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Farm and Household.

Fattening Foods.

Buckwheat is very fattening and seems to have a whitening effect upon the flesh. It is much fed by the French, who are quite successful turkey growers, and it is thought by them that this grain imparts to the flesh a delicious nutty flavor much liked by their epicures. Barley is also a fattening food, but should not be given in as large quantities as corn, nor fed as often, as it is not so easily digested, but it is very useful to feed occasionally for a change.

Odors in Milk.

The statement made by Professor Russell of the Wisconsin Experiment Station that he had put warm milk in the vicinity of several substances having strong odors and that at blood heat it absorbed any odors more rapidly than did cold milk is of itself a sufficient reason for removing the milk from the stable as soon as the milking is completed for each cow and putting it where it will be in pure air or taking it at once to the dairy room. But it shows quite as strongly the need of having pure air of free bad odors in the stables while the milking is being done. The stream as it passes from the teat exposes much of its surface to the air, and it is ready even in that short pass from teat to pail, to pick up all the odors, bacterial germs and dust with which it comes in contact.

Pure Water for Hogs.

Scientific researches have demonstrated hog cholera, and diseases of hogs are due to bacteria, or germs, that gain life and thrive in the fall during the dry season. The germs collect in the shallow watering places and infect the hog troughs. Pigs are compelled to drink this water, thereby sowing the seeds of cholera, weakening their vitality and causing many to die throughout the fall and early winter. This germ life is not killed during the winter by freezing but only remains inactive until spring, when due to the thawing of the snow and spring rains, the germs contained in the filth of the hog yard, watering troughs and wallowing holes, again thrive and become active, producing serious results.

That Well.

When was your well cleaned out? How has it been covered for the last year or two? Perhaps the skeletons of a few stray chickens of last year's brood are in the bottom of it. Rats may have perished there last summer and though mere bones are less unwholesome than decaying flesh, it would be nicer to have a clean bottom from which to draw your summer's water supply. When you do start the job bear in mind that there may be a foot or two of carbonic acid gas in the bottom, which is deadly poison. Lower a lighted lantern to the water; if it burns clear the well is safe to work in. If the light burns dim there is gas, and the surest way to get it out is to let down an open umbrella by the handle till it touches the water, then haul it up and pour out the contents of that empty umbrella, away from the mouth of the well. In this way most of the heavy and poisonous gas can be drawn up and the well made safe to work in. But try it again with a light to make sure.

Perhaps that well has begun to gather the seepage from the yard and has in it a store of typhoid germs. For that mere cleaning out is no sufficient remedy. A new well should be dug on a clean spot some distance off and the old one filled up. It comes cheaper than a funeral or two.—Exchange.

To Hasten Ripening of Tomatoes.

The ripening of tomatoes may be hastened considerably by tying the plants to stakes and pruning off the sprouts which come up around the base of the plants, the object being to get fruit from the first blossoms and not allow the lower branches, or sprouts, which come up later, to produce fruit. By keeping off these sprouts the entire strength of the plant is thrown into the upper part. In order to carry out this plan successfully the seed should be sown in a hot bed in March and the plants set in the field as early it is safe, selecting a piece of ground that is not too rich. A sandy soil is all right, but the highest portions or knolls are better than lower, richer lands. The plants should be tied to stakes at once, and as they grow the tying should be repeated. It will be noticed that the firsts appear at the tops of the plants, and the aim should be to give the fruit which sets from these the full strength of the plant. Sprouts will appear near the ground, and these must be broken off promptly and kept off during the entire season. It is not necessary to pinch the tops of the plants in any way, but as they grow keep them tied to the stake, which needs to be about five feet high. Ordinary tomatoes can be grown in this manner from one to two weeks earlier than if the plants were allowed to fall over on the ground. In giving the foregoing advice the Ohio Farmer adds that early varieties should of course be selected, and one of the best for this purpose is Dwarf Champion, but the Advance, Ruby and several others are suitable.

COOK'S NEW BLOOD PILLS. Cook's Penetrating Plasters.

If the creamery man was more strict in enforcing what he knows to be the proper rules for the production of milk by his patrons he would have a better product and necessarily would make better butter. It is only by continual and perpetual vigilance that the creamery man can secure the best raw product and only by the same methods that he can be sure of always making the best product. A cent a pound added to the value of the butter produced in the Elgin district, would have amounted to a vast sum, and what would it have been for the whole country? Consider this for a moment and see whether you and your factory and your patron cannot secure by a little extra care that extra cent.—Elgin Dairy Report.

To soften hard water take one ounce of quicklime to four gallons of water. Stir it thoroughly, and when it is settled pour off the clear solution, and it will be enough to add to two barrels of hard water.

To fold a man's coat lay it out perfectly flat with the wrong side down; the sleeve should be spread out smoothly, and then folded back to the elbow until each end of the sleeve is even with the collar. Fold the revers back, then double the coat over, folding it directly in the centre seam and smoothing it out carefully so that there may be no wrinkles.

Cultivating Trees.

All trees whether fruit or ornamental ones, should be cultivated for several years to have them to do their best. To let grass grow up around them is very poor practice indeed. Not only are the trees robbed of food, but the benefit of cultivation is lost to them as well. Keep the soil stirred from spring to early fall.

Good Stock.

Why is it that so many who start or undertake to establish themselves in the poultry business undertake it with inferior stock? They are certainly laboring under a great mistake. It is out of the question to breed fine stock from ordinary fowls—indeed it is a waste of time and money to undertake it. In starting one cannot be too careful as to the foundation he is laying, as upon this depends his future success or failure. If one starts with poor stock, he may work for years and then have the same, as like begets like. Of course he may improve it to a certain extent, but it will be slow business.

Virtues of Buttermilk.

The growing practice of utilizing the waste products of all manufactures has brought out the fact that buttermilk possesses many unsuspected qualities. A medical paper says its reputation as an agent of superior digestibility has become firmly established. It is, indeed, a true milk peptone—that is, milk already partially digested, the coagulation of the coagulated portion being loose and flaky, and not of that firm indigestible nature which is the result of the action of the gastric juice upon cows milk. It is of great value in the treatment of typhoid fever, and being a decided laxative, it may be turned to advantage in the treatment of habitual constipation. It is no less valuable in kidney troubles, from its diuretic qualities. It is in great request for the treatment of diabetes, either alone or alternately with skimmilk, and in cases of gastric ulcer and cancer of the stomach it can often be retained when no other food can.

Ice Water Versus Hot Water.

The drinking of ice water is pronounced by scientists to amount to a real crime and Dr. Brubaker has declared this question one of the utmost interest in typhoid fever. He says that if all water should be boiled and filtered there would never be a case of typhoid. The temperature of the stomach at the moment the ice water enters it is about 105 degrees; the water is 32 degrees. The chilling of and contracting of blood vessels is therefore great, and to the ice water is ascribed the catarrhal condition of the stomach so often suffered from. Dr. Brubaker says water should not be taken with a meal to any great extent, but that hot water taken before breakfast prepares the stomach for action, stimulating the gastric juices and washing away the remains of the last meal. Another glass of hot water taken between breakfast and luncheon will be found beneficial and better than all drugs for curing indigestion, since in passing into the blood the food products are carried along with it. Exercise, too, is necessary to help on the action of the stomach.

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