
$\frac{\text { Tuestay, Marel } 12,187 s .}{\text { FARM AND HOUSBHOLD ITEMS }}$

> $A$ Miscoun of Horses Hoofs. Tha Et. Louns globo says: The Farrier
department at the Arsenal, , chargo of
Johu Kieman, the Chiee Farrier of the U. U . States Army. is a plase of great inportance
to all interosted in inorefleses, and yet fow of the citizens know of the great importanco of the sights to be seen there. The
first thing that attracts the antention is a akeleton of harse, with cach pit
bercd, for reference to an index. Placed on stelves around the room are
about 400 specimens of horse anntomy, about 400 specimens of horss anatomy,
mostly of logs below tho knee, and of the
hoof and of the malfornation hoof, and of the malformations produced
by improperly stioeing horres. The effects of tight ehlocoing, of pressare against tho
cotinin bone, of squeezing the frog, and of cotlin bone, of squeczing thio frog atd oo
chanolivg tho hoof, are plainly slown. contaning a atroe-seated comin bone, or from one of President Graths horses There are fifty spe
tions by aboeing.
> In another part of the room the wall is
covered with several hundred horse.eho clasesifed and and arranged with regard to to time
nod country. The phes country. The collection has in it samlieve that the Americans are alhoad of all This shoe and anatomical collection is is the work of Mr. Kiernan's industry and lection is used as a selool of instruction to shoe the horses used in the regular arryy horse's hoof, foot and legs. The Dunbar theory and the Klernan practice, which
was introduced in the army in 1868, is taught. face of the hoof smooth and level, witbout shoe is placed upon the hoof so as to sus-
tain an equal pressure on every part, and the beels of the shoe run straight along the sides of the hoof, and turn from the frog so
as not to press it or bruiso the coffin-bonc. The shape of the shoe is that of a perfect horsemen employ Mr. Kiernan to superintend tho shoeing of their horses.

FIRE.
from broken kerocene lamps, and clothes taking fire from gas lights and open fire-
places, that the following, which we clip from an exchange, deserves attention.-
Perlaps threo persons out of four would rush right ap to the burning individual, and begin to paw with their hands without
any aim. It is useless to tell the victim to do this or that, or call for water. In fact it is generally best not to say a word, but
sieze a blanket from a bed, or a cloak, or any woollen fabrio-if none is athand, take
any woollen material-hold the corners as far apart as you can, stretch them higher than your head, and running boldly to the person, make a motion of olasping in the arms, just about the shoulders. This in The next instant throw the aves the face. person on the floor. This is an additional safety to the face and breath, and any rem. The next moment immerse the burnt part and put it on the burn about an finch in thickuess, and if possible pat the patient to bed. Let the flour remain until it full of
thelf, whien a beautiful new slin will b be taelf, when a beautiful new skin will be
found. Unless the buras are deep, no other application is needed. Dry flour for buros is the mout desirable ramedy ever proposed, and the information ought to bo imparted
to all. Dredge on the flour till no more to ill. Dredge on the flour till no mor
will stick and cover with cotton batting. Dry Food for Horses, The Spirit of the Timea snys: "We
never have believed and never Ahall bolieve that ebopped hay and corn meal, naturated ing boree as a goneral diet. We tirmiy beliove that the food of a working horse which cannot be pastured should be good
ground oats and sweet hay for at least five days a weok. Look at the South, where the common run of horses are fed on corn. Wiy, the result is big head, a torrible
and almost ineurable complaint. We ale way of feeding corm to a the very worst was practiced. And the chopped, wet hay from the mow. We like to hear the horse grincing up hisis good uimothy hay like a niee manh ance ins finished his oats. A very different thing from almoot constant tr True comfort can only be obtalined ployed.
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