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Who's Your Blacksmith?

Some Common Sense Points on the Care of Horse's Feet.

NO FOOT—NO HORSE

(From the Farm Journal.)

Don't send just anybody with the horses when they are to be shod. Go yourself, or have some competent person who will see that it is properly done. The shoe should cover the crust or wall all around the foot, and should not extend straight back from the quarters. It should be of uniform thickness all around.

Light shoes are preferable to heavy ones and wear just as long, even if not so thick. They endure equally well because the horse is not forced to hammer his feet so seriously at every step.

A light shoe may also be held in place with less nails, thus damaging the wall of the hoof less. If possible, use but three nails to a side, and have them as far forward as possible.

The foot needs the knife only enough to reduce the horn as much as it would have worn away without shoes. Ordinarily the rasp will reduce the sole sufficiently without the knife.

Never allow the rasp to be used on the outer portion of the foot. If the horse forges or clicks from over-reaching, instead of setting the hind shoes back so they will not protect the wall of the foot, use lighter shoes behind and heavier ones forward. This encourages the throwing forward further of the front feet and keeps them out of the way of the feet which strike them.

Let your horse go barefooted until five years old if you wish him to have tough feet, then let him go barefooted awhile between each pair of shoes. Two sets of shoes a year are enough for any farm horse.

Don't let the blacksmith put a hot shoe on your horse's hoof, but fit the shoe with a rasp.

Insist on his making the shoe to fit the foot, not the foot to fit the shoe.

The front foot is naturally round, the hind one oblong. Keep them so. Make him keep his rasp off the outside of the hoof.

If you must have calks to your shoes on account of ice make them very short; long calks give an immense lever to break, sprain and otherwise injure your horse's foot. The calks should not be so

Torturing Rheumatism.

The busiest and most useful men are not always exempt from sickness. Especially are they liable to be attacked and completely disabled by that most annoying and painful ailment—Rheumatism. Men in all walks of life are subject at any time to be seized with this disease, and besides the great bodily pain, there is almost unbearable mental anguish at the thought of having one's strength and vigor gradually supplanted by a condition of utter helplessness. Under the effects of Rheumatism, the strongest men become the weakest, and the most useful are robbed of their usefulness.

Mr. J. A. LeSeur has lived in Atlanta, Ga., for years, and some of the prettiest residences and most substantial business blocks of that city are monuments to his skill as an architect and builder.



Mr. J. A. LeSeur.

But like many other busy men, Mr. LeSeur was overtaken by Rheumatism and soon his strength gave way to a condition of helplessness. This dread disease produces more agony, he says, than can well be described. "For years I have suffered with Sciatic Rheumatism and often felt as if a small piece of my spine had been taken out, also as if a fragment of bombshell had passed through my left hip. When I would sit down, I could not straighten up for several minutes, and then only at the expense of great pain. I could get absolutely no relief, though many remedies were tried. Someone recommended S. S. S. and I was almost in despair when I began its use. In three days, however, I was so greatly relieved that I felt very little inconvenience from the rheumatism. The disease grew less painful as I continued the S. S. S., and very soon disappeared entirely. S. S. S. also proved to be a fine tonic, as I now have more appetite, and feel better than ever before, in my life. I cannot say too much in praise of S. S. S."

Rheumatism is a condition of the blood which has always baffled the doctors, and it is a peculiarity that those who once have it are sure to always be subject to its attacks from time to time. The reason of this is that the doctors are only able to give temporary relief, but cannot rid the system of the disease permanently. S. S. S. (guaranteed purely vegetable) is the only real blood remedy for real blood troubles, such as Rheumatism, Scrofula, Cancer, Eczema, Catarrh, Tetter, Contagious Blood Poison, etc. When S. S. S. once forces a disease from the system it never returns. Our valuable books will be mailed free to any address. Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Georgia.

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high that the frog cannot rest on the ground.

It is a great mistake to allow shoes to go two and three months without being reset. This is one cause of corns and other troubles.

The frog of the foot ought not to be pared except to merely cut away ragged portions.

A horse's foot should be carefully cleaned every time his body is groomed; for this purpose a foot hook should be used.

When you once find a good blacksmith, stick to him.

Pasture is nature's remedy for all ailments of the horse's foot.

The practice of clipping the fetlock is undoubtedly bad, as the heel of the horse is tender and when exposed is subject to many diseases. Nature has provided the fetlock as a protection, and as such let it remain.

When the horse comes into the stable after being unharnessed the heels should be well-brushed out. Hand rubbing is preferred to washing, as the long hair can scarcely be dried again. If dirt is allowed to accumulate in that long hair the heels will become sore, and if the heels are washed, particularly in cold weather, grease will result from the slow evaporation of the moisture. You should have a picker and clean out between the shoe and sole and see that no stone has gotten between. Examine the shoes carefully, for they may be loose or the clinches may be raised and wound his legs, or the shoe may begin to press the sole or heel and bruises or corns may result.

Any disease of the foot leads to others. This shows the necessity of instant attention, even to the slightest lameness. The owner should always go with the horse to be shod and see that the clinches are each one raised, and not allow the smith to raise one or two and then pull and wrench the shoe off and thereby enlarge every other nail hole and weaken the future hold of the shoe.

The best way to have good feet on your horses is to breed for feet. If your mare has poor feet don't breed her unless she has many compensating qualities; no on account breed to a horse with poor feet. I believe good or bad feet and legs reproduce themselves more surely than anything else.

Take care of the colt's feet; to stand on heating manure is bad; in winter let them out on the ground in fair weather; keep them trimmed if they grow too long or out of shape, for this purpose a rasp is best. When you start to plow in the spring pull off the shoes and work without, it renews and strengthens the feet.

It is a great help in warm weather to turn horses out at night, the wet grass seems to be just what the feet need to keep them from getting too dry and hard. Horses with good feet will do farm work without shoes.

They are so small that the most sensitive persons take them, they are so effective that the most obstinate cases of constipation, headache and torpid liver yield to them. That is why Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers are known as the famous little pills.—Short & Haynes.

What The President Can do.

(New York Times.)

Mr. Carl Schurz has in the current number of Harper's Weekly a strong article on "The Quadrennial Disgrace." He describes with the sober emphasis of one who has both seen and experienced it the onset of office seekers on a new administration. He makes this simple, practical, though radical, proposition of policy for Mr. McKinley: "What the President can do is to make known to all concerned, in behalf of the public interest which it is his duty to guard, that no patronage will be distributed at the White House; that appointments will be made only when recommended by the departments under which the appointees are to serve; that whoever wishes to apply or recommend others for appointment to office must do so in writing and not otherwise; that when oral advice or consultation about appointments to office is desired, it will be specially invited; that removals and appointments will be made only for the good of the service and after careful inquiry by the Executive branch of the Government itself; and to facilitate the attainment of the end in view, that the 67,000 minor post offices will without delay be put under proper civil service rules; that the examinations for consular places will be made competitive, and that, as to other Presidential offices, the President, for the guidance of the Executive in making nominations, will adopt proper methods for ascertaining the comparative fitness of candidates."

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EKRON.

Jim Wimp went to the city, Saturday. Essie Bruner returned, Sunday night, from Louisville.

Jim Wiles, of Sirceco, went to Louisville, last Saturday.

Mrs. Jim Woolfark returned, Thursday, from Louisville.

Even the weather sheds tears over McKinley's confidence.

Sunday was church day at Salem. Bro. Dan Shacklett presided.

Max Willett, of Louisville, is here for a short visit to relatives.

Master Dan Roberts, of Hardinsburg, visited his grand-mother, last week.

Bob Hill, Attorney at Law, of Owensboro, was here one night, last week.

Mrs. S. J. Brown was in Louisville, last week, selecting spring styles in millinery.

Will McGehee, Long Branch, was the guest of Miss Lida Haynes, Sunday evening.

Section bees Conif is here, this week, with his men, repairing the track and switch.

There is a move on foot to have a yoting place at Ekron by next November's election.

Tony Williams returned Monday, from Hardinsburg, where he has been attending school.

Z T Cox, agent for the Texas here, was in Louisville several days, last week, on business.

A couple of Mormon preachers are here explaining their doctrine to the people of Ekron.

Nellie Roberts, who is attending school at Hardinsburg, visited her grand-mother, Saturday and Sunday.

Bro. Dan Shacklett and sister, Miss Lou, and Rev. Presser were with Dr. Shacklett, Sunday, for dinner.

Mr. Pinkston and his graphophone was here, one evening last week, and afforded several hours amusement to the folks.

Jake Shacklett's health is improving since the first day of April, when he had those delightful "Cotton biscuits" for supper.

Rev. A. L. Presser, of the Baptist Seminary, Louisville, was a guest of Bro. Dan Shacklett and preached an interesting sermon at the school house, Sunday night.

Success to you, Mr. Carpet and Uncle Johnathan. We women folks are too shallow to discuss the whiskey question in the newspapers, but just call on us at home and we will give you a helping hand if you need it.

E. E. Turner, of Compton, Mo., writes that after suffering from piles for seventeen years, he completely cured them by using three boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures eczema and severe skin diseases.—Short & Haynes.

The Duty on Wool.

(From the New York Times.)

One of the leading carpet houses of the country, Messrs. W. & J. Sloane, send out to their customers the following circular:

New York, March 2, 1897.

Gentlemen of the Carpet Trade:

We cannot too soon call your attention to the strong probability of a heavy duty being placed on wool, at an early day. The imperative need of this policy is doubtless forced on the incoming Administration by the condition of the National revenue, but the opportunity is seized by the wool growers to demand a far higher duty than has ever been paid. It is impossible, at present, to tell what rates will be decided upon by the Ways and Means Committee, as best suited to the interests of the country, but enough seems certain to predict that the cost of carpets in the near future will be very largely increased.

Prices of carpets have, of late, been, in the main, unremunerative, even on a free-wool basis, and it will therefore be absolutely necessary for the manufacturers to revise their prices materially, as soon as anything definite is known.

There is only one meaning to this statement, and that is but too plain. It is that the price of carpets must rise. The carpet, in the stage of comfort and civilization at which the American people have arrived, is one of the necessities of daily life. A tax on wool is the one tariff tax which the protectionists insist on and the principal one from which they can hope to get any of the "revenue" they talk so much about. Let us see what they can really get by this direct burden on a common necessary article of home life.

From 1876 to 1894—nineteen years—under a high protective system, the taxes on wool varied from 35 1/3 per cent. to a little over 44 per cent. During that time the total annual revenue from all sorts of wool varied from a little less than \$2,000,000 to a little over \$8,000,000, and the average was only \$4,680,000. Five million dollars would, therefore, be a liberal estimate of the revenue that this most unjustifiable method of taxation could be expected to yield. It is less than one third of the wasteful expenditures on rivers and harbors which have twice compelled the President to veto an appropriation bill. It is no more than is yearly expended uselessly on public buildings. It is about 4 per cent. of the pension appropriations.

Meanwhile, the exports of American carpets, which up to 1893 had never exceeded 20,000 yards, were last year 342,468 yards, while the total exports of manufactures of wool advanced from \$225,055 in 1893 to \$913,609 in 1896. These will practically cease with a renewal of duty on wool. What a pitiful humbug the protectionist scheme is seen to be in the light of these facts.

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HEALTH IN APRIL AND MAY. Use the Only Spring Remedy in the World That has Stood Every Test of Time.

PAIN'S CELERY COMPOUND MAKES ONE WELL.

In the spring use Paine's celery compound. And only Paine's celery compound! For it is nature's remedy. Do not for a moment confound it with any of the ignorant, catchpenny, short-lived patent remedies—sarsaparillas, nervines and tonics that bear as much resemblance to Paine's celery compound as the parasite vines do to the oaks that they live on. Paine's celery compound cures disease. It makes people well. It has saved the lives of thousand of sufferers. It makes the weak strong. It purifies the blood and enriches the nerves. Every condition of winter life has been detrimental to health. There has been a steady decline in nervous vigor. Now that spring comes the body is ready to cast off unhealthy tissues if it is only given a chance. This opportunity comes when the excretory organs, kidneys, skin and bowels are made to work actively and the nerves are able to furnish sufficient energy to the digestive organs

No remedy in the world accomplishes these results like Paine's celery compound. It nourishes, regulates and invigorates the entire nervous system, from the brain to the minutest nerve filament. It causes an increased appetite and tones up the stomach to deal with the increased food. Its nourishing action is immediately manifest in a clearing up of the muddy, unhealthy skin, an increase in weight and more refreshing sleep. First discovered after laborious, scientific research by the ablest physician America has produced, Prof. Edward E. Phelps, M. D., LL. D., of Dartmouth college, it is prescribed and publicly indorsed by the best practitioners in every city of America. It has been so enthusiastically recommended by grateful men and women in every walk of life that it is to-day in every sense the most popular remedy the world ever knew. It has proven itself the greatest of all spring medicines. In New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, St. Louis, and two or three other

large cities, the leading newspapers, making their own canvases again this year, have found that the demand for Paine's celery compound surpasses that of all other remedies together! Paine's celery compound, taken during the early spring days, has even more than its usual remarkable efficacy in making people well. It rapidly drives out neuralgia, sleeplessness, dyspepsia and rheumatism from the system. It removes that lassitude, or "tired feeling," which betokens weakened nerves and poor blood. Physicians recognize Paine's celery compound as the one scientific spring remedy, and it is universally prescribed by them wherever there is great need of a vigorous and prompt restoring of health and strength to the worn-out system. Paine's celery compound is the best spring remedy because it is more than a mere spring remedy. It brings about a healthy appetite, complete digestion, regular action of the bowels and the other excretory organs whenever taken,

whether in summer or in winter, but as the greatest of spring remedies it has extraordinary opportunities for inducing the body to throw off morbid humors that poison it and cause rheumatism, neuralgia, heart trouble and a general low state of the health, as in spring the system is more pliable and chronic diseases so securely lodged in the system that they are with difficulty ousted, become more tractable. Thousands of men and women have found from personal experience that Paine's celery compound makes people well, and keeps all from sickness who take it in the spring. Many a father and mother have noticed the unmistakable improvement in the health of their children from taking Paine's celery compound in the spring. It is the one scientifically accurate remedy fitted by its composition to thoroughly purify the blood and dispel that exhausted feeling and g-r-d of skin diseases, headaches and fits of depression with which children with weak, nervous systems, as well as grown people, are afflicted.

PERSIMMON FLAT.

Felix Carter went to Rockport, Ind., last week.

Stuart Weatherholt had a tobacco stripping Saturday.

Miss Lucy Johnson was in Cloverport, shopping Monday.

Albert Carlton went to Hawesville on business Monday.

Samuel Porter, of Cloverport, was here Monday on business.

Miss Nellie Farrow, of Hites Run, was the guest of Miss Eve King, Sunday.

The farmers are busy sowing oats, but the rain has delayed them considerable.

Abe Weatherholt has moved to New Albany, Ind., where he will make his future home.

Several Corn-crackers attended the wedding at Tobinsport, Ind., from this place one evening last week. Ha, see?

Aunt Eliza Howard, (colored) who has been very low for some time and was one of the oldest women in this county, died last Friday the 2nd. She was a good woman and highly respected by all.

A prominent Lawyer of Ohio, has informed the heirs of Ote Payne, deceased, that there is a vast amount of property there for them which, from what I can learn will be several thousand dollars for Mrs. Elizabeth King and sister.

To Cure A Cold in One Day.

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CANNELTON.

(Cannelton Inquire.)

Mr. Walter King, of Cloverport, was in the city on Thursday. Mr. King intends to start a saloon here in June, and will most likely occupy the Bopp Building at the corner of Washington and Seventh. He will occupy Wm. A. Wilson's house at Adams and Sixth as a residence.

W. R. Polk, the Tobinsport nurseryman, was in the city on Thursday. He reports that times are looking up in his line and that collections are easier than they have been for a long time. He is arranging to extend his business, and next year will make a specialty of shade trees.

One Minute is all the time necessary to decide from personal experience that One Minute Cough Cure does what its name implies.—Short & Haynes.

BIG SPRING.

Miss Ora Walton has been on the sick list with measles.

The Epworth League will hold their literary entertainment next Friday night.

Dr Gray, since buying property here, has concluded to locate in Elizabethtown.

Mrs. Alex McCans, of Elizabethtown, was down to see her niece, Mrs. Carrie Cryder.

Our telephone line to Vine Grove is its wire up and will be ready for use in a few days.

Guy and Gabe Meador have been helping to put up the telephone line to Vine Grove.

H. Meyer and A. R. Morris have their stores filled with spring goods and at great bargains.

Mrs. Tom McCans and children, of Little Bend, were here visiting G. A. Meador and family last week.

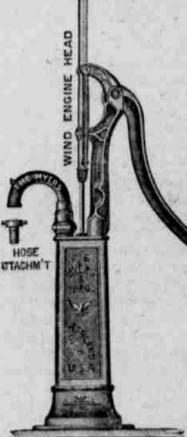
The Joint Teachers' Association of Meade, Hardin and Breckenridge counties will meet here April 17th. All are cordially invited to attend.

Don't allow the lungs to be impaired by the continuation of a cough. It is easier to prevent consumption than to cure it. One Minute Cough Cure taken early will ward off any fatal lung trouble.—Short & Haynes.



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Mrs. Samuel Stamm, of Loganon, Pa., bore her thirty-four years of suffering with courage and fortitude. Her trouble was rheumatism in the knee. In consequence her husband had become so stiff that she could hardly walk. Mr. Stamm is a well-to-do merchant, and had spared no pains or expense to relieve her, but with little success, until one night when it grew so painful that she could hardly endure it, he persuaded her to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The effect was magical. The first application relieved the pain, and its continued use has removed all stiffness and given her the free use of her limb once more. If you have friends who are troubled with rheumatism insist on their giving this remedy a trial. You can do them no greater favor, as it is sure to give prompt relief, and if they are a little patient it will effect a cure. For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by A. R. Fisher, Druggist.

"OLD ROCK."

A Cloverport Dog Carries off the Honors in a Chase.

The Auntyvose Review, of Auntyvose, Mo., gives the following account of some good work done by "Old Rock," recently sold to Mr. S. P. Martin by the Cloverport Kennel Club. The members of the club here are very proud of their dog and are glad to hear that he is making a record for himself. The Review says: Albert Stahlman, Edwin Boyd and S. P. Martin had a grand fox chase on the prairie on the 1st inst. An old Red was jumped in the Harrison pasture adjoining Jno. Boles on the West. Reynard, ran South of Mr. Boles and then went North-east through the Jameon pasture. With S. P. Martin's Rover and Albert Stahlman's Lil in the lead, the balance of the dogs pretty well lunched, the fox kept the road to the lane running South, opposite the Jeff Jones mansion and were soon out of hearing South of Hill Langtry's. Two hours after the start

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CANNED GOODS A SPECIALTY. TOM MCGILL, HARDINSBURG, KY.

most of the dogs were found at Hill Langtry's eating on some dead hogs, the boys supposed the fox had dodged the dogs. Next day Al Hatcher's boy brought the news that he saw the fox caught just South of the house. S. P. Martin's Kentucky dog, "Rock," caught the fox, Albert Stahlman's, "Rooster," was so on and S. P. Martin's black and tan bitch, "Carris," was third. After counting up the time, it was found that the fox was caught within one hour and a half from the time the start was made. The boys say they have as good fox hounds as the country can produce, and they are preparing to go to Fulton in the spring and clean up Col. Tom Watson, Bog Herndon, and Hem Brown. So our advice to those gentlemen is to get ready for a evolute, for our boys have sure wind splitters. S. P. is stepping around in his high water pants and says that old "Rock" is just loaded for bear, most any time that he is a very innocent looking old dog, but he is a few surprises around with him.