

Agriculture.

A SEASONABLE HINT.—Warm your horse's bit before putting it in his mouth. Much unintentional cruelty is inflicted on the poor dumb animals by putting the icy cold bit into the warm mouth.

WEANING LAMBS.—It is very frequently the case that lambs are let run with their dams too long, which has an injurious effect upon both.

An idea prevails to a considerable extent that it will not do to separate lambs from the ewes in "dog days."

Do not turn the lambs on fresh clover pasture, as it is certain to cause souring and other ailments; good timothy and blue grass is the best, but it should not be very long.

REMARKABLE OCCURRENCE.—Some twelve months ago (says the Armidale Chronicle) the marion of Armidale gaol, while drinking water after eating a few grapes was sensible of swallowing some foreign substance.

It may be of some value to telegraph operators who have marble-based instruments, and housekeepers who have marble top furniture.

WATERING SHEEP.—Many persons are under the impression, that it is wholly or quite unnecessary to water sheep more than once a day in winter and not at all in summer, when on pasture.

When was Rome built? asked a school committeeman of the first class in ancient history. "In the night," answered a bright little girl.

A little girl went into a drug store the other day, and said to the proprietor in a half whisper, "If a good little girl hasn't got no money, how much chewing gum do you give her for nothing?"

Scientific.

ATTACHING SLATES.—A Boston architect says he has been in the habit for many years of bedding his roofing slates in hydraulic cement, instead of having them nailed on dry in the usual way.

The Scientific American describes a strange fertilizer. At Stratford, Connecticut, mosquitoes are as thick as a few grapes, lives an ingenious Yankee, so they say—believe it who may—who puts these insects to profitable uses.

JOHN H. POTTER. Caledonia, June 4, 1863. This is to certify that I was given up by all the most skillful physicians in New York with the dropsy, in its worst form, with a large lump in my side, and swelled out of all kind of human shape.

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hot. This sauce must be made while the turkey is still in the steamer, so that it can be poured over the as soon as it is taken up.—Country Gentleman.

The life of a man whose clothing was caught in the shafting of a Dalton mill, recently, was saved by the thoughtfulness of a boy, who threw a dipper full of soap on the main belt, causing it to slip until the machinery could be stopped.

From scientific pursuits a certain dignity and grandeur result. True, they demand sacrifices, but every good must first be won by labor and energy.

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MESSENGER ALMANAC.

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