THE CLARION.

Thursday, - - - October 27, 1881

HOUSE AND FARM.

MINNIE'S WHITE MUFFINS.—One-half cup of sugar, one-half cup of water, one and one-half cups of flour, the whites of three eggs, one tablespoonful of butter, one and one-half teaspoonfuls of baking powder; bake in muffin-pans.

SPRINGFIELD RUSKIL SNAPS.—Three-fourths cupful lard, three-fourths cupful butter, one cupful sugar, one pint molasses, one teaspoonful soda, one tablespoonful ginger, one tablespoonful spice, then enough flour to roll soft and very thin in rings.

CLEANING SILVERWARE.—Dr. B. F. Davenport recommends the use of hyposulphate of soda for cleaning tarnished silverware. A saturated solution is employed, applied by a cloth or brush. It is well to preserve the salt in a dry state, as the solution decomposes readily.

KEROSENE FOR WARTS.—It is said that common kerosene placed on warts will remove them in a couple of weeks. It should be applied twice a day, and if the surface of the wart is hard and dry it should be scratched to promote the absorption of the oil. No scar is left after the cure.

MENDING STOCKINGS.—Before children's stockings begin to be thin at the knees and to need darning, put a piece of cloth under and sew with fine stitches so that they will not show; soft flannel or pieces of old stockings which are strong enough to be worth using are better than any heavier cloth. By the trouble to do this, stockings may be made to last as long as without it.

WHEN TO CUT TIMBER.—An old farmer with large experience, says that hickory cut in July or August will not become worm eaten. He says oak, chestnut, walnut and other timber cut from the middle of July to the last of August, will last twice as long as when cut in Winter. White-oak cut at this season if kept off the ground, will season through if two feet in diameter and remain perfectly sound for many years. Whereas, if cut in Winter or Spring, it will become sap-rotten in a few years.

WHAT A GOOD COW WILL DO.—A good cow will make 200 pounds of butter in a season, and skim-milk, fed to 30 pigs, will grow 200 pounds of dressed pork, or the same skim-milk fed to a calf will put on at least 200 pounds of live weight. A good steer fed in the ordinary way will dress 800 to 2,000 pounds at four years, having grown on the average 250 pounds of meat each year, whereas the cow has made 200 pounds of butter, and the refuse of her milk has produced nearly as much meat in the pork or growth of young beef in the calf as the average growth of a steer for one year.

TO GET RID OF RATS.—A writer in one of our exchanges says: "We cleared our premises of the detestable vermin by making whitewash yellow with copperas, and covering the stones and rafters in the cellars with a thick coat of it. In every crevice where a rat might tread we put the crystals of the copperas and scatter the same in the corners of the floor. The result was a perfect stampede of rats and mice. Since that time not a squeak of either rats or mice has been heard about the house. Every Spring a coat of the same yellow wash is given to the cellar as a purifier, as well as a rat exterminator, and no typhoid, dysentry or fever attacks the family.

DON'T WHIP A FRIGHTENED HORSE.—It seems to be a characteristic failing of most coachmen to lay the lash upon a horse that exhibits fear at any object in the streets or beside the road. Mr. Bergh, President of Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, says, in the organ of that Society, what every reasoning being ought to know, and that is, to never whip your horse for becoming frightened at any object by the roadside, for if he sees a stump, a log, or a heap of tan-bark in the road, and, while eyeing it carefully, and about to pass it, you strike him with a whip, it is the log, or stump, or the tan-bark that is hurting him in his way of reasoning, and the next time he will be more frightened. Give him time to smell all of these objects, and use the bridle to assist you in bringing him carefully to those objects of fear.

Improving Stock.

The time has been in this country, and not a great number of years ago, when many farmers found almost insurmountable difficulties in the way of introduction of good stock; but that time has passed away. Obstacles which presented themselves disappeared, and it is no longer an open question whether or not it is good policy to breed, grow and fatten the best. The great cost of throughbred stock, at one time was a barrier in the way of its general use, but breeding has now grown to be a vast industry, and prices of good indivual sires and dams have been so reduced as to place them nearer the reach of all, than ever before. The hard times of a few years back prevented many farmers from weeding out thrashy breeding stock, the means for making desireble supstitution being actually unprocurable; but this difficulty is now removed. The generally unremunerative condition of the fat stock trade was another impediment to those desiring to raise their standard of breeding; but this trouble no longer exists. There actually are no obstacles in the way of general improvements at this time which are worth considering On the contrary there is an incentive to the introduction of good blood. It is one of the urgent demands of the day, and if the American people would become, as they can, the regular feeders of Europe, it must be heedep. The standard quality of the stock on our fat stock markets can, with proper effort, be raised fifty per cent. within the next two years' time, without any financial trouble whatever.—Pittsburgh Stockman.

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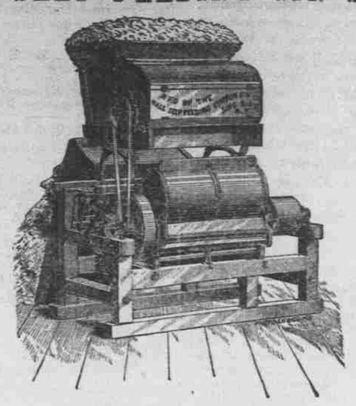

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