

FARM NOTES.

PROFIT IN POULTRY.—Farmers everywhere must turn their attention to a variety of crops, and in comes Poultry as one of the little things that help immensely if managed correctly.

It is best if possible to keep some distinct breeds. The best of keeping is no more, and the profits are larger when choice fowl take the place of ruff ruff stock.

MILK FEVER.—That excellent veterinary authority, Prof. Law, of Cornell University, avers that milk fever is not caused by inflammation of the womb, but is due to a peculiar condition of the blood, which appears to be too concentrated or rich.

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HOUSEHOLD.

Sprinkle places infested by ants with borax and you will soon be rid of them. Blankets and furs put away well sprinkled with borax and done up air tight will never be troubled with moths.

A little borax put in the water before washing red, or red bordered tablecloths and napkins, will prevent their fading. Ringworms will yield to borax treatment.

ONE of the best methods of cleaning hair brushes is to put a full teaspoonful of household ammonia into a basin of warm water. Dip the bristles in and rub briskly with the hand, or, better still with another brush.

To leave the soup kettle uncovered while the soup is boiling is to sacrifice much of its most delicate flavor and aroma and to lose that peculiar nutritive and digestible property present in dishes cooked with all their steam tightly closed in upon them.

ALWAYS wash baby's mouth and gums every morning with water in which you have put a pinch of borax. It keeps the mouth fresh and sweet, and prevents that uncomfortable affliction, a sore mouth, with which so many poor babies are troubled when their mouths are not kept perfectly clean.

CHOCOLATE PIE.—Chocolate pie may be made with the yolks of two eggs, three tablespoonfuls of corn starch, four tablespoonfuls of chocolate, six tablespoonfuls of sugar. Mix all together and stir into a pint of boiling water.

MACARONI.—Make a good gravy with a small piece of beef cooked with some vegetables, herbs and a slice of ham; strain and add a little tomato sauce. Cook some macaroni in salted boiling water until tender; drain; put it in a baking dish with layers of Parmesan cheese and the gravy. Sprinkle cheese and a little butter over the top; bake, and serve at once.

Paper mache for filling cracks in floors can be prepared by heating to a paste cuttings of white or brown paper boiled in water and then mixing the paste with a solution of gum arabic. Make the solution hot in which you mix the paper paste and apply directly, thus making it adhere more firmly.

DIPPING fish in scalding water will cause the scales to come off very easily, but if the fish are to be salted down they must on no account be scalded. You may pour over them vinegar with the same result. Salt fish will soak fresh much quicker in sour milk than in water.

In oyster stew or anything where one wishes to use the liquor, let it come to a boil so as to take off the skum. Never boil oysters, as it toughens them, simply let them come to a boiling point. It should simply boil around the edges.

To clean lace baste your lace nicely on a piece of muslin. Rub it freely with cold starch until it forms a paste on it. Put it in the sun to dry and when thoroughly dry rub off. Your lace will then be clean and need no ironing.

The German spatchel work is a strong embroidery in linen which, being cut out, leaves a handsome, durable, open work embroidery. This embroidery is a favorite ornamentation this season and appears on bed spreads, and pillow shams as well.

CURRIED OYSTERS.—For curried oysters, drain the liquor from one quart of oysters into a saucpan, and add half a cupful of butter, two tablespoonfuls of flour and one of curry powder. Mix well and let it come to a boil; then add the oysters and a pinch of salt. Let it boil and serve at once.

BEATEN DISCUT.—Two pints of flour, one teaspoonful of salt, one tablespoonful of lard; mix into a stiff dough, with equal parts of water and milk; beat thirty minutes with a wooden spoon; take in a quick oven.

APPLE MERINGUE.—Add three beaten eggs to a quart of apple sauce; pour into a pudding dish and bake; when well crusted over cover with meringue made with the whites of the eggs and powdered sugar.

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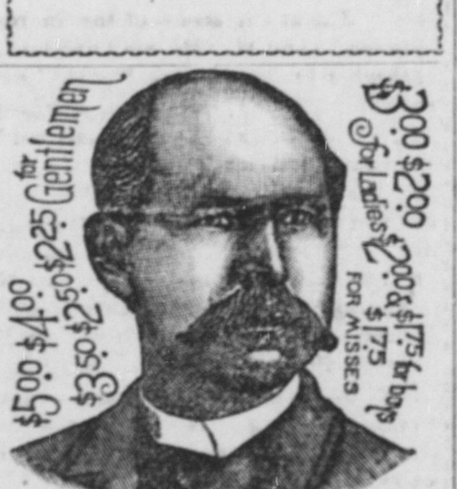
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