korea at the beginning, of the fifteenth century, and even earlier; indeed, one book soptiated appeared to date from the years

1317 and 1324. Of Use to the Housekeeper.

In the chill of fall an ounce of flannel s worth a pound of cough drops. Moong veal may be told by the bore in the eatlet. If it is very small the

veal is not good. Damp salt will remove the discoloration of cups and saucers caused by its and careless washing. The water in which codfish has been

baked is vary good for washing the one under the stove Kid shoes may be kept soft and free from cracks by rubbing them once & week with a little pure glycerine or cas-

Flat imas should be washed each week before heating them, as the stand sticks to them, and often leaves a brown mark on the linen.

After buttering the tin for a bolistpudding, dust it with pounded bread crumbs; baking pans can be treated with flour in the same way and in cake will never stick.

he the hogs to be slaughtered are fel within twelve hours of their killing. the food is wasted, and it will more deficult to remove the distended intestines and take from them lard. Nor is it well to allow the swint to drink on the morning of the day they are killed. Hogs cannot be killed too quickly. The more rapidly they are killed and the blood got of thest. the better. A weil directed blow on the bead, between and just in front of the ears, will make the animal unconseious ; but the chances for a mistrobs are so many, and as the stroke makes unfit for use considerable meat, this method of killing cannot be recometaed. The use of the gan is no better. The rife is the weapon to use a ball of a line from the base of the ear to the opposite eye produces instant death, and does not cause the waste of and

