

FOR FARM AND GARDEN.

Not a Table Fruit.

As the quince is not a table fruit, but is wholly used for preserves and similar purposes, its tendency to early decay is not of so much consequence as it might otherwise be.

How to Care Hides.

There is a right and a wrong way to prepare and cure hides, and the Leather Review claims that the following is the right manner of operating:

In taking off a hide or calfskin never cut the throat crosswise in the least. Sit the skin from the bricket to the tail, and from the bricket to the jaw; then cut around each leg to the hoof.

rest; this creates an unnatural appetite on the part of the animal which will eventually result in a diseased condition of the stomach.

There is no difficulty in the case of cows or young stock that perform no labor, and with them feeding regularly night and morning, by which method they learn to be quiet at all other times, proves to be much better than to create a continual uneasiness, resulting from feeding a little every time the barn is visited.

The stomach of the horse is not large; it is estimated to contain only about fifteen or sixteen quarts; so it is clear to be seen that the food must be considerably concentrated.

Farm and Garden Notes.

Keep hens warm. Never milk in a dirty stable. Don't waste soft corn; feed it out. Winter dairying has many advocates.

Colonel Curtis considers the plow an enemy to the orchard. Fresh, clean apple pomace is valuable food for farm animals.

Get in a good supply of dry leaves. First they make fine bedding for animals, then the best of manure.

Don't expect that the poultry business will "run itself" any more than any other business. No gains without pains.

More size is a poor criterion for testing the value of pumpkins. Some of the largest specimens are soft, with thin meat and full of seeds.

It should be remembered that the stomach of an animal is simply a machine for the conversion of food into those substances that are easily assimilated to the frame of the animal, and of which only a certain amount is required.

"Did any of your family get cut on pieces with a mowing-machine this year?" he asked of a farmer on the market yesterday.

"No, sir."

"Any one fall off a haystack and run a pitchfork into him?"

"No, sir."

CLIPPINGS FOR THE CURIOUS.

A Minneapolis man ate 500 oysters in two hours recently for a bet of \$100.

In Europe, thrifty trees and good crops of peaches have been secured from grafts on the hawthorn.

The word tea-caddy is derived from the Chinese, where catty means a quantity of tea weighing a little more than a pound.

The name "Sick Man," by which Turkey is often referred to, was applied to that country by the Czar Nicholas, Jan. 14, 1854.

The speaking trumpet used by ships at sea is a very early invention, one of them being used by Alexander, it is said, in 333 B. C.

At least 1,200,000,000 pounds of tobacco are annually produced to supply the demand of the 900,000,000 of the earth's population addicted to its use.

The first literary work produced in America was a translation of Ovid's "Metamorphoses," by George Sandys, treasurer of Virginia in 1624, and printed in 1726.

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery dates its origin to March 13, 1638-39, when it was formed under its first name of the "Military Company of the Massachusetts."

The first agricultural society in the United States was formed by South Carolina planters in 1784, and is yet in existence.

A lady of Winnipeg had her photograph taken not long ago and her face appeared in the negative covered with spots.

Eusebio Francisco Kino, a Jesuit, founded the first settlement in Arizona and California, exploring the former as early as 1638.

A remarkable case of "substitution" was recently found in a Georgia mine. Workmen digging came upon a pine stump, what had been a pine stump, now converted into brown ore.

Cormorant fishing. In China tams cormorants are trained to fish for their master.

Snow-sheds in the Mountains. There is nothing peculiar in the construction of these sheds, which have to support only the burden of the snow.

These are covered with four-inch planking, and the beams are braced on the side from the trestle and from the crib.

A Lovely Complexion. "What a lovely complexion," we often hear persons say.

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High Peaks Left for Climbers. Although Dr. Meyer has succeeded in making the ascent of Kibo, the highest peak on the Kilima-Njaro range, there is no occasion for any more Alpine climber to sit down and weep because there are no other mountains to conquer.

A Man Who Dies Often. "A man died in St. Louis the other day who once had an opportunity afforded him of buying for \$10 a plot of western land now worth \$25,000,000."

EXTRAVAGANCE IN DRESS.

It is to be hoped they will some time give up the extravagance about women's dress.

One of the most charming actresses to whom I have lately had the opportunity of seeing her perform, was the beautiful Lily in the type of female beauty.

On the stage the most charming actresses are those who have the art of making themselves attractive to men as well as to men.

Two generations have faded over the beauty of the young Lily. She is not pretty, but she has the vigor of robust health.

Fanny Davenport was always fascinating, and is still a great favorite. As Lady Grey she would catch her prey in a rapturous embrace and swing him three times around her, his feet never touching the floor.

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Many break down under the strain and load of modern life. Some of the best medical aid procurable is that which comes from the "Science of Life."

It is my duty to advise you to get on your feet. In the meantime he finds himself with all the more money to spend on his own adornment, and indulges in all the latest masculine fads.

A NOTED BENEFACTOR'S Deed of Kindness and the Marvelous Benefit to the Sufferers in Warren County Hospital.

The above is a true copy of the original letter to the Hospital Board.

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CHARMING ACTRESSES.

The Lily Grace Place to the Rose-Rose Gables and Triumphs.

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