DON'T SELL YOUR BEST STOCK.

Don't allow the speculators and drovers to pick out the likeliest and best of your stock, leaving you only the ordinary and poorest to breed from. It is the worst policy you can adopt. By continuing such a course, it will be but a short time before you will have only ordinary and poor to select from. Supposing you can get a little more for this likely lamb than for the others, you will do well to remember that it cost no more to keep them than it does poor ones; and next shearing time the fleeces will tell the story in favor of keeping the best you have.

If you intend to make a practice of raising a colt every year, keep the best mare you can afford. Haven't you noticed that when a man comes to purchase a young horse he is always particular to ask about the stock, &c., before he concludes his trade? Keep the best, then, for

Dou't sell your best cow because you can get five dollars more for her. Keep her, and she will more than make up the difference ere another year comes around. Select the best seed for your own use, and you will always have as good as any one, and be sure of the highest price for any you may wish to dispose of. Think of

REMEDY FOR BURNS.

I have so often seen remedies for human ills given in the newspapers, and then at once consigned to oblivion, that I have for a great while hesitated to present this to the public. For fourteen years I have prescribed it and witnessed its healing effects. I deliberately say, from fourteen years' experience, that no disease or injury to the human system has a more certain remedy than this for the most distressing of all injuries, that of scalds or burns. The relief is almost instantaneous; from a minute or two to half an hour will usually find a full relief from pain, no matter what is the extent of the burn, even if all the skin is removed from the body. The first knowledge I had of it was the almost miraculous cure of a little boy, who fell into a half hogshead of boiling water, prepared for scalding the bristles from swine. The entire person and the limbs of the boy passed under the scalding water and up to the chin, so as to scald his whole neck. On removing his clothes nearly all his skin followed from his extremities. In this deplorable condition, literally flayed alive with scalding water, the remedy was promptly applied as a momentary application until the physicians should arrive. Two eminent physicians soon came, and on learning the extent of the seald, pronounced it a certainly fatal case, and directed the boy to remain with the remedy over him until he should die. In six weeks he was restored quite well, with scarcely a scar on any part of his person or limbs. The remedy increases in value from the fact that under al most all circumstances it may be obtained .-It is as follows : - Take soot from a chimney where wood is burned, rub it fine, and mix one part soot to three parts, or nearly so, of hog's lard, fresh butter, or any kind of fresh grease that is not salted; spread this on linen or muslin, or any cotton cloth for easier and more perfect adaptation. In very extensive burns or scalds, the cloth should be torn into strips before putting it on. Let the remedy be freely and fully applied, so as to perfectly cover all the burned parts. No other application is required until the patient is well, except to apply fresh applications of the soot and lard, &c.

In steamboat explosions, this remedy can in nearly all cases be at once applied, and if done, many valuable lives will be saved and a vast amount of suffering alleviated.

TO RAISE GIANT ASPARAGUS.

The writer in one of the early volumes of the Herticulturist, (Mr. Downing, we believe,) tells how to grow common asparagus so that it will always rival any giant production. He Every one who has seen my beds has beg-

ged me for seed-thinking it a new sort-but I have pointed to the manure heap, (the farmer's best bank,) and told them that the secret all laid there." The sight was only what might be in every garden.

About the first of November-as soon as the frost has well blackened the asparagus tops-I take a scythe and mow all close so the surface of the bed; let it lie a day or two, then set fire to the heap of stocks and burn it to ashes over the surface of the bed.

I then go to my barn yard. I take a load of clean fresh stable manure, and add thereto half a bushel of hen dung, turning over and mixing the whole together throughout. This makes a pretty powerful compost. I apply one such load to every twenty feet in length of my beds, which are six feet wide.

With a strong three-pronged spud or fork, I dig this dressing under. The whole is now left for winter.

In the spring, as early as possible, I turn the tops of the beds over lightly once more. Now, as the asparagus grows naturally on the side of the ocean and loves salt water, I give it an annual supply of its favorite condiment. I cover the surface of the bed about a quarter of an inch thick with fine packing salt; it is not too much. As the spring rains come on it gradually dissolves. Everything else, pigweed, purslane, &c., all refuse to grow en the weed, purslane, &c., all refuse to grow en the to any one rendering such information as may lead to the detection of any party or parties counterfeiting the your eyes good to see the strong, stout, tender rious.

stalks of the vegetable itself pushing through the surface early in the season. I do not at all stretch the point, when I say that they are as large around as my hoe handle, and as tender and succulent as any I ever tasted .-The same round of treatment is given to my bed every year.

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HE undersigned, trading under the name and firm of McCOY & ELLIS, respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have just returned from Philadelphia, and opened in the house formerly occupied by J. & J. Milliken, on Market street, and directly op-posite Geo. Blymyer's store, a neat assortment of

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BOOTS AND SHOES uitable for the season. The market price in CASH will always be given for COUNTRY PRODUCE, and liberal advances made on Flour and Grain on store.

Plaster, Salt, Fishand Stone Coal

always on hand. A quantity of SALT, suitable for Cattle, now on hand. F McCOY, R. F. ELLIS.

Lewistown, Nov. 13, 1856.

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Iron Fence, Hollow Ware, Water Pipes, &c. and will make to order all kinds of CAST-INGS. All orders sent to us will be filled with care and despatch, and on as reasonable terms as at any other establishment in the State. We hope, friends, you will call and examine our stock before buying anywhere else. You will

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Every Kind of Humor

from the worst Scrofula down to a common Pimple. HE has tried it in over 1100 cases, and never failed except in two cases, (both thunder humor.) He has now in his possession over two hundred certificates of its virtue, all within twenty miles of Boston. Two bottles are warranted to cure a nursing Sore

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Reader, I peddled over a thousand bottles of this in the whemity of Boston. I know the effect of it in every case. So sure as water will extinguish fire, so sure will this cure humor. I never sold a bottle of it but that sold an other; after a trial it always speaks for itself. There are two things about this herb that appears to me surprising; first that it grows in our pastures, in some places quite plentiful, and yet its value has never been known until I discovered it in 1816—second, that it should

use all kinds of humor.

In order to give some idea of the sudden rise and great popularity of the discovery, I will state that in April, 1853, I peddled it and sold about six bottles per day—in April, 1854, I sold over one thousand bottles per day of it. Some of the wholesale Druggists who have been in business twenty and thirty years, say that nothing in the annals of patent medicines was ever like it. There is a universal praise of it from all quarters

In my own practice I always kept it strictly for humors -but since its introduction as a general family medicine great and wonderful virtues have been found in it that !

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get and plenty of it. DIRECTIONS FOR USE .- Adults one table spoonful per day—Children over 10 years, dessert spoonful—Children from 5 to 8 years, tea-spoonful. As no directions can be applicable to all constitutions, take sufficient to operate on the bowels twice a day.

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Price \$140, delivered in Lewistown. All communications directed to F. G. Franciscus, Agent, Lewistown, Mifflin county, Pa. will meet prompt attention. To persons nearer home, I respectfully refer then to R. A. Means, J. D. Nageny, O. P. Smith, R. McManigal, and Jas. Parker, all of whom having used this machine last season, consider it unsurpassed by any combined Mower and Reaper now in use.

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Many of the Thousand Portals of Death may be closed, and life made happier and more comfor-table to thousands who are now in danger. Doubtless this world contains many a balm to sooth its physical woes and cure its Diseases. Among those in prominent rank stands

BOWMAN'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND,

A SAFE and speedy cure for Country of those milder forms of Throat and Lung Diseases, such as Colds, Coughs, Quinsey, Difficulty of Breathing, Bronchitis, Ministers' Sore Throat, Weakness of the Chest, Asthma, Inward Ulcer, Spitting of Blood, Influency, Croun, Whening Cough, Pain in the Broad Side za, Croup, Whooping Cough, Pain in the Breast and Side, Hoarseness, Catarrh and Catarrhal Affections, Infammation of the Lungs, Bleeding of the Lungs, &c. But its superior excellence is seen and tested in the more ad vanced affections of the Lungs. For the truth of the above statement and the efficiency of the preparation as an antidote, we refer the public to the following testimo nials. Language is scarcely strong enough to tell the great power of this wonderful discovery! The doubting may try and be convinced. The proprietors point to the following bona fide certificates with confidence in their influence on the community; they are but samples of the many hundreds of testimonials in our possession: Allegheny, July 19, 1856

Mr. H. M. Bowman-Dear Sir:-I feel it my duty to let you know what your compound has done for my daugh-er, and wish you to publish it if you can in hope that me suffering one may be induced by it to try your val able medicine and be cured. My daughter was married in 1853, and went to Cincinnati to live, where her hus band (James Hoyt,) was engaged in business. In six months after her husband died, and I sent for her to come home, where in four months she was confined and caught cold which settled on her langs. It seemed as though we could get nothing to help her. We tried six different physicians for over one year and then sent to New York o a celebrated physician there, and she took medicin from him for eight months; but he could not cure her .-Her cough was fixed and stubborn and seemed as though it would tear her breast during the paroxysm of cough, and her breathing was at times very difficult. Failing t get relief from physicians, we thought we would try Ay-er's Cherry Pectoral, and she took it regular for seven weeks, but it did her no permanent good. We then tried sellers' Imperial Cough Syrup, but with all she still be came worse, and it seemed as though she was beyond cure, when one day my wife was in at one of our neighbor's houses (Mr. Mayness') and she saw them give you Vegetable Compound to one of their children for a cough and she got three or four doses to bring home and try it. After my daughter had taken it she breathed a little cas-ier, and we sent and got a bottle of it, and when it was taken there was a marked change for the better. I there got six bottles, the most of which she took as directed until finally cured-it is three months since, and she has not had a symptom of the old complaint, and is getting as lusty as she ever was. We all unite in our prayers to God that you may be prospered and that your Vegetable Compound may be the means of restoring health to many, as it has to one who is dear to us; we cheerfully recom-mend it to the public as the best medicine for Lung Diseases that we ever got hold of. Try it suffering one and Believe me, my dear sir, to ever remain

Your earnest friend, THOS. H. BANKS.

Philadelphia, Aug. 13, 1856. Last spring, while in Pittsburgh, I had a bad cold and ough which troubled me much, and a friend of mine gave ne a bottle of Bowman's Vegetable Compound for diseases of the throat and lungs, which I commenced taking and found relief almost immediately. I had taken many things for cough and hoarseness but never got anything to help me as it has done. I believe it to be the best anti dote for coughs and hourseness that is out, and cheerfully T. H. STANTON, recommend it to the public. T. H. STANTON,
Pastor of the 1st Prot. Meth. Church, Philadelphia.

From Judge Vanhorn, of the District Court at Cincin

Cincinnati, May 4, 1856. I have used Bowman's Vegetable Compound for bron-chitis and cough, and believe it to be the hest medicine out for those diseases, and the only one I ever got to give me any permanent relief. It will cure. I recommend it to the public as an honest and efficient medicine and will perform what it is published to do. WM. VANHORN, Esq.

TO THE PUBLIC. I have used Bowman's Vegetable Compound in my family for coughs, colds, and ministers' sore throat and believe it to be the best thing that I ever got for thos complaints, and cheerfully recommend it to the paulic.

Rev. JACOB GASTON,

Pastor of the Clinton street M. E. Church, Cincinnati. Here is one from the old pioneer Methodist preacher of

Dhio, Rev. J. B. Finley:

1 believe Bowman's Vegetable Compound to be the best emedy for diseased throat and lungs, of the day. I have tested it, and found it to be the best of all the popular remedies I ever tried, and I have tried very many. I re-commend it to the public-try it and you will be convinced of its superiority. Rev. J. B. FINLEY. Cincinnati, July 12, 1856.

Hear what the celebrated Dr. Peck says:

I have used Bowman's Vegetable Compound for coughs nd hoarseness in speaking; and believe it to be the best preparation for throat and lung complaints I ever got; and mend it to the public speaker and singer as well those afflicted with lung diseases. J. T. PECK New York, May 12, 1856. Hear what Dr. Benson, of Cincinnati, says-(extract

Bowman's Vegetable Compound contains a virtue that

is not possessed by any other popular medicine in my knowledge. It does not only smooth the disease over, giving it only temporary relief (I ke most of patent medcines), but it commences at the root of the disease and performs a perfect cure. G. W. BENSON, M. D. Our space will not permit us to publish any certificates

in full, but we would refer to the fe n full, but we would refer to the following persons whose etters are in our possession, certifying to its worth: Rev. Bishop Morris, Rev. Robert Walker, Cincinnati, Economy, Portsmouth, Butler,

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With what feelings of rejoicing I write can only
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menced a healthy grown; and already a new person.

"Hoping this statement may be the means of cokers information that shall do good to others, I am, with earlier sentiment of gratitude,

Yours, &c.,

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given them to my children for worms, with the best
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"You seem to us, Doctor, like a providential bless; to our family, and you may well suppose we are not used in the suppose we are not used to our family, and yours respectfully,

LEAVITT THAXTER."

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