## FOR FARM AND GARDEN.

### VACCINATING HORSES.

Experiments have been made by the German departmental veterinary surgeons, Peters and Felisch, with the mallein or glanders lymph of Herr Preusse. Both experimentalists are of opinion that when horses affected with glanders are vaccinated it causes a reaction and rising of the temperature, which as a rule would not take place in a healthy animal. Out of 10 horses vaccinated and showing these symptoms only one was found to be free from the disease. It may be detected within 10 hours from the time of vaccination.—[New York World.

### COTTON-SEED MEAL FOR THE DAIRY.

A series of experiments have been made at the Texas station to determine the influence of cotton-seed meal in the dairy ration on the creaming of milk, both by the common and centrifugal methods. Without giving the results of the various experiments separately, it may be said the average loss on cotton-seed meal for ordinary setting was 17.5 pounds out of every 100 pounds present in the original milk, against 25.8 lost when the cotton-seed meal was fed. The feed for each pair of contrasted lots was the same except that one lot received equal parts of corn meal and bran as bye food, while the other lot had cotton-seed meal and bran in equal parts.

With milk set at a temperature of 45 degrees, and kept at that temperature with ice for twenty-four hours and then skimmed, and milk at the same temperature skimmed in twelve hours, the results show a decided advantage in the longer setting.

When the cream was extracted by the centrifugal method the results show that a very much larger per cent. of the butter-fat present in the milk is obtained, and that without regard to the character of the feed used, whereas in the ordinary gravity creaming the character of the food may have a very marked effect upon the quantity of butter obtained from the milk.

### WEAK KNEES IN A CALF.

When a young animal is weak in the limbs it indicates that the mother has not been well nourished and the food has not been of the right kind to give strength to the bones. Cows that are large milkers often have weak calves, for the reason that the bone-making material is used up in the production of the milk and the young calf has not been fully nourished. In fact, the calf is to be fed long before it is born, by furnishing the dam with the needed food to sustain the healthful growth of the fœtus. Bran is one of the best of bone-making foods, and also supplies the material for making flesh and milk. So that the cow which is expected to produce a calf should be fed from the first with at least two quarts of bran daily, in addition to other nutritious food. An excellent ration for a cow that is milking and is in calf, is four pounds of cottonseed, four pounds of bran, and two pounds of linseed meal, daily, in addition to good pasture or hay. An allowance of some kind of roots in the winter is indispensable to such cows, and all other animals that will be producing young in the spring. The laxative effect of the food is needed to insure health and to aid in the digestion of the food. This is especially true as regards sheep.—[New York Times.

### CONTINGENCIES IN FARMING.

The present is an opportune time, thinks the New York World, for determining the crops to be planted next year. There is leisure now for a careful review of the past season and the noting of its successes and failures. If too much labor and time were hazarded on one or two favorite crops, the remedy that suggests itself lies in a greater diversity hereafter. To the Southern farmer especially a more diversified system cannot be too highly recommended. But whether North or South, reliance ought not to be placed upon a single crop. Of the cereals, Indian corn is the one subject to the fewest contingencies and the best able to endure unfavorable conditions. It will often be found more profitable than cotton, and every cotton planter should at least raise enough of it to prevent him from using the proceeds of his money crop in paying for supplies he ought to raise himself.

Good manuring and good cultivation are the first steps to successful farming both in the North and the South. There are, however, seasons when in extensive districts both may fail in producing their expected results. Long continued and intense heat of the sun may cause drought on the one hand, or excessive rains and unusual storms may destroy a crop when near its maturity. Under such conditions, owing to their different periods of ripening, some crops may escape while another may perish. Besides there are many things in the economy of nature that are hurtful to the crops. Against the relief of these obstacles science has come to the aid of the farmer and put into his hand the means for greatly decreasing the ravages of insect pests.

Small fruits and garden vegetables are now assuming great importance as farm crops on a large scale, so that upon the whole the prospects for farmers holding their own against all comers seem encouraging.

### DOMESTIC AND WILD GEESE.

The domestic goose and the wild goose cross readily, and the cross is often seen in some sections. The only difficulty in obtaining the cross is in getting the wild goose or gander, for it is usually considered better that the male should be of the wild stock. In fact, it is said that a wild goose introduced into a flock of domestic fowl is often unwilling to mate, but the wild gander will mate readily with domestic geese. The wild stock is usually procured by taking one that has been crippled or wing-broken by the gunners, but in some cases young ones have been caught, and we have heard of a whole flock alighting in a farmer's yard during a heavy storm, when there was a strong wind blowing in the direction that they wanted to go when migrating, and following the farmer's flock into the barn, where they were secured. The object supposed to be gained by the cross of wild blood is greater hardiness and more rapid maturity of the goslings, which are also less subject to disease when small, and more easily reared. The wild gander or goose, though easily tamed, does not lose the instinct for migration, and the wings should be clipped both fall and spring to prevent them from starting off to join some passing flock of former mates. In the half-breeds this instinct seems to have died out, or the power of flight is so lessened that they will not often attempt to go away, or will not go far enough to get away from home. The gander will usually mate with three or four geese. The number of eggs in a season will vary from 15 to 40, and the time of sitting is from 28 to 32 days. They should be set in March or April, as they are more easily reared before the weather gets very hot. The growing of goslings for market is usually considered very profitable by those who have good luck with them, that is, understand the business well enough to rear the young ones, for like turkeys, the greatest mortality is during the first six weeks of their life. They need good grazing ground, which must be given up entirely to them, as other fowls or animals do not like to feed on the ground they have frequented, and they need a pool or stream of clean water, as they will not thrive like a duck in muddy water. They begin to breed the second year, and old geese are more prolific and grow better goslings than young ones. They live to a great age.—[Country Journal.

### FARM AND GARDEN NOTES.

Ventilate the fruit cellar.

Have the fruit in a cool place.

Big acres do not always make successful gardeners.

Save the poultry droppings. Store them where they will be dry.

Are you giving any thought to next year's garden? Better do it now.

Keep all seeds in a dry place where mice or rats cannot get at them.

Hard hearted indeed is the man who cuts down a handsome shade tree in the pasture lot.

Join in any movement which will have a tendency to elevate the standard of excellence of the horses of your neighborhood. An increase in the value of the horses will bring many dollars into a community.

It may be true that horsemen, like musicians and poets, are born, not made, but there are few who may not add much to their knowledge of horses and become skillful in their management by study and practice.

Embrace every opportunity that presents itself for seeing and examining valuable horses. One way to become a good judge of horses, or rather a judge of good horses, is to mingle with the owners of such stock and pick up all the point you can.

### Biggest Sailing Ship Afloat.

The French five-master, France, is the largest sailing ship afloat. She was launched in September, 1890, from the yard of Messrs. P. W. Henderson at Partick for Messrs. Bordes et Fils, and her dimensions are as follows: Length, 361 feet; breadth, 49 feet; depth, 26 feet. Her net register tonnage is 3024, with a sail area of 40,000 square feet, and not long since she carried an enormous cargo of 5000 tons of coal on her maiden passage from Barry to Rio de Janeiro. Cunning old sea dogs shook their heads and looked as though they could a tale unfold, but the sinister forebodings were not justified by the result. It is always awkward to prophesy unless we know, for she reached her port without mishap after thirty-two days' sail, or within one day of the fastest passage on record. She is square-rigged on four masts, but carries fore-and-aft canvas on the fifth mast, which is far aft. Her masts are only 160 feet high; nevertheless she looks heavily sparred. This leviathan is fitted with a cellular double bottom, and can carry 2000 tons of water ballast, thus reducing the expense of ballasting to a minimum.—[Chambers's Journal.

## QUAINT AND CURIOUS.

All trees are evergreen in the tropics.

Kissing is unknown in the Far East.

Glass has been made in the United States since 1720.

Old rails are now used in India for telegraph poles, being both cheap and durable.

During the fourteenth century the playing of football in England was forbidden.

California's wine crop will equal a quart for every man, woman and child in the United States.

The adhesive postage stamp was invented by a man named Chalmers, in Dundee, Scotland, in 1834.

The first prayer book of Edward VI. came into use by authority of Parliament on Whit-sunday, 1549.

A Merced (Cal.) jury has decided that it is not a crime for a man to steal a meal when he is hungry.

The first temperance society in this country was organized in Saratoga county, New York, in March, 1808.

An insane barber in Indianapolis, Ind., lathered a customer with coal oil and tried to shave him with scissors.

The annual production of sawed lumber in the United States would load a train of cars 25,000 miles long.

A company of women is running two canning and preserving factories in Michigan. Not a man is allowed to work in either place.

The Braganza diamond, the largest in the world, weighs 1880 carats. It was found in Brazil in 1741, and is now one of the Portuguese crown jewels.

Nodes, even in the days of Henry VIII., were so rare that an old play records the fact that a whole village turned out to hunt "for a lost one by the light of a cat's eye."

Two of the proud possessions of an Atlanta (Ga.) man are a sabre and a cross of the Legion of Honor that one of his ancestors received from the hand of the great Napoleon.

With the desire of giving her husband a true picture of herself, a woman in Atchison, Kan., had her photograph taken as she appeared at daily housework in her dress, with a baby on one arm and broom and dust pan on the other.

The largest establishments for breeding dogs in the world are in Manchuria, Chinese Empire. The dogs are raised for their skins and killed when about eight months old. The town of Newchwang alone exported $100,000 worth of skins in 1888.

In some of the small villages of Scotland laborers formerly carried nails in their pockets with which to pay for the day's supply of bread, etc., just as the native Australian divests himself of a string of beads for the purchase of some coveted luxury.

So dear has fodder become in the Sandwich Islands, learns the Louisville Courier-Journal, that the owners of the horse railroad in Honolulu have decided to run the cars by electricity. It is expected that considerable saving will be effected.

A slang expression which is rapidly getting in vogue, but which, it is believed, has not yet been included in any printed collection of Americanisms, is the word "push." It is an expression of circus origin, explains the New York Press, and to be "in the push" is to be, in a general sense, "in the crowd," or going with the crowd.

### Shetland Ponies.

I have been in this country for twenty years, and the only bona fide Shetland pony farm I have seen yet is to North St. Louis. There are thousands of ponies imported every year from Ireland, which are small and graceful, being a cross between a Shetland and the Irish pony, which is peculiarly able to live on next-door to nothing and thrive upon it. But the genuine Shetland comes here but seldom, on account of the cost.

It can be bought for $25 to $60 on its native heather, but the expense of getting it to the coast and across the Atlantic makes it higher-priced here. The true Shetland is often only about thirty-six inches high when full grown and is never above forty, and another peculiarity is the shagginess of its coat and the rawness of its bones. In these respects it resembles the Texas pony, and to groom it is to waste valuable time, as the moment the man's back is turned the groomed animal proceeds to roll in rubbish and dirt.

There are some diminutive steeds on the streets of St. Louis, not exceeding forty-five inches in height, with arched necks and very sleek coats, and they are often described as Shetlands. The error, however, is not one in which the owners fall, as these little fellows are imported from the far East, some even from Arabia. They are costly and much handsomer than the Shetlands, though they require more care and are not so aggressively hardy. The Shetland thrives well here, and money must be made by keeping it, considering the fact that in the coldest weather it will scrape away the snow and find at least a good lunch.—[St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

## A BATTLE BETWEEN TWO LIONS

### Thrilling Experiences of a Traveler in an Indian Jungle.

It was the good fortune of Maccoy and myself to witness a conflict between two lions, says a traveler in India. We were accompanied in this instance by my native servant, Isilla, and took up our quarters in a light scaffolding in the branches of a tall tree that overhung a waterpool much frequented by the animals of that vicinity.

I was beginning to feel sleepy and to nod frequently when the roar of a lion close at hand broke the silence. Instantly we were wide awake and grasping our guns nervously. In another instant the roar was answered from a spot below us, and looking down we saw a lioness crouching at the foot of a tree. Her head was embedded between her forepaws, and her long tail waved luxuriously to and fro. Another "woof" from the opposite direction, and two magnificent males stepped into view while the lioness continued to purr and wave that graceful tail from side to side.

And there she lay purring gently while as terrific a combat ensued as the eye of man ever witnessed and words cannot paint the picture nor describe that combat. Over and over the two males rolled after meeting in mid-leap with their fangs at each other's throats, while the sickening sound of champing bones filled the air, mingled with their frantic roaring and the thrashing of their bodies through the whirling sand.

By this time my nerves were so wrought up that I could stand the terrific spectacle no longer, and taking deliberate aim at the lioness behind her shoulder blade, I let fly. Above the rumble of my smooth bore sounded the shriek of the lioness as the heavy ball crashed into her vitals. The two duelists at once ceased their encounter, and as one of them turned, he received Mac's rifle ball in the hollow over the eye, and death was instantaneous. The other male with a mighty roar and a powerful spring landed halfway up the trunk of our tree, nearly shaking us from our perch, but Isilla discharged a spare gun in his face; he fell back, and, probably only grazed by the shot, disappeared into the darkness toward where the moans and cries of the lioness grew fainter and fainter every moment.

In the morning with a party of Arabs and dogs we took up the spoor and tracked the lioness to her lair, and after she had received eleven more of our bullets, killed and disabled four of our dogs and made five determined rushes, succeeded in making her bite the dust. She had traveled nine miles before we caught up to her, and kept a brave front to the fate.

### Russian Types Alarmed.

The type-setters of Russia, and especially of St. Petersburg, are alarmed for their trade, because they have heard that in this country certain type-setting machines are superseding the type stickers and putting them out of work. The St. Petersburg compositors, fearing that these machines may be introduced there, have sent to New York for information about them, asking if their use is profitable to their employers, and if it is detrimental to the interests of the old-fashioned compositors.

A reply has been sent from here to the St. Petersburg inquirers, telling them of the various kinds of type-setting machines that have been invented, of the extent to which they are used in the newspaper, book, or job offices in this country, and of their influence upon the interests of type-setters. A reporter who has seen this reply says that its effect will be to relieve the minds of the Russian types.

### Don't Flirt.

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## SENATOR REAGAN'S "SCRAP."

### He Threw a Local Terror Through a Mill Window in Tennessee.

The resignation of Senator Reagan, of Texas, recalls a story of how he chanced to remove to the State that is now his home, and which has so signally honored him. He was living in Sevier County, Tennessee, in 1856, and was sent by his father to a grist mill to have a sack of wheat converted into flour. He was a big, raw-boned, strapping country boy.

According to custom, he hitched his horse at the mill, took the sack of grain from the shoulders of the animal, placed it on his own shoulders and toted it up three flights of stairs, and took his place in the line, as people are wont to do still at country postoffices, waiting for his turn to have his wheat ground. Half an hour or so after Reagan arrived at the mill a well-known local character came, bringing a sack of wheat to be ground also. This last character was a local terror, fond of brawls and fighting, and in the habit of having his own way.

He had to take his place in line with the rest, but when it got to be Reagan's turn to have his grain ground "the terror" said:

"See here, Reagan, I am in a hurry. You let me get in your place and you come back here where I am."

Reagan demurred, stating that he was in a hurry, too, that he was entitled to his place, and meant to keep it. This angered the brawler. He cursed young Reagan, and said he would fling him out through the window, and, suiting the action to the word, made a rush for the future statesman. Reagan, like all the rest of the people in the neighborhood, was more or less terrorized by the desperado, and, in fear of his life, rushed for him, met the desperado half way, butted him in the stomach with his head, and literally lifted him off his feet and threw him through the window.

When the desperado disappeared through the window the consequence of his act flashed upon young Reagan's mind. He instantly supposed that he had killed a man, that he would be hanged for it, and, scared almost to death, he rushed down stairs, unhitched his horses, and lit out across the country for Texas. The man was not killed, but got a bad shaking up. He soon moved to Texas, and was a friend of Reagan in after life.


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### Hannibal and Sherman.

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