Mummified Montevs.

In several places in the Cape Colony and Orange Free State of South Africa caves have been explored which yield-ed hundreds of mumified remains of a queer species of six-fingered monkey. All of the full-grown specimens of this remarkable species of quadrums have the tail situated high up on the back from three to five inches further up than that on the modern monkey than that on the modern monkey— and other distinguishing marks, such as two sets of canine teeth, beards on the males, etc. Whether these creat-ures were mummified by human be-ings, who formerly held them in reverness, who for were overtaken by some cata-strophe, such as sudden convulsion of nature, or a cataclysm which en-tombed them in their caves and thus preserved them is a secret that can never be known.—St. Louis Republic.

Drawn Out.

Mrs. Hester Curtis, of Lafayette, Ind., who was murdered a few days ago, was the mother of twenty-five children, including seven pairs of twins. The pain of a small burn can be easily exed by placing it near heat, which draws t. One feels the pain going out as it twins. J. J. Hall, of Cynthiana, Ky., gave

were, and this illustration explains a broad were, and this illustration explains a broad principle of cure of many things. For in-stance, in a sprain, severe or mild, warmth by friction begins a true operation. But, first and foremost, use 8t, Jacobs Oll. The needed warmth and friction comes from rub-bing it on. The skin and injured muscle grow soft and heated and take up the curative properties of the remedy, and it is not long before one feels the pain drawn out. Other properties are at work to strengthen and restore, and a positive cure follows like margic.

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Nerves

slightly bitter taste. "If got this," he went on "partly for myself and partly to send to the Atlanta Exposition. And you know, we cannot infuse the tea as we do Chinese; it must be drunk boiling hot—not allowed to stand— else it becomes insipid. So we have these cups and tubes," and he took from his desk a wood shell cup like a gourd, holding a seant half pint, and a tube about a foot long. Mate costs about two cents a pound down in Paraguay."—New York Press. Depend upon the blood for sustenance. There-fore if the blood is impure they are improp-erly fed and nervous prostration results. To make pure blood, take Hood's Sarsaparilla

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SOFTENING BONES WITH LIME.

SELECT SIFTINGS.

Reindeer, as a rule, are not very strong. They can carry only forty or fifty pounds on their backs and draw from 250 to 300 pounds.

There is a toboggan slide at St. Moritz, Switzerland, three-quarters of a mile long, that has been descended

a centennial birthday party the other day. He is 101, and his wife is ninety-eight, but they were both able to ac-tively entertain their guests for the

The Earl of Glasgow, Governor

and his daughters Juan Fernandez Isl-and and Terra Del Fuego. A handsome memorial brass to Dr.

A handsome memorial brass to Dr. Parke, who accompanied Mr. Stan-ley in his last expedition, has been put up in the parish church at the dead officer's birthplace, Kilmorey, Ireland, Mr. Stanley and his com-panion, Lieutenant Mounteney Jeph-son, are the donors.

A good deal interest is manifested just now in an old document on ex-hibition in Bucksport, Me. It is a commission signel by Thomas Pow-nall, Governor of Massachusetts, ap-

nall, Governor of Massachusetts, ap-pointing Jonathan Buck First Lieu-tenant of a company to invade Canada, and bears the date of March 13, 1758.

"Mate" is Quite Scarce.

"Mate?" repeated a tea dealer while ago. "Never heard of it. W

is it?

in seventy-one seconds.

evening.

few bruises.

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nomenclature.

SOFFEXING BOXES WITH LIME. It is not the lime that softens the bones when they are mixed with fresh wood ashes and lime, and the whole kept moistened with water, but the possible. The potsch in the water is in a mild condition, in the form of a car-bonate of potsch, but the lime takes the carbonic acid from the sches and makes the potsch carbie.

makes the potash caustic. The caus-tic potash is very acrid, and eats the lime in the bones and so softens them that they may be crumbled with ease that they may be crumbled with ease after a month's exposure to the mixed askes and lime in a pit; so that with-out the askes it is not possible to soften the bones; the wood askes are indispensible. When bones are burned the gelatine—which has fifteen per cent. of nitrogen] in it—is destroyed, and thus the greater part of the ferti-lizing value of the bones is lost.—New York Times.

York Times. PHOSPHATE FOR POTATOES.

The Earl of Glasgow, Governor of New Zealand, at a cattle show the other day, went into a pen to examine a prize shorthorn bull. The animal suddenly charged him, and threw him over the fence. Ho escaped with a Potash rather than phosphate would seem to be indicated as a fertilizer by analysis of the potato. Yet many far-There is a Smith family in Ohio with mers have been very successful applypeculiar given names. The father is the Rev. Jeremiah Prophet Elijah Smith. His sons are named Most No-ble Festus and Sir Walter Scott Bart,

ing a little phosphate in each hill, not only increasing the yield, but growing potatoes free from scab. On heavy soil the application of superphosphate son the apprication of superprospints may make more potash available. It always contains an excess of sulphuric acid which acts on the soil and fits its potash for use. This same sulphuric acid also probably destroys some of the fungus which causes the scab. But the germicide corrosive sublimate used as a weak dilution for the seed is more

the germicide corrosive sublimate used as a weak dilution for the seed is more effective in preventing seab than any other application. The phosphate will need to be liberally supplemented with potash for potato crops grown on sandy soil, and some of the potash should always be used on heavy soils, as what then contain is after a state as what they contain is often not in available form to be used as plant food. -Boston Cultivator.

TREATMENT OF FROZEN PLANTS

"When the days begin to lengthen, When the days begin to lengthen, the cold begins to strengthen," is an old weatherwise saying which is so true that often the window plants which have come through December unscathed will be frozen in January. "A tea grown in South America. and it is drunk more than Chinese tea by those people," was the answer of the man who had asked for the article. writes "S. C." When one rises in the morning to find them in such plight morning to find them in such plight making up the fire and warning the room as soon as possible will be fatal to all but the most hardy. On the other hand, if they are removed to a closet or the cellar and allowed to thaw gradually in the dark, many of them will be injured very little. I have frequently had geraniums come through the ordeal none the worse for it. Many persons cut the plants down at once, when they have been frosted, but this is not necessary with geran-iums or shrubby plants, as they will usually put forth new leaves in a short time. This conversation was repeated in a dozen offices, till at last, concluding that the tea trade knew nothing of it, the man betook himself to the Uruguay Consulate. A man was found there who for years had resided in the Parana region, and who, when told of the quest, laughed, and pulling a litthe bag from under a table said: "I am not surprised. I guess this bag represents the sum total of mate in this part of the city. There is no trade in it, for only a few people who have lived in South America and have time. have lived in South America and have become attached to the tea, buy small quantities for their own use." He opened the bag. It contained perhaps twenty pounds of leaves, ground coarse, of a dead green color, having no perceptible smell and of a slightly bitter taste. "I got this," he went on "marthy for myself and partie

Begonias thrive better than most Begonias thrive better than most plants in the warm air of the sitting room, and hence are favorite plants for the window garden, but they are very susceptible to frost. A few va-rieties, the Vernon and Weltoniensis among the and will sprout up from the roots aff ir being frozen down, but my experiet se with other kinds has been that it is useless to try to save them in such a case.

such a case. Last winter I had hyacinths in full Last whiter I had nyachidis in the bloom frozen one very cold night. The hyacinth before it flowers will bear considerable freezing, but it seemed scarcely possible to save the waren bells of the flower spike. How-

ever, they went into the woodbox as soon as its contents had been emptied into the stove. A covering thick enough to exclude the light, and also

enough to exclude the light, and also the air for some time, was thrown over it. After some hours I peeped in. They had thawed, but the spikes were drooping sadly. They were allowed to remain in the dark all day, and by the next morning scarcely showed the effects of the cold. As a precaution against freezing it is well to water sparingly in very cold weather. The few "green things growing" kept in the windows brighten the home so much in winter that it is always a pity to lose them. —New York Tribune. New York Tribune. New York Tribune. New York To water New York Tribune. New York Tribune. New York To water New York Tribune. New York Tribune.



VIRTUES OF WINTER FAULTS. She had just returned from a for-eign grape cure, with a bloom on her oheek and a light in her eye wortby of a Heee. "It is the esthetics of medi-cal treatment," she said. "There is none of the paraphernalia of a battle for health; but sunshine, fresh air and grapes. One can live on them from morning till night. At first I could only est a pound a day, but be-fore long I progressed to ten pounds and even beyond that. Fancy it." Atthough we cannot all visit foreign cures, still, at this time of the year grapes are abundant and within the reach of most persons, who would un-doubtedly find a pound a day good conomy. We must let our imagina-tions furnish the surroundings of the cure - and devote ourselves to the details of eating all the grapes possi-ble.

HOUSEROLD AFFAIRS.

TUES OF WINTER FRUITS.

Very few prople are aware of the medicinal qualities of grapes; but these they possess. The pulp is nutri-tious and the juice contains augar, tannic acid, bitartrate of potassium, tartrate of calcium, common salt and mulbhet of motassium.

tivates the habit of eating a great deal of fruit is the gainer in health and apearance.

of the farm are greater, and the ease of cultivation greater, too, with the certainty of maximum crops also greater, they are the irrigated dis-tricts of the far East. Indeed, some of the causes of the depression in East-ern farming is due to the less cost of growing crops under irrigation, and the ability of the farmers to sell the products of their farms at a low price, such as other farmers cannot afford to take. In fact, the time has come when pearance. The grape-fruit, or shaddock, so called from its discoverer, Lieutenant Shaddock—or, to mention its soft Chinese name, pumelo—is highly prized by those who live in malarial localities. It is a charming rival to quinine and boneset and is driving them from the field. She who east her grame from the field. grape-fruit with a spoon from the natural cup or relishes it served as a salad may gladden her heart with the reflextion that she is not only pleasing

reflexion that she is not only pleasing her palate, but benefiting her health. Like oranges and lemons, the grape-fruit has great medicinal virtues. If you are of a bilious temperament cat grape-fruit; if fevers threaten eat grape-fruit; but, in this latter case, do so only at the advice of a physi-cian, as there may be certain tenden-cies which the grape-fruit would only averavate. The complaint is often aggravate. The complaint is often made that this fruit is extremely bit-ter and unpleasant; it is only the white inner rind which is so, and this should

such as other farmers cannot afford to take. In fact, the time has come when irrigation must be made a practice wherever the water is available for it. For it is one of the laws of vegetable growth that this is in proportion to the quantity of water in the soil. But it is in the growth of grass that the application of water to the land may be made the more profitable with the least trouble. The myriads of rivers and streams that flow through this broad land down to the ocean may all be impounded and made to work for the farmer without cost, ex-cept for the permanent works re-quired; and some of these need only be of the simplest kind. Here low banks thrown up by the plow, or otherwise by the horse scraper, will re-tain the water of a stream shen it is high, while it deposits its load of dis-solved or suspended matters to add to the bulk of the low lands along its banks, and to increass the stock of plant food in it. The water thus flows in at the higher end of the embank-ment and, slowly moving down to the lower part of the stream cives up its inner rind which is so, and this should always be carefully removed. To refer to "eating" cures, quite one of the pretitiest salads I have seen lately was a green pepper salad. The large peppers had been opened and the seeds removed, then a Russian salad, composed of varions vegetables, was heaped within the shells and covered with a delibious mayonnaise. These pretity green beats lay on a hed nent and, slowly moving down to the lower part of the stream, gives up its load to the greedy soil, and hastens on to the next farm, where it takes with These protty green boats lay on a bed of lettuce leaves, and about the base of them, and through the curled leaves shone vivid flame-like nasturit its newly gathered spoils, leaving them behind as it goes on and on toward its final goal, the great ocean. Lands thus embauked are quite tium blossoms. "How very pretty and artistic!" I exclaimed.

Lands thus embauked are quite common all over Europe, and are so productive of grass and the related crops—all used for feeding—as to pay the interest on a value of \$1000 or \$2000 an acre. If the irrigated lands of the great West have lowered the value of the Eastern farms, why should not these take the same method of cheapening their products, while the quantity is increased, and so restore 'The cook does not think so," re-

Piled my hostess with a smile; "neither she nor I know that the pep-pers must be out or the seeds taken out under water, consequently she burned her hands."—Chicago Record.

RECIPES.

Glaze-Glaze is made by boiling the plain, clear soup, before the ad-dition of vegetables, to one-tourth its bulk-that is, two quarts boiled rapidquantity is increased, and so restore the old values to them? Irrigation, wherever it is possible, is one way to effect this improvement. --New York ly down to one pint. This will keep for weeks, and can be used for soup and sauces also. Dairymen should always remember t is dangerous to use the milk from a

Baked Hubbard Squash-Hack a true Hubbard squash into as symmet-rical pieces as possible and bake-the shell side downward-until done. Eat from the shell, each person seasoning his own with butter, pepper and salt. Very rich and sweet if the real Hub-If milk is properly pasteurized there is no cooked flavor present such as is noted in sterilized milk. bard has been used.

French Rarebit—In a well-buttered dish put a layer of bread and butter, then a layer of bread and butter, then a layer of breas out thin. Al-ternate bread and cheese, with cheese on top. Turn over this two cups of milk to which you have added two beaten eggs. Bake till brown, twenty or thirty minutes. Dutch Apple Cake—Mix together one pint of flour, one teaspoonful baking powder, one cup milk, one egg, one-half cup sugar, two tablespoonfuls butter. Pour over quartered apples and bake in flat pan. Make a sauce of grated rind and jnice of one lemon, one cup of sugar, one pint of water, one cup of sugar, one pint of water, one tablespoonful corn starch and a small piece of butter. Red Vegetable Salad-One pint of

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the habit of buying Ripans Tabules at White's Pharmacy at Selma. When interviewed at the time of a

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Tabules and take them, I did, and

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On a recent morning an instance in which he pills had accomplished an admirable work was brought to the attention of a Times reporter, who started at once to ascertain the authenticity of the report. It was in the village of West Troy, New

York, that the object of the search resided, and socn after crossing the pretty Hudson the reporter was successful in locating his man, Lewis Ferguson.

Lawis Ferguson. Mr. Ferguson was found at his work in the large box shop of Harrington & Co., where he is engaged as foreman. He greeted the sorthe pleasantly and in conversation Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were spoken of, where-upon Mr. Ferguson's face brightened and he bogan to tell of the good the pills had done for him.

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upon Mr. Ferguson's face brightened and he began to tell of the good the pills had done for him. Mr. Ferguson said: "About two years ago I had an attack of feelal paralysis and my left side was affected. I nac-d of the merits of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and dedided to try them. I think that perhaps I used hai: a dozen bores. The pills accomplished won-deriul improvement in my condition, and I am now practically free from the effects of the paralytic stroke. I think the pills will do all that is claimed for them. "I will work for the pills at any time," "ontined Mr. Ferguson. "and I am perfect-y willing that you should publish anything I have said." The speaker, who talked with such enra-esting that sou should publish anything i have said." The sell of the pills in this vicinity has been very large, and their properties of hav-ing all the elements sessential to give new life and richness to the blood and restore im-gained nerve, have been the subject of mor-tinan frequent comment. Dr. Williams' Fink Pills contain, in a con-densed form, all the elements necessary to give now life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are an un-falling specific for such fils are sold on the fault for and richness to the blood and restore shatter a lean effect of a grippe, pal-jitation of the heart, pale and sailow com-plexion, all forms of weakness either in male or female. Pink Pils are sold by all deal-ers, or will be sent post pald, on re-eipt of price (50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50 -they are never sold in bulk or by the \$10.) by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Com-plany, Schenectady, N. Y.

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ed, according to the same authority, to be equal in weight to some 400,000 tons applied on the equator. Other causes, he says, have also to be taken into account, as, for example, the in-crease in the size of the earth, due to the falling on it of meteoric dust, which, it deposited at the rate of one footin 4000 years, would produce the observed retardation by itself. Further, such a phenomenon as the annual growth and melting of snow and ice at the poles, by abstracting water from the other parts of the ocean, introduces irregularities into the problem, the abstract.on accelerating the earth's motion, and the melting, by restoring the water, retarding it. —Boston Jour-

How the Earth Loses Time.

The explanation of Lord Kelvin's estimate that the "set back" of the

earth in its daily rotation round its axis amounts to twenty-two seconds per century is reported to be that such

retardation is owing to the friction caused by the tides, the latter acting as a brake, and such action is calculat

broken the ice and stick her tongue in the cold water several times until she got used to it, then take a little sip and a little more until she could stand no more of it. Then she will walk slowly over the frozen ground until she gets in the shelter of an old wagon, and there with her back humped up she will stand for two or three hours shivering until .what feed she has eaten has had time to warm that water up to a living temperature? nal of Commerce.

Argentina's Penal Settlement. The Government of Argentina hus con verted Terra del Fuego into a penal settle-ment.

CARE OF THE COWS

be given a smooth surface for lying down. Dry bedding should be pro-vided and cold drafts of air excluded Have you ever watched your cows on a bitter cold day sneak slowly up to the water trough where you have broken the ice and stick her tongue in from the table

When packing apples for market preserve uniformity in size as much as possible. Select the largest and fluest to form an extra fine quality to sell at a fancy price.

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FARM AND GARDEN NOTES.

Get a good churn. They are plenty

and cheap. Time is too precious to waste over a poor churn.

In manipulating butter, never allow the hands to come in contact with it as their warmth melts and injures the

As the conclusion of various exper-iments, the cost of keeping a dairy cow, without roots or silage, is put at

Young trees should be cultivated for

Now is a good time to cut out all

some years after planting, as this is an essential condition of their making a

Trees which are heeled in during the winter should not be covered with hay or straw, as such material draws mice and other rodents, which gnaw the young trees and destroy them.

The colder apples are kept without treezing the better. They will endure a much lower temperature than will that water up to a living temperature? How long ought it to take a sensible man to find out where all of his feed is potatoes, but when stored in a cellar, good ventilation is necessary and as even a temperature as possible.

going, no matter whether it is not its lead is going, no matter whether it is a milk cowor a dry one. Nearly every pound she eats is needed to warm that water, and little is left to repair the body, much less to make milk or fat of. The All young hogs in the orchard should be left unringed and free to root the soil as much as they like. Ringing older hogs is sometimes recessary, as in a dry time old sows will get in the habit, if unringed, of gnawing the bark of the trees and thus causing irrepar-able injury. much less to make milk or fat of. The simplest kind of a heating apparatus will cost not over ten cents a day to heat the water for a small herd twice a day. It will pay for itself twice over during the winter in food it will save and the milk it will allow the cows to make, and it will do the same in add-ing flesh to the other cattle, especially the young ones.

The appearance of moss on apple trees shows that there is an excess of water in the soil. The land should be drained for orchards as for other crops.

The young ones. Then go a step further and buy some boards to build a shed with that the poor things may have a dry place to stand and lie down ut.ler with a wind back as the standard back as the st Stagnant water is of no benefit. A system of underdraining should be employed, so that the subsoil will hold more moisture for the use of the roots. stand and lie down ut. ler with a wind break against the cold piercing storms. There are not only acts of humanity, but they appeal directly to the pocket-book. They make the stacks of hay, the cort fodder and the meal bin go nearly twice as far, to say nothing of increasing the profits of the milch cows. If a liberal allowance of straw, leaves

cows. If a liberal allowance of straw, leaves or other trash is scattered under the shed the amount of manure saved will At a m day the At a marriage in Bohemia, the other shed the amount of manure saved will At a marriage in Bohemia, the other far more than repay the cost and trouble of collecting it, while it great by adds to the comfort of the animals. If you are not too tired by this time,

cold boiled postoces in thin slices, one pint of cold hoiled postoces in thin slices, one pint of cold hoiled beets in small pieces and one pint of uncooked red cabbage, shredded fine. Mix two teaspoonfuls of salt, half a teaspoonful of pepper, six tablespoonfuls of oil, eight of vinegar (red from pickling the beets). Mix all the ingredients, let stand one hour in a very cold place and serve. Black Bear Sour, Sork one pint of

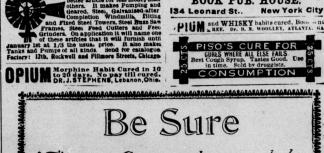
Black Bean Soup--Soak one pint of turtle beans in cold water over night. Then add one gallon of water, one-half pound each of salt pork and fresh bee', pound each of sait pork and fresh bee', cut as for tea, one onion and one car-rot, cut very small. Let boil slowly seven hours, then strain through a colander. Before pouring into tureen place therein one hard boiled egg cut in rings, a sliced lemon, wine glass of wine and a dessert spoonful of sauce. Small force meat balls are an improve-ment ment.

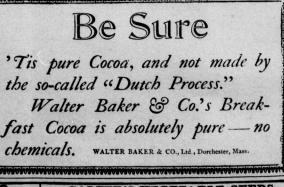
Chopped Roast With Tomato Sauce —Two pounds of chopped beef, one-pound of chopped seal and one-half pound of chopped seal pours, mix well together, season and put in buttered long mold; moisten with a little hot water, top with bits of butter and cracker crumbs and bake. Make a tomato sauce of one-halfcan of toma-toes, one cup of water, two cloves, two sprigs parsiey, one tablespoon each of butter, chopped onion and strained turn roast out on platter and pour over. A mushroom sauce is also delicious with this roast. Chopped Roast With Tomato Sauce

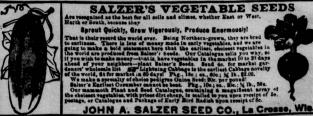
Cowbell Imbedded in a Tree.

Cowbell imbedded in a free. The Bowling Green (Ky.) Times says that Deputy United States Mar-shal Smith, while cutting some trees, found in the heart of one tree, thirty feet from the ground, a cowbell. It was completely imbedded in the wood. The tree was perfect from the roots up. The bell is old-fashioned in form and looked as if it had just come from the store. the store.

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