

The Bloomfield Times.

HOUSE, FARM AND GARDEN.

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

Lice Exterminator.

Years ago I discovered that aloe in fine powder is a specific for the destruction of lice on all animals, and as it has no poisonous properties, its intense bitterness being what kills, it can be freely applied, and as it has to be used in a dry state, its application is as safe in cold as in warm weather, consequently is free from all objections urged against other remedies. My regard for the comfort of animals and the interests of their owners induce me to publish this for the benefit of all concerned, and as this is the season when these parasites are usually most numerous and annoying, an opportunity is afforded for testing its unparalleled merits.

Directions: Fill a large common pepper box with the powder and sprinkle freely into the hair, on the neck, back, sides, and rump of the animals infested, and rub it thoroughly through the hair and on the skin with the ends of the fingers; leave it undisturbed for a week. Then card or curry thoroughly and apply as before, and so continue at intervals of a week, until there is not a living parasite. I have used and recommended this exterminator in numerous cases without a failure, and two different applications, if thoroughly made, generally suffice.—J. P. Kinsley, M. D., in the Rural New Yorker.

How to Plow.

In his address on "Plowing" before the state board of agriculture of Connecticut, Professor Stockbridge said: "There are two kinds of soil on every man's farm—the agricultural soil and the subsoil. The agricultural soil may be two inches deep, or it may be nine, but it is not twenty feet. It is no deeper than the air can penetrate. If the agricultural soil is too shallow, it may be gradually deepened by lifting an inch of the subsoil at each plowing, bringing it up to the air and enriching it with manure. Our agricultural society committees, by their premiums for smooth, shiny, flat furrows, have done the community great harm. Such plowing as often takes the premium is the very poorest kind of plowing. The soil is best plowed when it is most thoroughly crushed, twisted and broken with the sod well covered. On some kinds of land I would have the furrows lapped an inch, as the Canada farmers plow. Let the air and water have a chance to circulate underneath the surface. Light lands, however, should have a flat burrow; we wish to make such lands more compact."

Information for Farmers.

Corn cobs are said to be an excellent absorbent to place behind cattle in stables; the cobs soak up a great deal of liquid and soon decay in the manure heap, adding their own substance to increase its fertilizing value.

An infallible remedy for smut in wheat is to soak the seed wheat in brine, and then dust it with unslacked lime. This is said to be a sure remedy.

Among wheat-producing States Iowa takes first rank, Minnesota second, Illinois third, and Wisconsin fourth. Ohio raises the most corn and oats; Pennsylvania leads them all on rye; California on barley, and Illinois on oats and corn.

Uncle Jessie G. Hart says that he has never known this remedy for horse colic to fail: Take a tablespoonful of lard—not too soft—and place on it about as much red precipitate as will lay on the point of a pocket-knife blade, then give it to the sick animal, and if it fails to relieve him in fifteen minutes repeat the dose.—Clarke County (Ky.) Democrat.

Apple Vinegar.

The surest way to procure pure apple vinegar, says Scribner's Monthly, is to make it at home. You will find it an easy matter to save all the parings for this purpose. Put the parings in a stone jar and add just enough warm water to wet them thoroughly. Cover with a coarse piece of muslin and set in a warm place until the fermentation begins. Then strain—first through a coarse sieve (this will remove the skins,) then through a piece of toweling. After this has settled, drain it off into a stone jug. Tie a coarse rag over the mouth to keep out the insects without keeping out the air. Stand in the kitchen near the stove, until sour enough for use. Almost before you are aware of it, you are supplied with good vinegar, without its having cost anything except a little labor.

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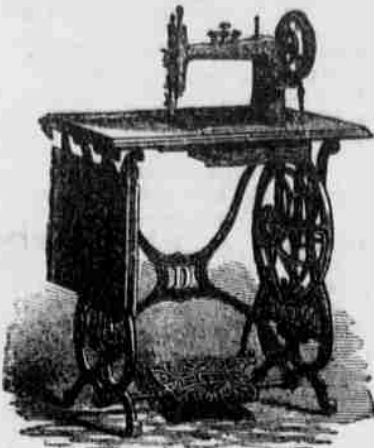
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