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The Bloomfield Cimes. HOUSE, FARM AND GARDEN. We invite communications from all persons who are interseted in matters properly belonging to this de-

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Buckwheat Short-oake.

Take three or four tea-cups of sour milk, one tenspoon of saleratus dissolved in the milk, (if the milk is very sour, more saleratus is required, together with a little salt :) mix up a dough with buck wheat flour, thicker than you would mix the same for griddle-cakes, put into a buttered dish and put directly into the stove oven and bake thirty minutes. It takes the place of griddle and shortcake, nice with meat butter honey molasses &c. No shortening is used. and no need of setting your batter over night. Wet the top a little and warm it up next meal if any is left, it is just as good as when first made while gridle cakes have to be thrown away. It is also very good cold. Was the beauty of this cake known to the majority of persons throughout the country generally, buckwheat would become as staple an article of commerce as the common wheat. Do not fail to give it a trial .--Some persons in trying it, have not had good lack the first time; they have failed from the milk being too sour for the amount of saleratus used or from making the dough too thin. I think I can say we have made it hundreds of times with success as I could eat it while dyspeptic when I could eat no other warm bread. G.,

Cement for Cracked Hoofs.

Mr. Deficy has discovered a preparation by means of which sand cracks or frac tures in boof or horn may be durably cemented up. Even pieces of iron can be securely joined together by its means. The only precaution necessary for its successful application is the careful removal of all grease by spirits of sal ammonia, sulphide of carbon, or ether. Mr. Defay makes no secret of its composition, which is as follows: Take one part of cearsely powdered gum ammoniacum and two parts gutta percha, in pieces the size of a hazel nut. Put them in a tin lined vessel over a slow fire. Before the thick, resinous mass gets cold, mold it into sticks like sealing wax. The cement will keep for years, and when required for use it is only necessary to cut off a sufficient quantity and remelt it immediately before application.

A Hint.

Never let children go to bed with cold feet. Indeed they never should be allowed to sit in the house with wet or cold feet. Many a child has died of croup whose life might hight have been preserved by a little attention to his feet. If a child has been out and comes in with wet or cold feet, take off his shoes and stockings, and toast its feet by the stove. Grown up people anay promote their own health and comfort by drying and warming their feet; but whether they attend to their own or not it is



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duty to attend to their children's feet.

Cure for Choking Cattle.

Should cattle be at any time in danger of choking by reason of any foreign substances in the threat, take of fine chewing tobacco enough to make a ball as large as a hen's egg, dampen it with molasses so that it can be compressed into a ball and will adhere closely; elevate the animal's head, pull out the tongueand crowd the ball as far down the throat as possible. In fifteen minutes it will cause sickness and vomiting. relaxing the muscles, so that the obstacle will be thrown out.

F Portland China hogs are pronounced, in the Practical Farmer, as perfect models all over, and the farmer's hog par excellence. The following is the ascertained gain in weight of three popular breeds of swine-taking them of the same age and condition for feeding. and feeding to each breed the same amount of feed and slope: Gain on Berkshires, 160 pounds; on Chester Whites; 110 pounds; on Poland Chinas. 130 pounds,

Black Teeth in Pigs.

Being the cause of siekness or discase, though a very common belief among farmers, is pronounced a most thorough humbug by Dr. Johnson, a distinguished and educated veterinarian. It is a barharous practice, a relie of old time ignorance and superstition to knock them out as a means of cure in sick swine.

Aimond Sponge Cake.

Pound half a pound of sweet almonds and one onnee of bitter blanch; beat half a pound of sugar with the yolks of seven eggs and two ounces of flour; beat the whites of five eggs to a stiff froth, and add the last thing before baking,

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