

Agricultural.

THE WAY TO GET A GRINDSTONE IN ORDER.—Every grindstone should run as true as the periphery as the face of a millstone, or it will be impossible to grind any edge to a complete edge for wheeling.

Scientific.

ANCIENT EGYPTIAN MINES.—Some of the iron mines anciently worked by the Egyptians have recently been discovered by English explorers, and search is to be instituted for other ancient mines of silver, gold and iron.

Domestic.

SEND FOR MOTHER.—"Dear me! I was not enough for me to nurse and raise a family of my own, but now when I'm old and expect to have a little comfort here, it is all the time—Send for mother!"

Humorous.

"I have told the following to so many people," says the Table-Talker of Once a Week, "all of whom found it new."

What Sleep Will Cure.

WHAT SLEEP WILL CURE.—This cry for sleep has almost become a cry for mercy for food. Not that it is more important, but it is often harder to get.

Fish and Tea as Food.

FISH AND TEA AS FOOD.—The London Times sharply controverts the assertion made by Dr. Edward Smith to the British association, that fish is rather a reliable food and contains little nutriment than water.

The Edinburgh Daily Courier.

THE EDINBURGH DAILY COURIER records an amusing conversation which took place in the galleries of the Free Church Assembly one day last week.

How to Make Root Beer.

HOW TO MAKE ROOT BEER.—A good root-beer is a desirable thing in the hot days of summer, not only for slaking thirst but also because of its utility as a tonic.

Cabbage and Cauliflowers.

CABBAGE AND CAULIFLOWERS.—Cabbage seed for plants, for the late crop of Fall and Winter cabbage, should be sown on rich mellow ground before the middle of May in the Northern and Western States.

Solar Variations.

SOLAR VARIATIONS.—Secchi, the astronomer of Rome, has concluded, from an analysis of the solar spectrum, that there is a periodic variability in the size of the sun.

To Make Green Pickles.

TO MAKE GREEN PICKLES.—A correspondent replies to the question "how to make green pickles" as follows: "I use hard, green cucumber pickles."

Employer to New Clerk.

EMPLOYER TO NEW CLERK.—"Well, Smith, have you posted the ledger?" New Clerk: "Yuh, thir! I've posted the ledger, but, thir, it wath too long for the letter-box and I thir to take it in the post-office!"

Best Not Best.

BEST NOT BEST.—How often when the monstrous egg has been killed and opened the idea has presented itself, what sort of a *rara avis* would this egg have produced had it been left to undergo its natural course.

Balloon Ascensions.

BALLOON ASCENSIONS.—For the purpose of meteorological observations have lately been undertaken at Paris. The aeronaut Gustave Tissandier stated that on a recent occasion, after passing through several layers of cloud, bright sunshine was met with at a height of 6,500 feet.

Paris Green.

PARIS GREEN.—Paris green is a compound of arsenic and copper. It is either identical with the pigment known as Scheele's green in the arts, or is very similar to it.

Manufactory of Chlorate of Potash.

MANUFACTURE OF CHLORATE OF POTASH.—To manufacture chlorate of potash, a large scale, at about the following method: Milk of lime is made to trickle down over bricks, placed in a tower where it comes in contact with a continuous current of chlorine gas.

Dog's Mixture for Fowls.

DOG'S MIXTURE FOR FOWLS.—A gentleman of much experience in raising poultry and who is very successful with it, informs us that he attributes the freedom of his flocks from disease to the use of this mixture, which is highly recommended.

Prof. Boertger's Suggestions.

PROF. BOERTGER suggests a serviceable idea for travelers and others. White blotting paper is saturated with aniline blue, and several sheets are pasted together in a thin pad.

Diarrhoea Remedy.

DIARRHOEA REMEDY.—A tea made of the common field strawberry vine and root, steeped and drunk daily. It is harmless. Eat whatever digests well.

Man's Wife is Dead.

A MAN whose wife is dead is called a widower, because he is apt to be on the lookout for another.

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