

THE FARM AND GARDEN.

PROFITABLY UTILIZING BONES. Bones from the table can be most profitably utilized by feeding them to pigs and poultry.

CAKE OF COWS. The skin of a cow is as necessary for the proper purification of the blood as lungs are, and it discharges in offensive vapor a greater quantity of matter every day than the kidneys do.

YELLOW LEGGED CHICKENS. The American preference for yellow legs and skin, as indicating the quality of the birds for the table, is based on nothing more than a notion.

CULTURE OF BEANS. Beans need good soil and cultivation to yield large crops, twenty-five bushels per acre or more.

GROWING ONIONS. Onions, says an Ohio farmer, are a nice crop to cultivate, but they require clean cultivation to make the crop a successful one.

BLACK TEETH IN YOUNG PIGS. Many writers on diseases of the pig scout the idea that black teeth to be considered a disease.

SAVE THE ASHES. Ashes are a fertilizer of such general utility that even small quantities are worth saving.

SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL.

Krupp has just completed a gun for the Russian Government that has a range of eleven miles.

A Russian officer has invented a luminous projectile to be thrown from a gun. It is claimed that it will be extremely useful for discovering the movements of an enemy in a naval contest at night.

According to reliable estimates not more than one egg in 200 hatched naturally in the waters producing a fish capable of feeding itself, thus representing by far the greatest expectancy of destruction in the number of eggs laid by the female.

The natives of Haiti, according to Dr. R. P. Crandall, fear pulmonary consumption more than yellow fever or small-pox, and believe it to be both contagious and infectious.

A Tarantula's Nest. Mr. Earl, the fruit dealer, while picking bananas from a bunch in front of his fruit store yesterday morning, placed his hand upon something which at first sight he supposed to be a mouse, but a second look convinced him that he had found the dreaded and poisonous tarantula.

An Ex-Reporter's Millions. Rockefeller was once a newspaper reporter, and less than two decades ago was a business man of only moderate means in Cleveland, Ohio.

Steam-Heated Family Tombs. An innovation which will doubtless give rise to a considerable amount of discussion is that of heating mausoleums.

NEWS AND NOTES FOR WOMEN.

Blue is a very popular color. Millinery still glitters with gold. Ornamented jewelry is having high favor.

Black round hats are worn extensively with dresses of all colors. Butterflies and Brazilian bugs hover over many of the flowers.

William D. Howells predicts that the great American novelist will come from the West. He, how can a fair maiden smile and be gay, be lovely and loving and dear.

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SYRUP OF FIGS. A pocket match-case free to smokers of "Santitas" and "Cigars." Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste.

Don't Get Caught. This spring, as you may have been before, with your blood full of impurities, your digestion impaired, appetite poor, kidneys and liver torpid, and whole system liable to be prostrated by disease.

Hood's Sarsaparilla. Sold by all druggists. 50¢ per bottle. Prepared only at C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

Faets About Etna.

The traveler is not so much attracted to Catania by its reminders of a mighty past as he is to put eyes and feet upon the monster which all through that known time stood moaning or thundering above it.

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A SCARED EDITOR.

A rugged farmer stalked into the sanctum with a big whip under his arm. "Be you the editor?" he asked. "I am," was the half apprehensive reply.

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strength to the whole system. For overworked, "worn-out," "run-down," debilitated teachers, milliners, dressmakers, seamstresses, "shop-girls," housekeepers, nursing mothers, and feeble women generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the greatest earthly boon.

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Advertisement for Dr. Pierce's Peppermint Cure, featuring a small illustration of a person and text describing its benefits for various ailments.

Advertisement for Scott's Emulsion, featuring a large illustration of a man carrying a large fish on his back and text describing its benefits for health and strength.

Advertisement for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, featuring text describing its benefits for various ailments and its reputation as a health-giving tonic.

Advertisement for Syrup of Figs, featuring a small illustration of a woman and text describing its benefits for digestive health and general well-being.

Advertisement for Jones of Binghamton, featuring text describing various services and products offered by the company.

Advertisement for Frazer Axle Grease, featuring text describing its benefits for lubricating machinery and its reputation as a high-quality product.

Advertisement for Every Man His Own Doctor, featuring text describing a health product or service aimed at providing medical advice to the general public.