The Bloomfield Times.

HOUSE, FARM AND GARDEN.

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

Sheep-Killing Dogs.

Mr. D. C. Richmond, of Ohio, relates, in an article at large without credit, the results of observation and experience of sheep-killing dogs, from which he was quite a sufferer during twenty-five years They slaughter their victims by tearing open the large veins of the neck and sucking the blood; they can never be broken of this trick. A single dog will sometimes kill sheep, but generally there are two—often a large and a small dog. A sheep-killing dog will teach others. The first time a dog kills a sheep he will suck the blood, and then eats some and be satisfied. He will soon learn to kill several, sucking their blood until he is full, eating no flesh the first night. Any dog that will chase sheep when out alone will sooner or later kill them. A green dog will sometimes kill a sheep in the daytime, but this seldom happens. Nearly all the sheep-killing by dogs is done in the night; they are very cunning about it, often going long distances from home when there are plenty of sheep close by.

As a preventive measure, bells are good; not small ones, but three good sized bells for each hundred sheep. If in spite of this precaution, a sheep is killed, say nothing. Skin it and let the carcass lie in the same place. The first night after killing, the dogs will not come, but the second night they will be on hand. Cut four or five gashes in the shoulder of the dead sheep put a small amount of first class strychnine in the gashes, and the next morning you will be sure to have dead dogs. Mr. R. has sometimes killed four dogs in one night. He adds that "it is well to keep the mouth shut," and concludes with mention of a curious incident: "One morning I found a small round hole eaten out of the fore shoulder. It puzzled me. I knew it was not a common dog. I told my neighbors to shut up their dogs. The second night after killing I put in the strychnine, and the next morning I had the largest red fox I ever saw."

Colic in Horses.

A correspondent of the Mass. *Ploughman* gives the following cure for colic in horses, which is convenient at all times and easily applied. He says he has never known it to fail. Spread a teacupful or more of fine salt on the back of the animal over the kidneys and loins, and keep it saturated with warm water for twenty or thirty minutes, or longer if necessary. If the attack is severe drench with salt water. I have a valuable bull which had a severe attack of colic a year ago last summer. I applied salt to his back and, it being difficult to drench we put a wooden bit into his mouth, keeping it open about two inches, and and spread salt upon his tongue, which, together with the salt on his back, relieved him at once, and within a very short time equilibrium appeared fully restored; I have for several years past successfully applied this treatment to other animals in my herd.

☞ Leave turnips in the ground until hard frosts come. The tops may be fed to cows. Carrots, beets, and parsnips, must be dug before very cold weather. Store in trenches or pits in dry places from which water will run off. If put in a root-cellar, pack in earth in boxes or barrels or bins, according to the quantity. If a new rhubarb bed is desired, it should be made in fall. Plow up the part of the garden not in use before the ground freezes. Gather and burn all the weeds and rubbish.

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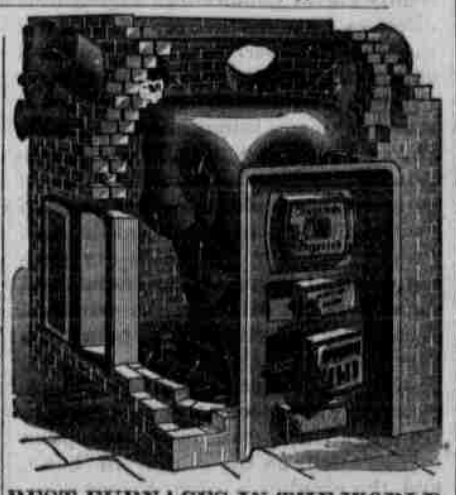

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