

The Bloomfield Times.

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FARM AND HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

We invite communications from all persons who are interested in matters properly belonging to this department.

Hints to Housewives.

Perhaps some of our house-keeping readers do not know of certain economical expedients in domestic management, that have somehow crept into our practice.

Clothes pins boiled a few moments and quickly dried, once or twice a month, become more flexible and durable.

We have discovered a first-rate homemade cement for filling up cracks in an old stove or range.

Food for Fattening Horses.

Many good horses devour large quantities of grain and hay, and still continue thin and poor; the food eaten is not properly assimilated.

Feed two or three quarts of the mixture two or three times daily, mingled with a peck of cut hay or straw.

A Cheap Ice-House.

Throw a dozen or two of rails or poles on a piece of ground sufficiently inclined to carry off water; fill the crevices between the poles with sawdust; cover with old boards, slabs or barks; get from the saw-mill a few loads of slabs; take four, say twelve feet long, notch the corners like a log-house, set them on the platform and you have a crib about ten and a half feet square by the slab deep; fill the crib with sawdust and pack it down hard.

Weevils and Other Barn Insects.

A writer gives the following method for destroying weevils and other barn insects, which he has thoroughly tested by experience, and has the merit of being cheap and convenient:

"It is simply to sweep and clean out the granary, and then wash it all over on the inside with strong pickle of common salt. This drives out all sorts of insects and worms, penetrates the timbers of the barn, and kills the worms which are so apt to get in them and eat them—and preserves the timber in a wonderful manner.

To Extract Ink from Floors.

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