

FARM NOTES.

YOUNG CHICKENS—Chickens should be fed at least four times a day until they are twelve weeks old, and for the next few weeks three times a day.

PRUNES.—Prunes prepared with gelatine are relished by invalids, and may be eaten for dessert with cream.

TO FATTEN A LEAN HORSE.—To render a lean horse quietly plump and pleasing to the eyes of the amateur, he is usually fed on half an allowance of hay, a few oats, and a large mash of boiled barley daily.

A NUMBER OF persons have tried to find money in plants, and failed. On the other hand, a Hungarian scientist tried to find plants in money and succeeded.

AN Eastern poultry keeper says that where a large field of tobacco is grown the turkey will do efficient work destroying the large green worms that so often do so much damage.

IN fruit-growing remember that fruit are like grain and vegetable crops in this, that they must have manure to keep up the fertility.

KEEPING BEES THE OLD WAY. A correspondent who has had experience in keeping bees says that the old way of allowing bees to cast swarms whenever they are inclined to do is better than the artificial system of dividing the colonies, as now so largely practiced among beekeepers.

HOLSTEIN cattle seem to be giving splendid satisfaction in all parts of the world, says an exchange. If a man desires to buy cattle for milk, butter, cheese and beef, Holsteins fill the bill, no matter where he lives, so he have feed for them.

HOUSEHOLD.

HE HAD READ THE PAPERS.—Farmer Wayback—I want to see yer boss. Office Boy—Have you a card, sir? Farmer Wayback—Now you go 'long ye pert little upstart, an' tell yer boss I want to see him. Ye can't come no three-card-monte game on me; I've read the papers an' I'm posted.

BRAIN FRITTERS.—After washing and ridding the brains of fibre and skin drop them into boiling water and cook gently for fifteen minutes, then throw into ice-cold water.

HORSE CAKES.—Many people have peculiar fancy for these plain cakes, eaten first in early childhood; hence we are glad to give a tried recipe for them, such as can be made at home to please the children, old and young.

PRESERVED GINGER PUDDINGS.—Take three eggs, three ounces of sugar three ounces of butter, three ounces of flour, one-half pint of cream, four ounces of preserved ginger, four small pinch of salt.

SHRIMPED EGGS.—Brush your pastry brush enough butter on the inside of the little china sauce-pan to cover it. Then break in one or two eggs, set the dish in the oven until the white sets, sprinkle with salt and pepper and serve on the dish.

THIS sweet dish is recommended: Boil some rice quite soft, and when it is dry mix it with a boiled custard of three eggs and a pint of milk flavored with vanilla; maraschine may be added.

ALMOND MACAROONS are made by taking half a pound of almonds (prepared as for almond cake, half a pound of sugar, the whites of two eggs, rubbed together with a spoon.

PEACHES AND TAPIOCA.—A nice dish for dessert is made by soaking half a pint of tapioca in cold water for two hours, then let it boil gently until it softens; slice canned peaches and put into a pudding-dish, and pour the tapioca over them; bake until the tapioca is perfectly tender; serve with sugar and cream.

MARYLAND BISCUIT.—To two pounds of flour add two ounces of lard well rubbed in, one tablespoonful of salt and one pint of cold water. Work the dough until in shape, lay it on a solid plate, like a meat block, and pound it with the back of an ax.

LYONNAISE POTATOES.—Put a pint of milk into a frying pan, add a piece of butter the size of a walnut, some salt and pepper; let it boil; take a heaping teaspoonful of corn flour, mix with a little cold milk in a frying pan, keep stirring all the time; have ready six or seven good sized Irish potatoes, peeled and cut into thin slices; put them into a pan with a little parsley and an onion chopped small; cover them with a plate and let them stew gradually for fifteen minutes; send to the table in a covered dish.

APPLE PUFFS.—Take a pint of flour to which (before sifting) you have a salt-spoonful of salt and a heaping teaspoonful of baking powder. Mix this with sufficient sweet milk to form a rather stiff batter.

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HUMOROUS.

THE RULING PASSION.—Miss De Fashion (given up by the doctors)—"Ma, who was that down stairs?"

"Sorrowing Ma"—"Don't ask, please don't ask. It was all a mistake."

"Now, see here, ma, I heard the doctors say there was no hope, and I know that man down stairs was the undertaker; I recognized his voice."

"It was all a mistake. He misunderstood some one, and thought he had been sent for."

"I want to see him right off. I want to tell him how to trim my coffin so it will be becoming."

"My child, the minister is down stairs, and wants to pray with you for the salvation of your soul."

"I'm very weak, ma, and maybe I can't see both. Send the undertaker up first."

BOSTON CULTURE.—The Art Museum on Sundays is one of the most crowded resorts in Boston. The attendance is as large on a fine Sunday as it is at many a theatre on a secular evening.

"Yes," rejoined Sarah, critically examining the cast, "it's broken, and," giving another look, "it is an old break."

"The Greeks were large people, weren't they?" said another, pausing before the heroic Pallas. "I always had the idea they were kind of short, like the French."

AN anxious mother rushed into a livery stable at a seaside resort. "Oh, Mr. Smith have you heard anything of my daughter? I allowed her to go driving this evening with Miss Johnson, and I am sure something has happened. It's quite dark, and they haven't come back." "Oh, they're all right, ma'am. They're all right." "I do believe something's happened. I shouldn't have allowed them to go out alone: Oh, dear! Oh, dear!" "Keep your mind easy, ma'am; they'll be all right. Hold on a minute—I'll tell you. Johnson, has that team Mr. Wilkins and Mr. Jones hired come back yet?" "No, sir." "I thought not. They're all right, ma'am."

FOUR CROWS AT SEA.—Four crows alighted in the rigging of the Minnie Eaton, six miles at sea, and set their own feet to rest. Three were captured, but the other escaped. The captives were placed in a ballast basket in the ship's boat and duly supplied with food and water. When the ship reached Oxordness, 150 miles distant from the spot where the birds came aboard, the crow that made its escape made its appearance, coming from the land and alighting in the rigging. After resting awhile it flew to the basket and perched near it. The basket was opened, but the crows refused to leave, and stuck to the ship until its arrival at Dartmouth.

WHAT AILED THE YOUNG MAN.—"Have you never felt that vague yet wonderful feeling, Mr. Grimshaw," said the Boston girl ecstatically, "that you are passing through some thrilling experience that you have gone through before, long ago, with precisely similar surroundings and environments and that you anticipate every stage of it before it quite comes to pass?" "Dozens of times," replied the Milwaukee young man, "there is nothing in this world that will give a fellow such a high old nightmare as a supper of pig's feet and oider."

"Making good resolutions and then breaking them ruin a man's character," said Bjensks, philosophically, "and I'm not going to ruin my character in that way any more." "Oh, my dear," said Mrs. Bjensks, "I'm so glad to hear you say that. You won't break your good resolutions after this, will you, dear?" "No, my darling," said Bjensks, heroically, "I won't. After this I'm not going to make any."

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WHY HE SMOKED.—"You smoke a great deal, Gus," said a friend to Gus De Smith. "Yes," replied Gus, "particularly after dinner. I have got so in the habit of smoking after dinner that the dinner doesn't taste right when I eat it unless I have a smoke afterwards."

REMEMBER THE SABBATH DAY.—Husband—"Wife, hand me out my Sunday coat." Wife—"But, my dear, this is not Sunday; it is only Saturday." "I know it's only Saturday, but I'm going to attend a fashionable dinner, and it will be Sunday before I get back."

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