

DO THEY MISS ME AT HOME?

Do they miss me at home—do they miss me?
Would to an anxious mother's heart,
To know that the moment comes before me,
When saying I wish he were here,



AGRICULTURAL

From the Southern Farmer.

Brownsville, Granville, N. C. December 8th, 1854.

Observing in your paper of the 2d Dec-ember, an inquiry from Thomas R. Joyner, in relation to a peculiar disease amongst his hogs, to which you profess to be unable to furnish an answer, I have determined in compliance with your request, to suggest a remedy.

JEFFERSON.

From the People's Press. A quiet town, and far adown The russet mountain side, Sweet odors breathe, and flowers wreath The air at evenside;

MY LITTLE BEAU.

I had a little beau, and he wore a little boot, That fitted very nicely upon his little foot, He wore a little coat, fitted to his little back,

SATURDAY NIGHT.

What a blessed arrangement this Saturday night again is! How it comes in after "another six day's work is done," and "winds up a whole week of toil," not only with "a night of sleep," but a reflection that "a day of rest is to begin in our ears, and disturb our not half rested bones and sinews!"

PERIODICITY OF THE WEATHER.

Amongst the few rules which have been established in regard to the unstable element of the atmosphere that of the periodical recurrence of certain conditions may be considered as one. Not but that there are many exceptions—for there is no rule without exception—but from long observation we are convinced that there is a strong tendency, which is often developed in a striking manner, for the same state of the weather to return at very regular intervals.

THE MOSQUITO GUN.

The Mosquito Gun—A writer in the Austin (Texas) State Gazette claims for Dr. Baker, of Austin, the discovery of the gun which extends from the mosquito tree—(Cordia alliodora)—to the cotton tree—(Gossypium hirsutum)—and is a weekly periodical in the state of the weather.

will almost certainly be an approach to it in the cloudy state of the atmosphere, and other indications of rain—until at length the succession is broken into, and the same state of the weather hastened or retarded by the mysterious influences which govern it, when all rules and all signs fail, and we have continued drought or continued wet. The same may be said of dry weather, or dry days.

RECIPES.

The following recipes have been handed to us by one of the best householders we are acquainted with. The pickle may be made at any time—and none more convenient than the present, when cabbages are found in every good garden.

TO MAKE YELLOW PICKLE.

To 24 gallons of vinegar add 7 lbs. brown sugar, 1 lb. white mustard seed, 1 lb. white ginger, 1 lb. scraped horseradish, 1 lb. bottle of mustard, 1 lb. white pepper, 1 lb. turmeric, 2 oz. nutmeg, 2 lb. allspice, 2 lb. cloves, 2 lb. mace, 2 lb. celery seed, 6 shad lemons.

Edipses in the Year 1854.

There will be this year four edipses, two of the sun and two of the moon. The first—A total edipse of the moon, May 1, at 10 o'clock 35 minutes, in the evening; visible.

Home Testimony.

Mr. Hampton, N. C., August 20th, 1854. I have had several bottles of your Vegetable Tincture, and I can testify to its efficacy in curing a variety of ailments.

A Voice from the Old North State.

From one of our old friends, Mr. J. M. Smith, dated New York, N. Y., July 10th, 1854. I have just received your Vegetable Tincture, and I can testify to its efficacy in curing a variety of ailments.

THE GARDEN.

Those who desire to have their tables supplied with vegetables at the earliest moment, should lose no time in making the necessary preparations. In this climate the custom has obtained with some old gardeners of sowing peas the first good weather after Christmas.

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