

The Bloomfield Times.

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FARM AND HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

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

Remedy for Corns.

When a young man, says a correspondent of the Country Gentleman, I used to be very much annoyed by those painful excrescences called "corns," on the toes and feet, until I was told of a very simple but effectual remedy for them by some person. It was to bathe the feet in tepid water, to soften them; then pare them off very closely with a sharp knife; then rub on well green peach-tree leaves; when, after continuing the rubbing once or twice a day, the corns will entirely disappear, and not return, without the cause which first occasioned them. I have often tried the remedy, and never yet found it to fail. It seems to be the prussic acid in the peach-tree leaves that takes them away.

A good corn salve could no doubt be made for winter use, by bruising the peach-leaves when green; then boil them in water until the strength is extracted; then take out the leaves, strain the water off the sediment, and add a sufficient quantity of resin, beeswax, tallow, and lard oil to make it soft enough, and simmer down, without burning, until the water is evaporated. Soften and pare the corn, as before directed spread it on a small piece of cambric or linen, and apply, putting on the sock or stocking carefully, so as not to rub it off. Keep applying until the corn disappears.

Keeping Eggs Fresh.

The most convenient and satisfactory way to keep eggs fresh is to punch numerous holes in a tin pail; fill it with fresh eggs; lower the pail into a kettle of melted tallow, as hot as can be without burning one's fingers when thrust into it; then lift the pail out quickly, and the melted tallow will flow out, leaving a thin coating on every egg. Remove the eggs as soon as possible from the pail, and pack them on eggs in a keg or barrel, place in a cool cellar until wanted for use. Eggs have been kept thus more than six months—so fresh that expert judges supposed they were fresh. The eggs being so much colder than the melted tallow, a thin covering of cold tallow will be formed almost instantly, which will render the shell impervious to the air.

Artificial Milk.

M. Dubrunfant, during the seige of Paris, devised an artificial milk, made by dissolving one ounce and a half of sugar in a quart of water, adding an ounce of dry albumen (from white of eggs) and fifteen to thirty grains of soda crystals, and then making an emulsion with it by means of from one ounce and a half to two ounces of olive oil. Ultimately, as the war went on, gelatine was substituted for albumen, and slaughter-house fats, purified by melting at one hundred and fifty degrees, for the olive oil. One firm made by the latter process one hundred and thirty-two thousand gallons of artificial milk daily for Paris consumption.

In a communication received from our correspondent "H." of Bucks county, Pa., he says:—"In conversation the other day with an old, respectable farmer, the subject of garlic came under discussion. We both concluded it was a pest in the wheat or pasture fields; deteriorating the quality of milk, butter and bread. I remarked that it was a difficult plant to eradicate. My friend said that he never had any difficulty in exterminating it. He always gets rid of it by planting the garlic field with oats two seasons in succession. This method he had not only practiced himself, but had known it to be tried by others with uniform success. Experience is a good teacher."

If people planting orchards would give orders to mark the North side of trees with red chalk before they are taken up, and when set out to have the trees put in the ground with their North side to the North in their natural position, a larger proportion would live. Ignoring this law of nature is the cause of so many transplanted trees dying. If the North side is exposed to the South, the heat of the sun is too great for that side of the tree to bear, and therefore it dries up and decays.

A Grindstone should not be exposed to the weather, as it not only injures the woodwork, but the sun's rays harden the stone so much as, in time, to render it useless. Neither should it stand in the water in which it runs, as the part remaining in water softens so much that it wears unequally, and this is a common cause of grindstones becoming "out of true."

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