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Teasing Young Animals.

Teasing of young animals on the farm should never be tolerated. It may be funny to see the young things make use of their tender horns, and stamping of feet, etc., but as they grow older and learn to know their strength, they often become vicious, and then some day in a fit of temper, they are liable to injure some member of the family, or strangers who may happen to be passing by are very likely to be attacked by vicious animals. Give all animals on the farm kind and firm treatment. Animals should be made to both respect and love their attendants, but this cannot be accomplished if they are allowed to be teased.

Green Pea Salad.

Green pea salad may be prepared from says the Boston Cooking School Magazine. In the latter case cook a pint of young, tender peas with one tablespoonful of butter and as little salted water as possible, stirring constantly until the peas are tender and the water has evap-Set aside until cold. Thoroughly wash and drain a head of lettuce and arrange the leaves on a serving dish. Chop or cut a cup and a half of roast lamb or boiled chicken very fine and spread over the lettue. Pour the peas over the meat. Mix together six tablespoonfuls of oil, half a teaspoonful of salt and pepper to taste. Add gradually two or three tablespoonfuls of lemon juice of vinegar and pour over the salad. Sprinkle the whole with a few mint or tarragon leaves chopped very fine.

Keep Sheep in Apple Orchard.

Now that it is safe to talk sheep without any danger of being laughed at we want to say something in favor of getting a few sheep and keeping them in the apple orchard. They will eat the small bitter apples that the pig will not touch and if fed a gill of oats each per day they will after a summer in the orchard come out fat in the fall, besides having their manure evenly distributed under the trees. Care should be taken to prevent the pasture getting too poor, so that the sheep do not get enough to eat. If they are at all starved they will gnaw at the apple bark, and once they get a taste of this it will never be safe to put them in an apple orchard again. It is not best anyway to place them in young and rapidly growing orchards, whose bark is always tender. The rough bark of old bearing orchards does not tempt them unless they find sap sprouts growing out of it.

The Red Sorrel.

At this time of year many pastures and newly seeded meadows are red with sorrel now sending up its seed stock. Where this weed abounds, especially if the field has been liberally seeded with clover, it means that the soil is deficient in either potash or lime, which clover must have and which sorrel can do well enough without. Because sorrel itself is sour, farmers often say the land it grows on is "sour" also. But sorrel is al- he had picked up from the gutters, and most abundant on sandy land where there is no surplus of water to make it from the same source. sour, but which is always deficient in lime or potash or both. The best way to keep | inquired one of the young men. out sorrel is to give the land a dressing of potash in available form and then sow ten quarts of clover seed per acre with a grain crop which has had 200 pounds of superphosphate drilled in with the seed. The clover if evenly sown will entirely smother the sorrel and kill it, though if | cigarette smoker. there are any missed places these will be red with sorrel, showing that the weed | from his pocket, deliberately tore them tried to grow but was smothered out.

Thinning Tomatoes Increases Size.

Twenty-five tomato plants at the Arkansas experiment station were grown in well cultivated soil which had been fertilized three years before for vegetables of various kinds. Before the crop of tomatoes was planted it was given a free application of commercial fertilizer. The plants were tied to stakes and sprayed occasionally with Bordeaux mixture. With this number, Captain Mason says 25 are another lot the treatment was the same except that not more than two or three he stated, exceeded \$500,000. He saw fruits were allowed to grow upon one cluster. Thinning was done when the other wrecks for \$100. The City of Paris tomatoes were $\frac{1}{2}$ or $\frac{3}{4}$ of an inch in diameter. The deficient rainfall and high temperatures in July affected the thinned plants less than those not thinned. The results of the tests were greatly in favor plant was about 153 ounces, while on the plant not thinned average weight was only 63 ounces. Taking the total amount of fruit produced per vine, however, it was shown that when the fruit was not thinned each vine produced about $10\frac{1}{2}$ pounds, while where the fruit was thinned each vine produced only $9\frac{1}{2}$ pounds. The better appearance of the thinned fruit and the smaller amount of waste makes it advisable to thin, according to C. L. Newman in Bulletin 56.

Disease and Medicine.

Miller Purvis has this to say concerning the diseases of fowls: The truth is that this is a matter on which we have will please address, very limited information. We learned a good many years ago that disease is about 33-1yr.

the most unnecessary thing ever found in a poultry yard. Except a stray case of roup we have not had a sick hen in ten years where the trouble could not be traced directly to some carelessness in care of feeding, and usually roup is distinctly traceable to carelessness. Roup, gapes, cholera, indigestion apoplexy are about the only diseases that poultry keepers must contend with. Gapes indicate the presence of a parasite which no foresight could have prevented, but once its presence is known it may be circumvented by keeping the chicks off the grass when it is wet with rain or dew. Every other affliction named above may be prevented by using proper care in feeding and housing. Feed only good sound feed in such quantities as will be eaten clean between every feed.

Keep the houses clean, light and warm in winter, and clean, dimly lighted and as cool as possible in the summer. If these simple things are done, disease peas left over or from freshly cooked, will never get hold of the average flock, unless cholera is brought into the flock by direct infection, a thing which is al ways preventable. Feeding medicine to a flock of hens usually means that they will stop laying at once and not begin again untill they recover from the effects of the medicine. - American Poultry Journal.

It may not be amiss to call the attention of our readers to the method adopted by the Hollanders, who are dairy farmers by instinct, and whose ancestors have followed the business for hundreds of years. In order to keep their dairy cattle up to the standard, they, in the first place, select the bulls invariably from the calves of their choicest milkers. In like manner they sell their heifer her. calves for veal or as yearlings except about twenty per cent, and these are selected from their choice milkers and raised on skim milk and other feeds adapted for growth instead of for beef production. In addition to this, they apply the greatest of all tests, performance at the pail. These heifer calves are brought in at about two years old, are thoroughly tested as to milk production, and if they do not prove satisfactory are sold for beef after their first

How he was Cured.

"I don't believe all I hear about the unwholesomeness of cigaaettes," said a young man who was addicted to the cigarette habit. "I acknowledge they are nasty things to smoke, and very offensive to some people without doubt, but I won't be abused into reforming, and I won't swear off."

"It always seems to me," he went on, "that a fellow can't trust himself if he has to quit everything by awearing off. If anybooy will show me some good, sound reason why I should be ashamed to smoke cigarettes, I'll quit for good and all without taking a vow."

"Do you mean that?" asked the friend to whom he was speaking,

"I do."

"Then come with me." The two young men went out on the street stationed themselves at a prominent corner, and waited. Presently a little Italian boy came along. He had a basket on his arm. It was half fuli of the stumps of cigars and cigarettes which he was adding to his stock momentarily

"What do you do with those, my boy?"

"Sell 'em. Cigaretts factory. Ten MONT. McDONALD, cents a quart." replied the lad.

"Do you believe In doing anything to encourage that sort of industry?" asked the friend.

"On my honor, no!" answered the

Ae took a box of the "coffin nails" to fragments, threw them away, rnd

never smoked another. SEATTLE, Wn., Aug. 11.—Capt Mason, of the steam whaler Jennie, confirms previous reports of the damage done to St. Michael's shipping in the storm which PROBATE COURT QUEENS CO raged around and off St. Michael's Island on July 12. The wrecks of thirty nine steamers thrown indiscriminately upon the beach of the island bear testimony to the force and fury of the gale. Of wrecked beyond repair. The full damage \$20,000 steamers offered for \$2,000, and was half full of water.

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Whereas Addie M. McLean, sole surviving administratrix of all and singular the goods. Chattels and credits of Hugh Mc-Lean, deceased, hath prayed that her accounts touching the administration of the saidestate may be passed and allowed. You are therefore required to cite the heirs, next of kin, creditors and all others interested in the said estate to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held at the Probate Court Rooms, at Gagetown within and for the said County of Queens, on the twenty-second day of August next, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon to show cause, if any they have, why the accounts of the said Addie M. McLean as such sole surviving administrix of the goods, chattels and credits of Hugh Mc-Lean, deceased, should not be passed and

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Probate Court, this twenty-second day of July, A. D. 1899.

ROBERT W. McLELLAN, Judge of Probate Pro Hac Vice. JOHN W. DICKIE,

Registrar of Probates Queens County. ALEXANDER W. BAIRD, Proctor.

In the Probate Court Of Queens County.

To the Sheriff of the County of Queens or any Constable within the said County.

GREETING: Whereas Priscilla Thorne, of the Parish of Johnston, Queens County, wife of William B. Thorne of same place, have prayed that Letters of Administration of the estate and effects of Henry A. Perry who died in or about the twenty-second day of Ceilings Decorated in up to date Style December, A. D. 1896, at the Parish of Johnstone, aforesaid, may be granted to

You are therefore required to cite the heirs and next of kin of the said Henry A. Perry, deceased, to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held in and for the County of Queens in my office in said County of Queens on Monday, the twenty-first day of August next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to show cause, if any, why Letters of Administration of the said estate should not be granted to the said Priscilla Thorne, as prayed for by her.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the said Probate Court, this twenty-fourth day of July, A. D. 1899. A. W. EBBETT.

Judge of Probate. JOHN W. DICKIE, Registrar of Probates.

Proctor.

In the Probate Court Of Queens County.

MONT. McDONALD,

To the Sheriff of the County of Queens or any Constable within the said County, GREETING:

Whereas Priscilla Thorne of the Parish of Johnson, Queens County, wife of William B. Thorne of same place have prayed that Letters of Administration of the estate and effects of Mary C. Perry who died in or about the seventeenth day of June, A. D. 1899 at the Parish of Johnson aforesaid may be granted to ner.

You are therefore required to cite the heirs, and next of kin of the said Mary C. Perry deceased and all others whom it may concern to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held in and for the County of Queens on Monday the twenty-first day of August next at two o'clock in the afternoon to show cause if any why Letters of Administration of the said estate should not be granted to the said Priscilla Thorne as prayed for by her. Given under my hand and the Seal of the said Probate Court this twenty-fourth day of July, A. D. 1899. A. W. EBBETT,

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