

THE CLARION.

HOUSE, FARM AND GARDEN

Farm and Stock Notes.

Horses at hard work should have in the middle of the forenoon and afternoon a pail of water in which a handful of oatmeal has been stirred.

Mange itch may be cured by scrubbing the horse with a coarse brush and then washing with castile soap and soft water, drying carefully.

Hardening of the skin frequently results from pressure of the harness and from cutting the integuments and subcutaneous tissues with the calks of the shoes.

The sheep is a close grazer, and even prefers short pasturage. It is scrupulously clean, though not very select in the choice of the herbage on which it feeds.

Waldo F. Brown recommends to the readers of the Rural New Yorker that they should simply pulverize the surface of the land intended for oats instead of breaking it up with a plow.

Housekeepers' Help.

TOMATO SOUP.—Twelve tomatoes, pared and cut fine, boiled one hour, or two quarts of canned tomatoes boiled one half hour.

DELICATE APPLE SAUCE.—Pare, halve and quarter a sufficient quantity of nice stewing apples; put them into a baking dish and cover thickly with sugar—bits of lemon peel may be added, if liked.

FLOWERS IN GRASS.—A cheap way to obtain flowers for landscape effect is by placing groups of red pinks in the grass. They grow, take care of themselves, and make a brilliant display in their season.

LETTUCE.—Cut the lettuce first in shreds and then across, quite small. It will not do to chop it in a bowl as that blackens it.

An Easy Way to Raise Strawberries. Baltimore Sun.] A new self-tending strawberry bed is the invention of a Californian.

Tomatoes.

To protect tomato and cabbage plants from being cut off by the cut worm, wrap a bit of paper about the stem extending up an inch or so and low enough to be held in its place by the soil.

STRAWBERRIES.

There is no fruit out of which, while it lasts, more comfort is to be taken than the strawberry. Nine out of ten persons relish it and to those who do it never cloy on the taste.

"The strawberry is one of the most capricious plants. A variety may do well in a certain locality, and in another not far distant may be a perfect failure.

"The strawberry has assumed great importance among our cultivated fruit and great progress has been made in the production of new and fine kinds, but there is still room for improvement.

But when every care has been taken in planting, we have often to contend with the heat and drought of summer which is the most formidable of all difficulties. No plant is more benefited by a constant supply of water in the fruiting season than the strawberry, and I repeat my former advice, give the strawberry water! water! water!

Barbed Wire Fences.

Steel wire in some of its many forms is becoming, in certain quarters, the fencing material for farms and railroads and even for garden and lawns.

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A Pretty Home.

Now that so many pretty things can be bought at a moderate cost the poorest woman can save a room from being mangle in its appointments.

Some New Fables.

THE TRUTH IN A WELL. A Peasant who had often heard that Truth was a Jewel lying at the bottom of a well, one day descended into his well to search for the treasure.

THE SAILOR AND THE SHARK. A Sailor who had fallen overboard and was speedily interviewed by a Shark, cried out to his enemy: "Have pity on a man who is down!"

THE FOX AND THE FARMER. A Fox one day made a call upon a Peasant and bitterly complained of the custom of shutting poultry up nights in Fox-proof pens.

Kite Time.

The boys have just got through breaking windows with their tops, and now comes kite time. Nothing has ever been invented that is superior to a well-regulated kite in causing a team to run away and distribute the inmates of the vehicle at irregular intervals along the boulevard.

"Oh My Back!"

Out of fifty persons who are forced by pain to use this ejaculation, on an average forty-nine misapprehend the cause of their trouble.

All other knowledge is hurtful to him who has not the science of honesty and good nature.—Montaigne.

WISE SAYINGS.

Flowers are the sweetest things that God ever made and forgot to put a soul into.—Beecher.

A cheerful face is nearly as good for an invalid as healthy weather.—Franklin.

Our youth we can have but to-day. We may always find time to grow old.—Bishop Berkeley.

Of all thieves fools are the worst; they rob you of time and temper.—Goethe.

MEDICAL.

Oh, My Back!

That's a common expression and has a world of meaning. How much suffering is summed up in it.

The singular thing about it is, that pain in the back is occasioned by so many things. May be caused by kidney disease, liver complaint, consumption, cold, rheumatism, dyspepsia, overwork, nervous debility, &c.

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