

The Bloomfield Times.

HOUSE, FARM AND GARDEN.

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

Curing Beef Without the Use of Salt.

Our system of salting meat makes it unhealthy and distasteful. Why do we salt bones? Were they extracted, one-third the salt would suffice, the meat so cured would lose little of its nutriment, besides gaining in value. Two-thirds of the smoking might be dispensed with, and one cause of indigestibility greatly lessened. Modern mechanical skill can surely contrive a tool to disbone a ham, and let the salt have equal access inside and outside. The thick skin might be removed with equal benefit. Custom may claim the shape of the ham as important, but this objection would give way before the great superiority of the meat. Farmers would find profit in it for their own household. A boned turkey is always attractive. When raised far from market a turkey boned and slightly salted and smoked would find ready sale at remunerative price.

The Mexican cures beef without salt. The first operation is to unbone it. Then it is cut into narrow strips and exposed to the sun till a superficial crust is formed to exclude the air. A slight smoking keeps insects away. It is usually kept in sacks in a dry place, and time does not injure it. It is now suggested that great improvement can be made in curing all meats without salt, by some adaptation of the Alden fruit drier. We have seen beef and mutton shredded into broad ribbons, two inches thick, and passed through an Alden drier and slightly smoked till a stronger outer crust was formed. The cured meat was served to sailors on a voyage to the Sandwich Islands and back, and was esteemed a great luxury compared with the best salted mess beef. Some that was brought back to San Francisco satisfied the experimenters that this mode of curing meat is destined to come into general use.

Planting Trees in the Fall.

We find that transplanting fruit-trees in the fall is preferred by many, so far as it relates to apples and cherries. For pears and small fruits, spring is better. Our own experience would make the locality, rather than season, the guide in making the selection. In uplands, or other lands of a naturally dry or silicious nature, we should choose autumn; but in moist, heavy or argillaceous soils, spring is undoubtedly the best, without reference to the variety of the fruit. And we should adopt this course whether in regard to shade or fruit trees,—always excepting the evergreens, which we do not think do nearly so well in fall as spring.

The best time to transplant in the fall, is as soon as the trees are done growing, which can be determined by the change of the leaf. By this operation the roots have time to seize upon the soil before winter sets in, and the tree is thus ready for an early start in the spring, and is also better prepared to stand the severities of winter. Large trees, especially, should be transplanted very early, or not until the ground is frozen hard.

Calves'-Foot Jelly.

Boil four feet, nicely cleaned, in a gallon of water, till reduced to one quart; strain it, and when cool, take off the top. In taking out the jelly avoid the settlings. Add a half pound of sugar, the juice of two lemons, and, if you please, the whites of four eggs to make it clear; boil altogether a few minutes, and strain it through a cloth.

A farmer wished to borrow a gun from a neighbor for the purpose of killing some yellow birds in his field of wheat, who were eating up the grain. His neighbor declined to loan the gun, for he thought the birds useful. In order to satisfy his curiosity, however he shot one of them, opened its craw, and found in it two hundred weevils, and four grains of wheat, and in these four grains the weevil had burrowed! This was a most instructive lesson, and worth the life of the poor bird, valuable as it was.

If your clothes take fire, slide the hands down the dress, keeping them as close to the body as possible, at the same time sinking to the floor by bending the knees; this has a smothering effect on the flames. If not extinguished, or a great headway is gotten, lie down on the floor, roll over and over, or, better, envelop yourself in a carpet, rug, bed-cloth, or any garment you can get hold of, always preferring woolen.

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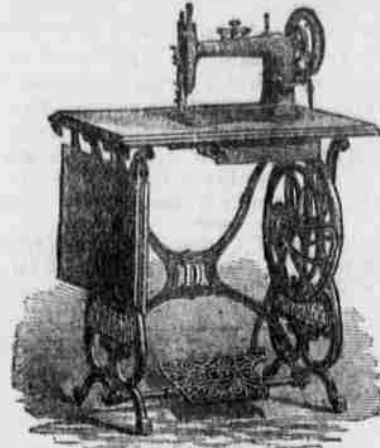
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